

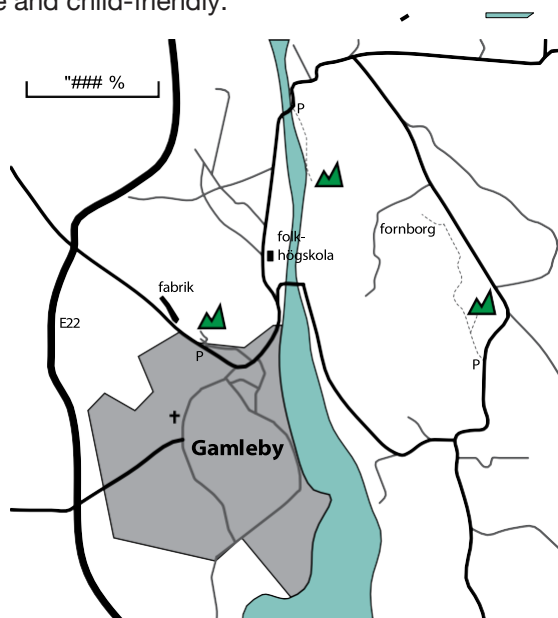
# Garpedans

## Characteristics

The Garpedans crag offers very nice vertical and overhanging climbing and it is 17 m at its highest. The climbing takes place on very firm red granite. There are several routes of very high quality that demand good technique and problem solving skills. The vertical climbing you find here is among the best in Sweden. It is definitely worth a visit if you are a more advanced climber. Additionally you get a wonderful view of the Gamleby Bay. In the beginning of the nineties Jim Wasmuth climbed the route called 'Pieta', which at the time was given the grade of 7c. It has since then continuously been given higher grades. It is now an 8a+. It was probably the most difficult route in Sweden at the time. It has only been repeated twice in the twenty years that have passed since was first climbed. Many skilled climbers have tried but to no avail. The wall is facing south and the sun reaches it after 10.00 a.m. in the summer. It dries relatively quickly after rain. The crag has 11 routes that are especially recommended. See the ones marked with a star ☐.

## Directions

The crag is located about 25 km north of Västervik. Follow the E22 towards Gamleby and then take the northern exit. Continue for 1 km, with the paint factory on your left, until you arrive at a closed down petrol station on your right. Park here and walk 300 m past the buildings until you arrive at the crag. The crag is very visible from the road. The area is easily accessible and child-friendly.



## Coordinates

To the parking lot: 57.901858, 16.403372  
Crag 57.902114, 16.403747

## Accommodation

Camping KustCamp at Hammarsbadet is located 2 km from the centre of Gamleby phone +4649310221  
[www.kustkamp.se](http://www.kustkamp.se), Watch [www.vastervik.com/boende](http://www.vastervik.com/boende)

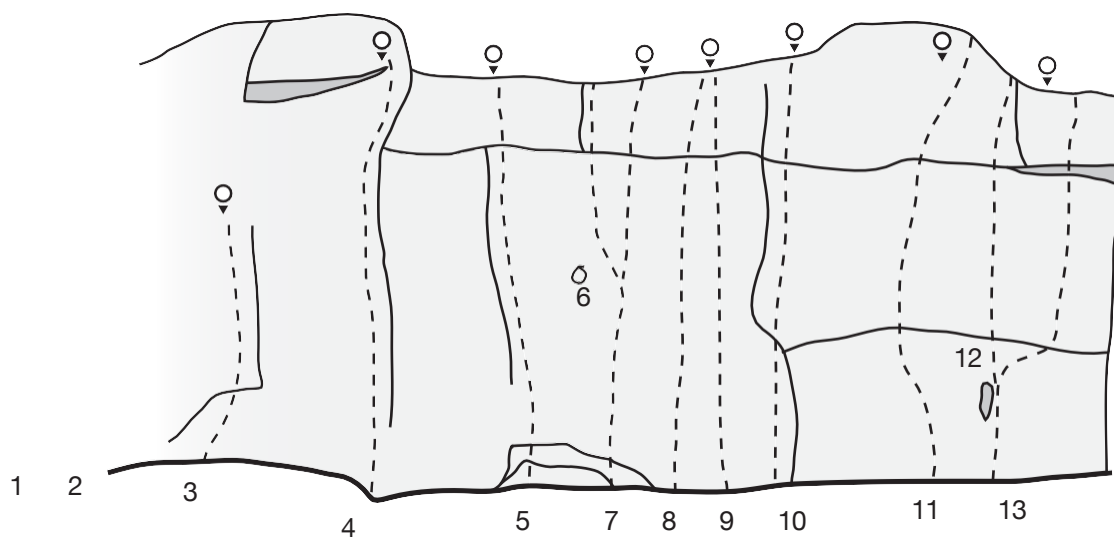
## Shops

The closest grocery store, ICA, is located in the centre of Gamleby, 1 km from the crag. The closest petrol stations, Bilia and Preem, are located in the centre of Gamleby.

## Climbing Centre

The climbing centre in Västervik is the main meeting point for climbers. It is located next to COOP on Kristinebergsgatan 12. There is free Wi-Fi internet access there. It is a place where you can meet, trade stories, read climbing magazines. The latest information on climbing and other outdoor activities in the area is available there. There is also a climbing gym available, where you can climb and get to know other climbers. Call +46730213838 or +4670423729 for more information.

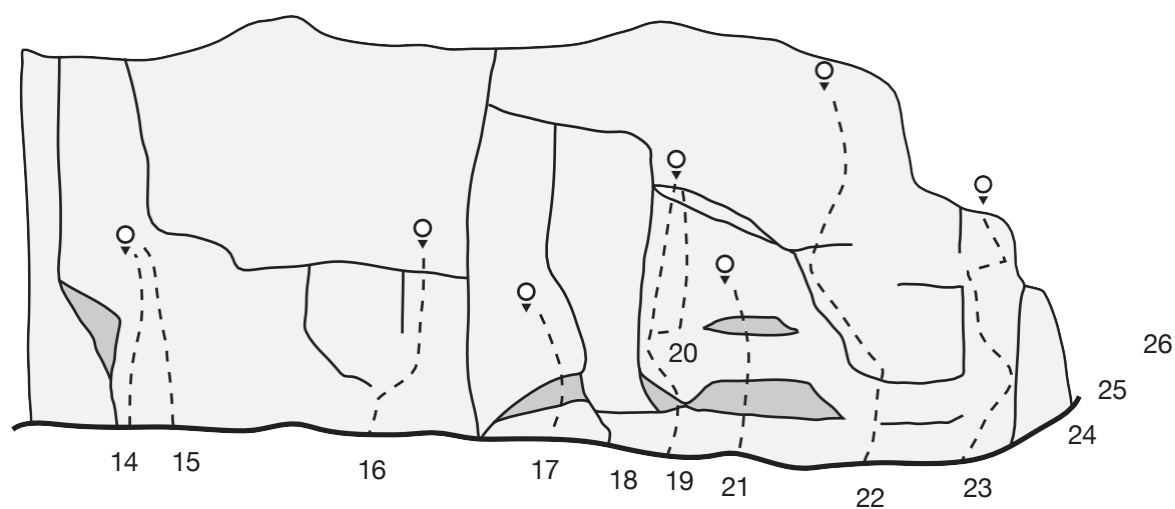
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	Name	Grade	First Ascendant	Height.	Bolts	Comment
1	<b>Dans dela garpe</b>	6b	Johan Strömstad -89	10 m		route secured with nuts, 150 m to the left
2	<b>Poga din ponkare</b>	7b	Patrik Andersson -89	12 m		mixed route, to the left
3	<b>Feta läppar</b> □	6c+	Patrik andersson -89	10 m	4 bb	
4	<b>Flickan med kalejdoskopet</b>	6b	Johan Hedkvist -89	14 m	5 bb	
5	<b>Bolero</b> □	6c	Jim Wasmuth -89	14 m	5 bb	
6	<b>Hammarhjärta</b>	6c	Johan Hedkvist -89	14 m		route secured with nuts, uncleaned
7	<b>Bultat hjärta</b> □	6c	Jim Wasmuth -89	14 m	5 bb	
8	<b>Sup dig snygg</b>	7a	Patrik Andersson -90	15 m	7 bb	
9	<b>Burton</b> □	7b	Jim Wasmuth -90	14 m	5 bb	
10	<b>Blå grodorna</b>	7c	Johan Luhr -02	14 m	5 bb	
11	<b>Pieta</b> □	8a+	Jim Wasmuth -90	15 m	7 bb	
12	<b>Rosa på bal</b>	7b+	Patrik Andersson -90	15 m	7 bb	
13	<b>Megadans</b> □	7 b	Patrik Andersson -90	15 m	7 bb	

Grades	3a-c	4a-c	5a-c	6a-c	7a-c	8a-c	total
Amount	-			11	13	2	26

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14	<b>Jolly</b> □	6b	Johan Luhr -01	8 m	5 bb	
15	<b>Tejp</b>	6c	Johan Luhr -01	8 m	5 bb	
16	<b>Ge mig en grogg</b>	7b+	Johan Luhr -03	8 m		
17	<b>Boys don't cry</b>	7c	Johan Luhr -00	8 m	5 bb	
18	<b>Äventyrsklättraren</b>	6c	Jim Wasmuth -89	16 m		<i>route secured with nuts, uncleaned</i>
19	<b>Mango tango</b> □	7b	Jim Wasmuth -89	12 m	6 bb	
20	<b>Garpedansen</b> □	6c	Jim Wasmuth -89	14 m	7 bb	<i>to the right, on the shelf</i>
21	<b>Stone cold</b>	8a	Johan Luhr -92	10 m	5 bb	
22	<b>Flickorna i Småland</b> □	7b	Jim Wasmuth -89	17 m	8 bb	<i>an exciting classic</i>
23	<b>E66</b> □	6c+	Jim Wasmuth -89	12 m	6 bb	
24	<b>Garpe diem</b>	7c	Nicklas Enlund -07	8 m	4 bb	
25	<b>Spin</b>	7a+	Johan Luhr -03	8 m	4 bb	<i>located about 250 m to the right</i>
26	<b>Supra</b>	7b	Johan Luhr -03	6 m	3 bb	<i>located about 250 m to the right</i>