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Welcome to Borås and the Nordic Championships in Combined Events and the Swedish Combined Events Challenge 2023

We have the pleasure of inviting Combined Events teams from the Nordic countries to the annual Nordic Championships in Combined Events (NCCE) in Borås, Sweden, $10^{th} - 11^{th}$ June 2023. This year, the Championships will be organized along with Swedish Combined Events Challenge (SCEC), a World Athletics Combined Events Bronze meeting.

The city of Borås and Ryavallen Arena

A city full of design, creativity and street art, the city of Borås is known as the capital of textile in Sweden. It has magnificent scenery, top-class sporting experiences and a rich selection of shops and restaurants. Borås is the home of IK Ymer Track Club, founded in 1919. The 2023 NCCE & SCEC competitions will take place at Ryavallen Arena. Ryavallen is located in close proximity to the big shopping area Knalleland only 20 minutes walking distance from the city center. Ryavallen was completed in 1941 and was fully renovated for the Swedish National Championships in 2013 when it received 8 lanes, and again in 2019. Ryavallen has been the venue for in total three Swedish National Championships, the latest in 2021, the Nordic Masters Athletics Championships 2018 and the European Athletics U20 Championships 2019.

Landvetter International Airport

Borås is located 40 kilometers from the international airport <u>Landvetter</u>. Travels to/from the airport to Borås can be done either with the bus company <u>Vy Bus4You</u> or <u>Flixbus</u>. See accommodation and transportation info below.

Programme NCCE

Each country may enter a team consisting of a maximum of three participants in each of the six events in the programme. The host country has the right to one wild card entry in each event. These wild card athletes are official participants in the championships.

Participants in the NCCE Men's Decathlon and Women's Heptathlon will also compete for prize money and World Rankings "C" Level Placing Scores.

Swedish Combined Events Challenge

Information regarding Swedish Combined Events Challenge will be available via the Folksam Grand Prix website.

Preliminary timetable		
Event	Start	Finish
U18 Heptathlon	Saturday 11:00	Sunday 12:45
U18 Decathlon	Saturday 11:30	Sunday 17:00
U20 Heptathlon	Saturday 12:15	Sunday 14:45
U20 Decathlon	Saturday 11:45	Sunday 17:45
Women Heptathlon	Saturday 14:15	Sunday 18:50
Men Decathlon	Saturday 12:45	Sunday 19:40

Deadlines

The deadline for **preliminary entries** is April 9. An estimated number of athletes and team officials from each country, as well as preliminary arrival and departure times for the team, shall be sent to <u>sofia.jager-stenberg@friidrott.se</u>.

The deadline for **final entries**, and **reservation of hotel rooms for athletes and team officials**, is May 25. The final entries, including names of all competitors and team officials, and confirmed arrival and departure times for the team, shall be sent to <u>sofia.jager-stenberg@friidrott.se</u>.

Accommodation and transportation

We offer full accommodation at hotel Scandic Plaza between Friday-Monday.

- **SEK 1000** per person and night (twin rooms)
- **SEK 800** per person and night (triple rooms)

The offer includes the following meals:

- Dinner Friday (at Scandic Plaza) and Saturday (at Ryavallen Arena)
- Joint dinner with SCEC Sunday (at restaurant The Company)
- Breakfast (at Scandic Plaza), Saturday-Monday
- Lunch Saturday & Sunday (at Ryavallen Arena)

The offer also includes buss transport from Landvetter to Borås Friday June 9 and to Landvetter Monday June 12. There will be two departures from/to the airport during these days. Transport between the Hotel and Ryavallen Arena will be available.

Additional accommodation in single room and other transportation can be arranged upon request but is not included in the offer.

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