



Pressrelease

K.A.K. Midnight Sun Rally 2025

Ericssbergs castle will be the central place for the Midnight Sun Rally 2025 organised by the Royal Automobile club of Sweden, (K.A.K.)!

- Competition date 11–12 July
- The classes for AppK -90 including four-wheel drive and regularity
- The rally takes place in parallel with the now classic Castle Sprint at Ericssberg Castle

This year's edition of the Midnight Sun Rally, Sweden's largest rally for historic racing cars, will take place on the 11–12th of July around Katrineholm city and Ericssbergs Castle.

The K.A.K. Midnight Sun Rally is one of Europe's foremost historic rally competitions dating back to 1950. The rally offers both contestants and audience a unique, fast-paced and nostalgic experience on fine and alternating paths in beautiful surroundings.

For 2025, all routes will be run in Sörmland in areas around Katrineholm which offers fantastic rally routes. The central location for the competition will be Katrineholm and Ericssbergs Castle.

This year's edition of the K.A.K. Midnight Sun Rally is run over two stages, one on Friday and Saturday on July 11-12.

K.A.K., the Royal Automobile Club, which owns and operates the Midnight Sun Rally, will organise this year the rally jointly with Katrineholms Motorklubb which organizes at the same time and partly on the same routes Slottssprinten, The Castle Sprint Rally, at Ericssberg Castle. Crister Nystrand and Leif Fredriksson from Katrineholms Motorklubb are the project managers and race leaders for both the Midnight Sun Rally and the Castle Sprint Rally, (Slottssprinten) this summer.

The Midnight Sun Rally runs with a maximum of 120 cars competing in rally AppK -90 and approx. 20 cars may compete in the Regularity class.

On the first day, Friday, six different routes are tentatively run in the area of Flen-Eskilstuna-Gnesta and Malmköping. Its routes run with a lunch break at Heden Malmköping. Finishing distance and stage finish in front of the castle.

On the second day of the competition, Saturday, the Midnight Sun Rally runs along four new special routes with the finish at the Castle. The Castle Sprint Rally runs only on Saturday 12 July with approximately 120 competitors (not AppK) and these run their competition stage on the same routes as the Midnight Sun Rally used in the morning, in total there will be about four nice rally stages on Saturday, and as always the finish at Ericssberg Castle.

After the competitions, prizes are awarded at the stairs in front of Ericssberg Castle for all classes. Afterwards, everyone is invited to the After-Rally with a barbecue in the Parc next to the Castle.

More details will be available on the websites; <http://kak.se> and <http://midnattssolsrallyt.com> from the first part of January 2025. Registration also takes place on these websites.

Comments:

"We have looked over many parameters: everything from route lengths, reducing transport distances with less environmental impact and wear and tear, and of course also give the audience a rally experience 2.0" **concludes, Crister Nystrand, a satisfied and motivated project manager from Katrineholms Motorklubb**

"We have great confidence that Katrineholms Motorklubb with Crister and Leif at the helm will handle this event in the very best way", **says Jacob Laurin, Secretary General of K.A.K.**

"We have great confidence in this, we have run the Slottssprinten ten times now, and in fact it was The Midnight Sun Rally was the start of the Castle Run Rally, Slottssprinten, when they had a lunch and service break at Ericssbergs Slott in 2012 - where everyone was satisfied with that event," **says Leif Fredriksson, project manager from Katrineholms Motorklubb.**

"KAK is satisfied with this solution for the competition this year and promises very good conditions for one fantastic rally weekend for both competitors and spectators. This will be a good competition base in a classic castle environment and with fantastic rally roads that Södermanland offers," **says Johan Söderlind from K.A.K. Motorsport & racing.**



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