International Tandem Rally Sweden August 2018 - Route Information

Routes

At some rallies we have been able to produce route sheets with the help of Google but since 'Street View' does not operate in much of Sweden this is not possible.

However we have produced a range of GPX tracks that provide a number of suggested options. The proposed routes are shown below or can be viewed 'Online' at RidewithGPS by clicking on each ride title in the left hand column of the appropriate table.

It should be fairly easy to shorten any of these rides since Oland is fairly narrow and the rides tend to go along one side of the island and return on the other.

Where possible we have tried to route the GPX tracks via cafes and places of interest. However since the main holiday season in Sweden finishes in mid August some may not be open.

A few of the routes include sections that are not tarmac. We have tried to keep these to a minimum and believe that in general the gravel tracks will be suitable for tandems, but clearly you may need to make your own judgement regarding the suitability of the surface.

Routes normally start from Krono Camping in Saxnas. However those from Kalmar start from the bike ferry terminal in Kalmar. Please note it is not possible to cycle over the bridge from Farjestaden to Kalmar. Those with transport might prefer to drive to Kalmar.

Maps.

There is a free cycling map (1:80 000) of Oland which we hope will be available when you register for the rally. It should also be available from the Tourist Information in Farjestaden. It clearly shows most of the Island's cycle routes but does not indicate which parts are gravel. Also place names and minor roads are difficult to see.

As an alternative Cykelkartan No 10 (1:90 000), available from http://www.themapshop.co.uk/ or 0800 085 40 80, has much better cartography but is expensive at £18.75. If you intended to follow the routes from Kalmar you might wish to obtain Cykelkarten No 5, Blekinge, as well as No 10 but there is a section of Route1from Kalmar that is probably not on either map.

A highlighter pen will be useful to transfer rides onto either map. This can probably be done from the maps below or by clicking the appropriate link to view the route on RidewithGPS.

Park and Ride.

Rides from Saxnas inevitably involve much repetition. Those with transport might consider that they could visit the north and/or the south ends of Oland. A route to the north (90k) from Sanvik and a route south (84k) from Morbylanga can be viewed on RidewithGPS by clicking on the links below. Both routes can be shortened easily.

From Sanvik 90k

From Morbylanga 84k

General

There is also a website https://cyklapaoland.se which shows a range of cycle routes on Oland, from which it's possible to download GPX tracks.

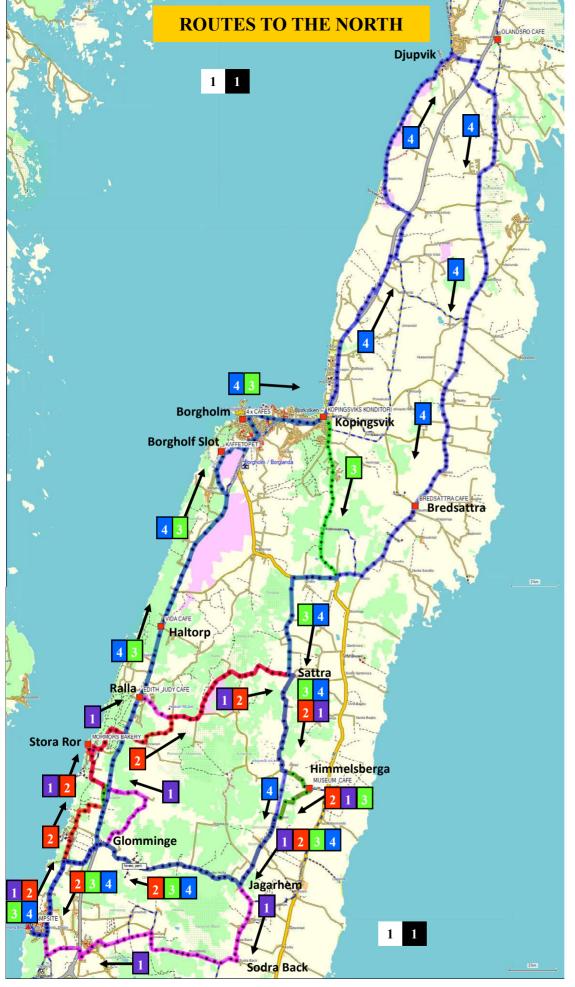
We would also like to thank Gunnar Kvarnback of Olands Cykeluthyrning for his suggestions and advice in planning possible routes.

Saxnas Nora Mockleby Farjestaden Gardby Vickleby Stora Fro Morbylanga Triberga Kastlosa Sodra Mockleby 1 1

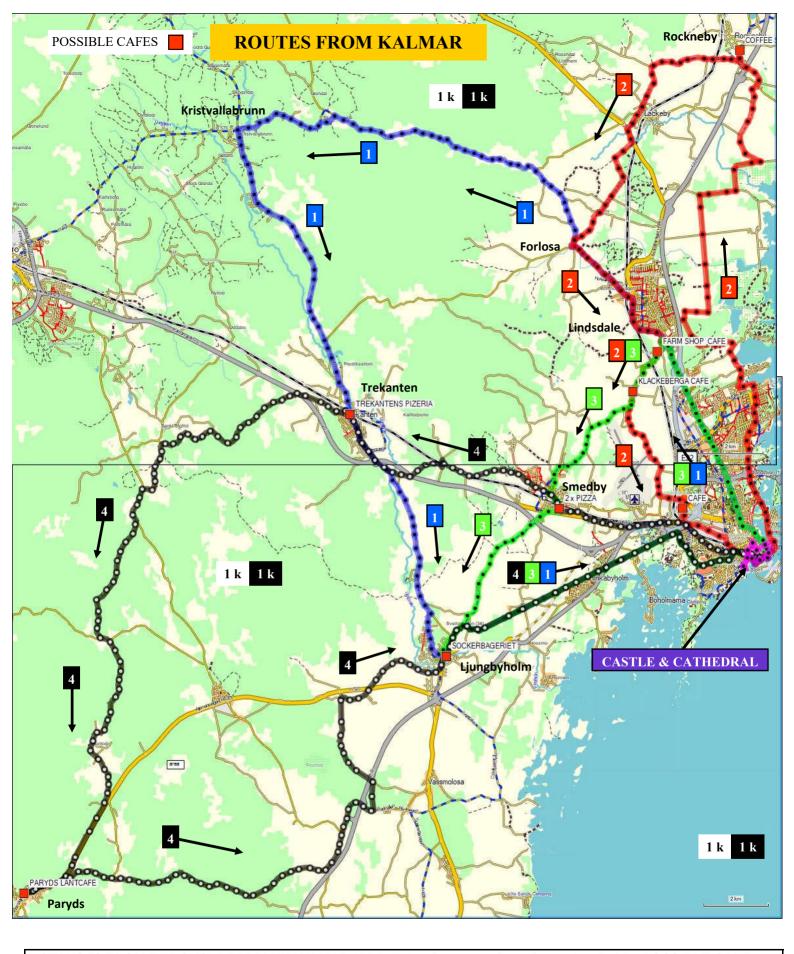
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POSSIBLE CAFES

ALL ROUTES START AND FINISH AT KRONO CAMPING SAXNAS Bold = POSSIBLE CAFE					
SOUTH 1	Purple	87k	Farjestaden (6) Stora Fro (16) Morbylanga (24) Gardby(62) Nora Mockleby (70) Saxnas (87)		
SOUTH 2	OUTH 2 Red 87k Farjestaden (6) Stora Fro (16) Morbylanga (24) Kastlosa(36) Triberga (52) Gardby (69) Saxnas (87)				
SOUTH 3	OUTH 3 Blue 62k Stora Fro (16) Morbylanga (24) Kastlosa(32) Stora Mockleby (45) Triberga (69) Gardby (86) Saxnas (104)				
SOUTH 4	Green	104k	Fariestaden (6k) Vicklehy (15) Stora Fro (18) Gardhy(43) Saynas (62)		



ALL ROUTES START AND FINISH AT KRONO CAMPING SAXNAS Bold = POSSIBLE CAFE						
NORTH 1	Purple	59k	Glomminge (7) Stora Ror (16) Ralla (21) Sattra (30) Himmelsberga (36) Sodra Back (46) Saxnas (59)			
NORTH 2	Red	48k	Stora Fro (12) Sattra (26) Himmelsberga (32) Jagarhem (38) Saxnas (48)			
NORTH 3	Green 73k Haltorp (17k) Borgholf Slot (26) Borgholm (29) Kopingsvik (33) Himmelsberga (53) Saxnas (73)					
NORTH 4	Blue	111k	Haltorp (17k) Borgholf Slot (26) Borgholm (29) Kopingsvik(33) Djupvik (52) Bredsattra (75) Saxnas (111)			



DISTANCES FROM THE CYCLE FERRY IN KALMAR (ADD 12 km for to and from Campsite) Bold = POSSIBLE CAFE				
KALMAR 1	Blue	62k	Kalmar Lindsdal (9) Forlosa (14) Kristvallabrunn (29) Trekanten (39) Lungbyholm (49) Kalmar (62)	
KALMAR 2	Red	54k	Kalmar Rockneby (24)Forlosa (35) Lindsale (40) Kalmar (54)	
KALMAR 3	Green	38k	Kalmar Lindsdal (9k) Smedby (16) Lungbyholm (23) Kalmar (38)	
KALMAR 4	Black	82k	Kalmar Smedby (8)Trekanten (18) Paryds (44) Ljungbyholm (68) Kalmar (82)	
CASTLE	Purple	4k	4 k route to Castle and Cathedral	

TIMESCHEDULE SPRING & AUTUMN 2018

Tickets one way: Adults SEK 55:-, Seniors and Youth 7-19 years old SEK 40:-.

Children under the age og 7 years old is free of charge

Discount card 10 trips Adults SEK 400:- Seniors/youth SEK 275:
Discount card 17 trips Adults SEK 500:-. Discount cards can be bought onboard

Moped SEK 55.- subject to availability.







From Öland to Kalmar

Mon- Fri	Sat	Sun		
06.45		No traffic/		
08.00		service on Sunday		
09.00	09.00			
	10.00			
	11.00			
	Lunch			
13.30	13.30			
14.30	14.30			
15.30	15.30*			
16.30	16.30			
17.30	17.30			

From Kalmar to Öland

Mon- Fri	Sat	Sun
07.30		No traffic,
08.30		service or Sunday
09.30	09.30	
	10.30	
	Lunch	
	13.00	
14.00	14.00	
15.00	15.00	
16.00	16.00*	
17.00	17.00	
18.30	18.00	

NOTE: May 1st, May 10th, June 6th is operated as saturday.

TIMESCHEDULE VALID

APRIL 23 - JUNE 24 & AUG 13 - SEPTEMBER 29

^{*}Midsummer eve June 22nd is operated as Saturday. Last departure from Färjestaden to Kalmar at 15.30 hrs and last departure from Kalmar to Färjestaden at 16.00 hrs. June 23 and June 24 is operated as Saturday.