THE GARDEN HOUSE

Right at the top in the sunniest corner of the gardens you can visit a part of the exhibition **"The shop for impossible things"** April 27 - September 22.

THE OAK GROVE

Here you can play letter games, climb trees or create perishable art from nature's play materials.

THE HUNDREDTH STONE

The peace project **"The** one hundredth stone" by the stonemason Kristian Lund is an art installation at the Oak grove.

THE MEADOW

THE PASTURE

THE CHILDHOOD HOME

The heart of Astrid Lindgren's Näs. Astrid Anna Emilia Ericsson was born here on the 14th of November 1907. Today, the childhood home is a private home for Astrid Lindgren's nieces. The childhood home is only open for guided tours that can be pre-booked at the ticket office or online.

THE PLAYGROUND

A place for play where you can climb, look for insects in the woodpile and pick blueberries in the thicket.

THE PAVILION

Here you can see our exhibition **"Astrid Lindgren** and the power of stories". An exhibition about the girl from Näs who became one of the world's most beloved authors.

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THE RECTORY

Here you can see the exhibition **"The shop for impossible things"** April 27 -September 22.

THE RESTAURANT

Our menu includes flavourful dishes with ingredients sourced mainly from local producers in the Vimmerby area. There are also tasty sandwiches, ice cream, Småland cheesecake and pastries from the local baker.

PRIVATE AREA

THE BEES Look into our demonstration hive and see the bees at work.



Here you can see, the film of how the story about "That boy Emil" came about. There is also a model of what the farm Näs looked like in the beginning of the 20th century.

THE LEMONADE TREE

The pride of the Rectory Park - the tree that inspired the Lemonade Tree in the story of Pippi Longstocking.

THE APPLE TREE GROVE

Our lovely garden seating area, surrounded by different varieties and sizes of apples. Here the sun lies all day and shimmers in our water mirror fountains.

"A SOUL SET ROCKING"

This story loop, which consists of 8 iron books set out around the gardens, allows visitors to learn more about how the place Näs links to Astrid Lindgren's life, stories, thoughts, and values. Each book is marked on the map with a rosehip.

THE RECTORY PARK Welcome to play croquet and chess or stretch out on a blanket and read.

