

Mytilini Fact Sheet

In Lesvos you will spend most of your time in the town of Mytilini. One Happy Family (OHF) community center is located about 10 minutes outside of the Mytilini city center. We recommend that you stay in Mytilini so that you can access restaurants and cafes easily.

All OHF volunteers are picked up daily at the port around 9:20 AM. They are also shuttled back to the port around 5:30 pm. There are taxi services as well that can pick up from anywhere. The phone numbers are at the bottom of the page.

Phone Service: We recommend that you purchase a plan from your carrier that provides international voice, texting and data. Otherwise your ability to communicate will be subject to WiFi availability. Here is a link with a comparison of carrier offerings:

<https://www.whistleout.com/CellPhones/Guides/global-roaming-which-carrier-is-best>

Hotels:

These hotels are all in the center of town:

- Orfeas <http://www.orfeas-hotel.com/english.html>
- Heliotrope – The Studios <http://www.heliotropestudios.gr/>
- Hotel Sappho <http://www.sappho-hotel.gr/indexen.html>
- Hotel Lesvion <http://www.lesvion.gr/eng/>
- Fontana Rooms <http://www.fontanalesvos.gr/en>
- Hotel Theofilos Paradise (\$\$\$) <https://www.theofilosparadise.gr/en>

Car Rental:

Renting a car will give you flexibility, especially at lunch time when you will be stuck at OHF without a car. Food is provided at OHF, but you may want something different.

UPDATE: As of May 2018, Greek car rental agencies require an International Driving Permit (IDP). You need to fill out an application and provide 2 passport photos. The fastest way to do this is at an AAA office (you do NOT have to be a AAA member). The AAA website is an excellent resource for information on the process: <https://www.aaa.com/vacation/idpf.html>

- Hertz - 2 locations Airport and City Center
Manual \$120/week, Automatic \$150/week
- Budget – at airport
Manual \$125/week, Automatic \$200/week
- Sixt – at Airport
Manual \$100/week, Automatic \$180/week
- Billy's Car Rental is recommended by OHF
No online booking or pricing available

Taxi Service Phone #'s:

2251023500	6980544350	2251025900
6934107068	2251022064	6957751800

Resources/places to shop for The Nest:

- Book Store: Book and Art (Komninaki 5)
- Paper/Stationary Store: PAPERLAND (Komninaki 3)
- Print Shop: Copy Center (Bottom level of Hotel Sappho)

Food:

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Drink:

Bobiras Café	Mousiko kafeneio	Bar Code	Cartel
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