

Final bulletin

AXA-stafetten July 18th 2015

- Classes:** One class, girls and boys mixed, the legs are to be run as follows:
Leg 1: Boys up to and including H16 Leg 3: Boys up to and including H14
Leg 2: Girls up to and including D14 Leg 4: Girls up to and including D16
- The team may consist of Nordic district teams, or “national teams” for non-Nordic countries. It is permitted to participate with two teams per district or country. Combination teams for example of two districts or countries are allowed but this doesn’t mean that a district or country of this kind can have three teams.
- Gathering place:** Borås Arena, Knalleland, approximately 2,5 km from the O-Ringentown. We highly recommend walking or cycling to the Arena. Right after the entrance to the Arena competitors and coaches follows signs “competitors” and “quarantine”.
- Quarantine:** The reception and changing room inside Borås Arenas. All competitors and coaches shall be assembled 4:00 p.m. In the quarantine you will find changing rooms, water, toilets and showers. The quarantine opens at 3:00 p.m.
- Team packages:** Is picked up of coaches in the event office, 1:00 p.m., July 18th, at the latest, or at the quarantine. Team package contains number bibs, safety-pins and, if needed, SI-cards.
- Team changes:** Eventor, July 17th 11:59 p.m. at the latest, or at the event office, July 18th 1:00 p.m. at the latest.
- Warm-up area:** Behind the scene on the football field at Borås Arena. Runners empties their SI-cars about 30 minutes before the first start. The entrance to the start area will open about 10 minutes before start. Coaches may be in the warm-up area.
- Start:** The start will take place at 5:00 pm. You will find your map at your start number.
- Change-over:** Incoming runners on the first three legs runs in the left lane, following the sign saying “change-over”. Punch your SI-card at the finish line and hand over your map to an official. Run to the map stands and get the map for the next runner of your team. Check that the map is the correct one: it has got your team number and the number of the next leg. The wrong choice will lead to disqualification. Teams that misses their map will receive a new at the change-over fence. Before leaving the area, the runner visit the data extraction point, where the SI-card is read out.

Finish:	Incoming runners on the last leg choose the right lane, following the sign saying "finish". The placing in the relay will be determined on the basis of crossing the finish line. The punch is placed behind the finish line.
Controls:	Trestles, marked with orange/white flags and SportIdent units. Every control hosts two or three trestles, each holding one SportIdent unit. In some areas it is extremely tight between the controls, check the code numbers very carefully.
Course lengths:	Each leg is 2470-2510 meters at the closest road. Running time about 9 to 11 minutes.
Spread:	Each leg will be forked.
Forbidden areas:	Is marked with the sign of settlement or vertical stripes in purple. In some cases strengthened with yellow/blue stripes. Team crossing forbidden areas will be disqualified.
Map/control description	Sprint map. Map scale 1:4000, contour interval 2,5 m. Drawn 2014-2015 by Maths Carlsson. Control descriptions are printed on the map.
Terrain:	The competition will take place in the surroundings of Borås Arena near Knalleland, Borås. The terrain is a mixture of residential areas, camping surfaces and a school yard. The terrain is flat and the runability is very good.
Traffic situation:	One big road is secluded. Another one manned with functionaries, follow their instructions. Be careful and watch out for cars all the way.
Clothing:	No need of long trousers. Jogging shoes are recommended.
Results:	Available online at oringen.se .
Maps:	After the competition the teams will find their maps in the quarantine.
Prize giving ceremony:	Prizes will be given to the first three teams right after the competition.
Competition rules:	Swedish orienteering federation sprint rules.
Competition manager:	Martin Larsson 076-871 80 62
Course setter:	Victor Helgesson
Course setter controller:	Maths Carlsson

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