

MTBO CAMP

2025 - Småland - Sweden - by Nybro OK & Lessebo OK

29 May -1 june 2025

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MTBO Camp is an early season event with a lot of MTBO, socializing, high-intensity competitions and low-intensity technical training sessions

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WELCOME

The organizing team warmly welcomes you to the 2025 special, Swedish edition of MTBO camp. It has become a tradition with a season opening training camp offering maps and course-setting of the highest standard. The 2025 event will not let you down! We have found and mapped new, virgin MTBO terrains in nice typical Smålands terrain just around Kosta -Lessebo-Orrefors and Målerås.

On behalf of the organizing team, we welcome you to the Southeast of Sweden, the center of the kingdom of Glass, Glasrieket.

This is a TRAINING CAMP but includes also race competition.

VENUE

Sweden

Situated in Scandinavia, the Kingdom of Sweden covers an area of 528,000 square kilometers and with a population of 10,5 million, the population density is 22 per square kilometer. You will discover Sweden to be a well-organized, friendly and safe country to visit. Sweden is so long that its northern parts may still be covered in snow when the southern end is in bloom. More than two-thirds of the land area is covered in forest and there are nearly 100,000 lakes. The south of Sweden has an average daily temperature 16,6 °C in the end of May. More info: [Väder i Kosta, Lessebo \(smhi.se\)](http://Väder i Kosta, Lessebo (smhi.se))

Småland

Småland is one of 25 landscape in Sweden and is situated in the southeast of Sweden.

Kingdom of Glass- southeast Sweden

Småland's Kingdom of Glass has been creating magic since 1742. The unique art glass is famous worldwide and the craft can be found in many Swedish homes. Here you meet the craftsmen and artists. [Experience the Kingdom of Glass - Kingdom of Glass \(glasrieket.se\)](http://Experience the Kingdom of Glass - Kingdom of Glass (glasrieket.se))

At most glassworks, it is fine to step into the cabin and take part in the work. And maybe try the noble art of glassblowing yourself. You can also shop for unique glass, sometimes at bargain prices.





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EVENT CENTER AND GENERAL MAP

EVENT CENTER



The event center will be at Kosta Lodge, Stora vägen 2, 365 43 Kosta, Sweden.

[Kosta Lodge - stugor, konferens, ställplats & fiske mitt i Glasriket](https://maps.app.goo.gl/Le6aVv4EURhSCbEr7)

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Kosta is situated 73 km west from Kalmar, 40 km from Nybro and 48 km east from Växjö.

The race area and training areas will be held in the area shown in the picture, red line surrounding the areas.

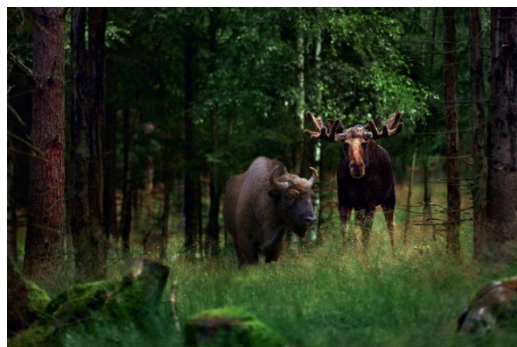


What else to like

At the proximity of event center, you can also find:

DESTINATION KOSTA
EN GLASKLAR UPPLEVELSE

[Destination - Kosta | \(destinationkosta.se\)](https://destinationkosta.se)





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ORREFORS  | **KostaBoda**

Kosta Boda offers inspiring art glass and contemporary interior design objects derived from Swedish design tradition. Targeting modern lifestyle, the progressive assortment delivers premium products integral to everyday use. Did you know? The furnaces at the Kosta glassworks have been lit since 1742.



Kosta Outlet

[Kosta Outlet i Småland - upp till 70% billigare](#)



Målerås Glasbruk

[Målerås - Crystal handmade in Sweden - Unique form of art glass \(maleras.se\).](#)

“When the first furnace was lit in Målerås 1890, an epoch started where the knowledge and pride in producing fine work has continued through the generations. Målerås Glassworks creates both top quality household glassware and a unique form of art glass.



Orranäs Glasbruk

[Orranäs Glasbruk - Glass Art from Småland, Sweden \(orranasglasbruk.se\).](#)





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HOW TO GET TO KOSTA

Kosta is accessible by plane, train, bus and car.

Directions by train:

From Gothenburg to Lessebo (SJ Regionaltåg) 3 h 8 min, direct train.

From Malmö to Lessebo (Öresundståg) 2 h 22 min, direct train.

From Stockholm to Alvesta SJ 3 h 6 min, change in Alvesta to Lessebo 33 min, total traveltime 3 h 49 min.

Distance from Lessebo to Kosta: 15 km by taxi 14 min.

By Air

From Kalmar – KLR Kalmar-Öland Airport to Kosta 1 h (7 mil).

From Växjö – VXO – Småland Airport to Kosta 45 min (5 mil).

From Kastrup – CPH – Copenhagen Airport to Kosta 3 h (27 mil).

Distance:

Stockholm – Kosta 41 mil – 4 h 42 min

Jönköping – Kosta 15 mil – 1 h 56 min

Lund – Kosta 22 mil – 2 h 42 min

Halmstad – Kosta 18 mil – 2 h 24 min

AIRPORTS

- Kalmar-Öland airport. [Startsida - Kalmar Öland Airport \(kalmarolandairport.se\)](http://Startsida - Kalmar Öland Airport (kalmarolandairport.se))
- Småland airport. [En flygplats.Tusen möjligheter | Växjö Småland Airport AB \(smalandairport.se\)](http://En flygplats.Tusen möjligheter | Växjö Småland Airport AB (smalandairport.se))
- Malmö Sturup airport.
- Copenhagen airport Kastrup.

BY CAR TO SWEDEN

Good connections to Sweden from:

Denmark: Ferry from Helsingör to Hälsingborg: Ferry company: Øresundslinjen

Germany: Ferry from Rostock to Trelleborg.

Germany: By car from the German-Danish border in Padborg across the Great Belt Bridge and further east crossing Denmark to the Oresund bridge and Malmö. From Malmö to Kosta 230 km.

Polen: Ferry from Gdynia to Karlskrona. From Karlskrona by car to Kosta 85 km.



PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Date	Location	Details
Thursday 29 May 2025	Kosta Lodge Arena	Long distance
	Arena glass factory Målerås	Technical training
Friday 30 May 2025	Kosta Lodge Arena	Sprint distance
	Arena Orranäs, Orrefors	Technical training
Saturday 31 May 2025	Kosta Lodge Arena, Kosta-Målerås-Kosta	Ultra long distance a.k.a. "Høkeren"
	Evening	Social event including prize giving at the Event center
Sunday 1 June 2025	Arena Hackebackeskolan, Lessebo	Middle distance

DISTANCES

All events will take place max. 30 km from the event center.

ENTRY

Entry will open no later than 15 November 2024.

The ordinary registration period ends 31 March 2025

Later registration is accepted against an increased entry fee, see below.

Your entry is only valid when full payment has been received.

Members of Swedish orienteering clubs must register in Eventor so that payment can be handled through this. All other participants must make their entry on the event website: <http://mtbocamp.dk/mtbo-camp-2025/signup/>

Fill in the required information. Entries will be published on the webpage regularly.

CLASSES

Your entry class apply for sprint, middle- and long-distance competitions. You cannot change from one class to another during the camp.

The ultra-long race, will be available in four variants, and you sign up for one of these independently of which class you have signed up for the rest of the camp.

There will be one course for each technical training session.



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Classes	
Long-, Sprint- and Middle distance	
M10	W10
M12	W12
M14	W14
M16	W16
M17-20	W17-20
M21	W21
M35	W35
M40	W40
M45	W45
M50	W50
M55	W55
M60	W60
M65	W65
M70	W70
M75	W75
M80	W80
M85	W85
H90	D90
Open Short	
Open Middle	
Open Long	

Ultra long -please choose among (despite of class)	Preliminary length approximately km (straight path)
Easy	12 km
Long	23 km
Very long	35 km
Ultra long	43 km

FEES and PAYMENT

Complete MTBO CAMP	M/W-16	M/W-20	M/W 21-
Entry fee until 31 March 2025	€ 20 SEK 230	€ 110 SEK 1250	€ 110 SEK 1250
Entry fee until 30 April 2025	€ 30 SEK 340	€ 125 SEK 1440	€ 125 SEK 1440
Late entry after 30 April 2025	€ 40 SEK 450	€ 145 SEK 1670	€ 145 SEK 1670
SI card - rental for entire camp	€ 20 SEK 230	€ 20 SEK 230	€ 20 SEK 230
Map holder - rental for entire camp	€ 20 SEK 230	€ 20 SEK 230	€ 20 SEK 230



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Single races, price per race	M/W-16	M/W-20	M/W 21-
Entry fee until 31 March 2025			
Sprint	€ 9 SEK 100	€ 27 SEK 300	€ 27 SEK 300
Middle	€ 9 SEK 100	€ 19 SEK 210	€ 19 SEK 210
Long	€ 9 SEK 100	€ 27 SEK 300	€ 27 SEK 300
Ultra long	€ 9 SEK 100	€ 40 SEK 450	€ 40 SEK 450
Entry fee until 30 April 2025			
Sprint	€ 12 SEK 125	€ 34 SEK 370	€ 34 SEK 370
Middle	€ 12 SEK 125	€ 23 SEK 260	€ 23 SEK 260
Long	€ 12 SEK 125	€ 34 SEK 370	€ 34 SEK 370
Ultra long	€ 12 SEK 125	€ 45 SEK 510	€ 45 SEK 510
Late entry after 30 April 2025			
Sprint	€ 14 SEK 150	€ 41 SEK 450	€ 41 SEK 450
Middle	€ 14 SEK 150	€ 29 SEK 315	€ 28 SEK 315
Long	€ 14 SEK 150	€ 41 SEK 450	€ 41 SEK 450
Ultra long	€ 14 SEK 150	€ 50 SEK 570	€ 50 SEK 570
SI card – rental for single race	€ 5 SEK 50	€ 5 SEK 50	€ 5 SEK 50
Map holder – rental for single race	€ 5 SEK 50	€ 5 SEK 50	€ 5 SEK 50

PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Members of Swedish orienteering clubs:

Payment will be handled automatically when signed up via Eventor.

All other participants:

Name: Lessebo Orienteringsklubb

Bankgiro 5818-8525

IBAN SE79 8000 0816 9547 3600 1910

BIC SWEDSESS

Participants pay the fee to their own bank, if relevant



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MAPS

Some example will be shown in coming bulletins

TIME KEEPING SYSTEM

SPORTident touchfree (SIAC) will be used in competitions. All competitors will have to use an SI Card. Rental of SI cards will be possible. Traditional SPORTident cards cannot be used.

ONE DAY PARTICIPATION

You can of course choose just to participate a single day, just to try our sport. Open courses are the same as those for the competitions.

SOCIAL EVENT and PRIZE GIVING

We hope to see you at the social event, which will take place Saturday evening nearby the event center.

VISA

Sweden is a full Schengen member state. Non-Schengen residents may have to apply for a short stay visa.



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ACCOMMODATION

The camp organizers are not responsible for the accommodation. You are responsible for ordering and paying the accommodation you prefer.

ACCOMODATION AT THE EVENT CENTER

KOSTA LODGE



Kosta Lodge is located in the middle of Småland's glass kingdom, close to one of Sweden's oldest glass factories. Guests come to us to experience, live and feel good. Kosta Lodge is the event center. [Kosta Lodge - cabins, conference, pitch & fishing in the middle of the Kingdom of Glass](#)

Use code **"MTBO25"** to get a 20% discount!



KOSTA BODA ART HOTEL

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BODA**
ART HOTEL
SWEDEN

[Kosta Boda art Hotel](#)

The Hotel is located 1,5 km from the event center. Kosta Boda Art Hotel is the hotel that explodes in colour, form and pleasure. A unique designhotel, decorated by the designers at Kosta Boda and a celebration of swedish glass art

CAMPING

There are several camping grounds in the area. See them all at [Camping - Glass Kingdom \(glasriket.se\)](#)

AUTOCAMPER

Autocampers can stay at Kosta Lodge at the Event Center.



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EATING

There are several local restaurants nearby that you can search online. We will return with more information regarding breakfast.

Here are some examples of restaurants nearby:

Kosta Lodge offers a restaurant.

Kosta Boda Art Hotel offers a restaurant.

Kosta Outlet offers a restaurant.

Målerås Bistro in direct proximity to the glassworks and our training.

MORE INFORMATION

Webpage <http://www.mtbocamp.dk>

Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/mtbocamp/>
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