

Welcome to Porsgrunn  
School of Music and  
Performing arts!





# Porsgrunn (1/2)

## Area

- **Total**

165 km<sup>2</sup>

- **Land**

161 km<sup>2</sup> (62 sq mi)

- **Rank**

#352 in Norway

## Population

- **Total**

35,500

- **Rank**

#22 in Norway





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# Porsgrunn (2/2)

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Porsgrunn has been an important harbor town in the Grenland area since the late 16th century.

In the 18th century, it was the home of some of Norway's most influential families in industry and culture at the time.

Also in this period, Porsgrunn was considered the cultural centre of Norway.





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# Porsgrunn kulturskole

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- ❖ 800 pupils
- ❖ 6-19 years, but youngest is 4 months and oldest 71 year
- ❖ 30 teachers
- ❖ Music, dance, theatre and visual arts
- ❖ Established in 1987: 35 years this year!









*Maive*





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# And there's even more...

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Cooperations with

- ❖ Kindergarden
- ❖ Primary and secondary school
- ❖ Volunteer cultural life
- ❖ Special talent-programs in music, dance and visual arts
- ❖ Research
- ❖ Sustainable goals



# From Nivlheim to Yggdrasil (2022-23)



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# GOALS

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To raise **your**

- interest and joy in participation/contribution into cultural and artistic creativity
- access to our common Nordic culture
- to initiate debates about Nordic culture and arts
- focus on peace, social inclusion and climate change



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# HOWTO?

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- Working language: English, Finish, Norwegian, Swedish and Danish!
- 1 - 2 - 3 - 4
- Learn faces and names!
- Social media till we meet again...



How many of you...





# HOW TO PUT UP A SHOW...

In which order?



# SUMMARY

...AND TOMORROW:

07.30-08.45 BREAKFAST

09:00 SHOWTIME!







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# Creativity task Saturday/Sunday

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Thor (3) + Forseti (2)

Odin (3) + Ægir og Ran (2)

Frigg (3) + Uller (2)

Loke (3) + Brage (3)

Find a table for both groups (5-6 persons), pick up your dinner.

Select one of you to be “the responsible person” to take care of your notes!

Discuss and agree on ONE scene that you together shall make and show to the rest of the participants tomorrow.

Base your scene on your groups Appointed Gods!

You will have time to rehearse from appr. 11-11.30.

The scene should be 3-5 mins, and you can use music, song, dance, theatre/drama, movements, whatever: Use your creativity and imagination!



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# NORDIC GODS!



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# WRAPUP



YGGDRASIL

IDEA      CONCEPT      MESSAGE

SCRIPT

AUDITION

HELHEIM

IDEA      CONCEPT      MESSAGE

BUDGET

AUDITION

RATATOSK

MESSAGE

IDEA

OTHER

CONCEPT

BUDGET

NIVLHEIM

IDEA

DIRECTION

CONCEPT

MESSAGE

MARKETING



YGGDRASIL	CASTING	BUDGET	READ-THROUGH	DIRECTION	VENUE
HELHEIM	CASTING	OTHER	SCRIPT	READ-THROUGH	VENUE
RATATOSK	SCRIPT	MUSIC	CHORE-OGRAHY	AUDITION	CASTING
NIVLHEIM	MUSIC	CHORE-OGRAHY	SCRIPT	AUDITION	BUDGET

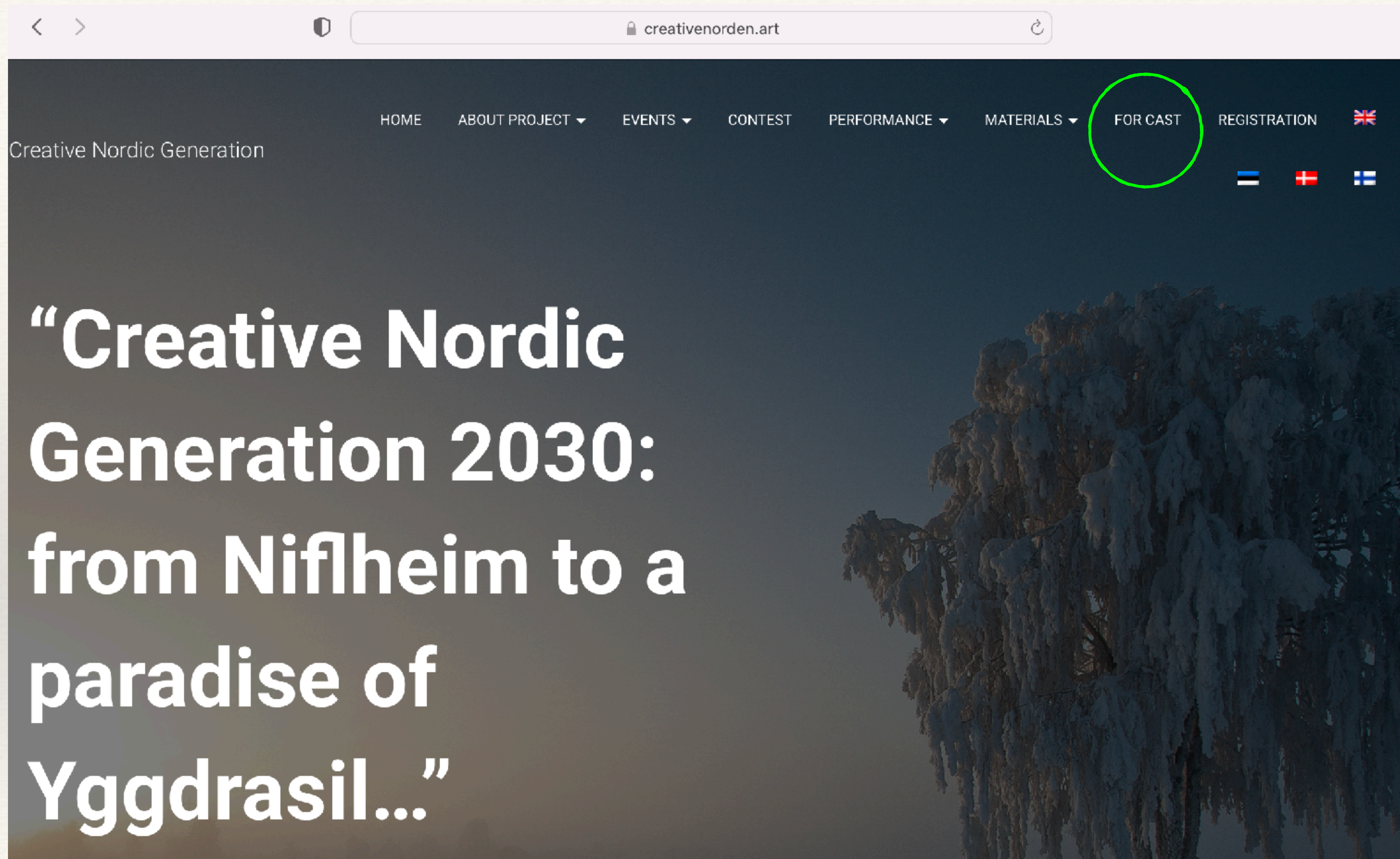


YGGDRASIL	SET	CHORE- OGRAPHY	MUSIC	COSTUMES	SOUND DESIGN
HELHEIM	SET	MARKETING	OTHER	MUSIC	CHORE- OGRAPHY
RATATOSK	READ- THROUGH	DIRECTION	REHERSALS	VENUE	COSTUMES
NIVLHEIM	SOUND DESIGN	VENUE	OTHER	CASTING	COSTUMES



YGGDRASIL	LIGHT DESIGN	MARKETING	REHERSALS		
HELHEIM	DIRECTION	COSTUMES	SOUND DESIGN	LIGHT DESIGN	REHERSALS
RATATOSK	MARKETING	SET	SOUND DESIGN	LIGHT DESIGN	
NIVLHEIM	OTHER	READ- THROUGH	SET	LIGHT DESIGN	REHERSALS







See you all in Göteborg  
25.-27. November!