

**YOUTH
INVITATION**



SWEDISH BRIDGE FESTIVAL

CONVENTUM ARENA | ÖREBRO | SWEDEN

JULY 29 - AUGUST 7, 2022

**COME, PLAY AND HAVE FUN
AT THE SWEDISH BRIDGE FESTIVAL**

Unique chance for all youth players from all NBOs

Again we are inviting all youth players and NBO:s to come and participate in the Swedish Bridge Festival. The dates when it all happens are July 29 - August 7, and we return to our magnificent location in Örebro.

We will follow up the success of 2019, when we saw a record, 20 youth teams from 15 NBOs playing in the Chairman's Cup (teams). In addition we will launch a new event, The Swedish Open Junior Pairs!

The first 15 teams (maximum one per NBO) to enter will receive the following:

- Free participation in the Swedish Open Junior Pairs, July 29-30.
- Free participation in the Chairman's Cup, July 30 - August 4.
- Free participation in all morning bronze tournaments.
- Two double rooms for free in Scandic Hotel Väst including breakfast from July 28 to August 4.
- Special offer for extended nights and/or more rooms. 210 SEK/person/night.
- Special offer to play all tournaments the last three days.

For youth teams above the 15-team quota, all the above will apply with the exception of the free hotel rooms.

There are money prizes and master points given in all tournaments.

More information about the Swedish Bridge Festival can be found here: www.svenskbridge.se/eng, there you can download the programme leaflet and read more about the Bridge Festival, which offers a wide variety of tournaments to play every day.

If you have any questions or want to make an entry, contact: Micke Melander, mme@svenskbridge.se.

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Swedish Bridge Federation



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NEW RECORDS 2022?

In 2019 we set many new records; for example 525 pairs in a single session pairs event and 8690 overall pairs in the entire Bridge Festival. We look forward to break new records in 2022!

HOW TO GET TO ÖREBRO?

By plane: Örebro has a small airport but not many flights. However, the most convenient and least expensive way would be to fly to Gothenburg or Stockholm, then take the train or bus.

By train: Trains from all major cities in Sweden go to Örebro. The venue is just 200 meters from the Örebro Södra train station. Tickets at www.sj.se.

By car: 200 km from Stockholm. 280 km from Gothenburg. 500 km from Malmö.

How to get to the Bridge Festival venue: Conventum Arena (Fabriksgatan 28) is situated in the middle of the city, just 200 meters from the Örebro Södra train station, and straight across the street from Scandic Grand Hotel.

ENTRY FEES & PRIZES

The entry fees for our tournaments are as follows:

Bronze Tournaments	1 ticket
Silver Tournaments	2 tickets
Gold Mine Pairs	3 tickets

Tickets may be pre-bought at our hospitality desk for 100 SEK/ticket (approximately 10€).

As a rule, 40% of the entry fees [in tournaments] are handed out as cash prizes.

Chairman's Cup: Entry fee 2800 SEK/team, if pre-paid 2400. Fixed prizes with 50 000 SEK to the winning team. 2nd to 6th get 25 000, 15000, 10 000, 7500 and 7500.
Swedish Open Senior Teams: Entry fee 1600 SEK/team if pre-paid 1200.

Masterpoints in all tournaments in three categories: bronze, silver and gold.

ACCOMMODATION

Örebro offers many hotels and different kinds of accommodation. We are happy to have five of the hotels as our partners.

City Hotell	+46 (0)19-601 42 00
www.cityhotellorebro.se/	
Clarion Hotell	+46 (0)19-670 67 00
www.nordicchoicehotels.se/hotell/sverige/orebro/clarion-hotel-orebro/	
Elite Stora Hotellet	+46 (0)19-15 69 00
www.elite.se/sv/hotell/orebro/stora-hotellet/	
Scandic Väst	+46 (0)19-767 44 00
www.scandichotels.se/hotell/sverige/orebro/scandic-orebro-vast	
Scandic Grand	+46 (0)19-767 43 00
www.scandichotels.se/hotell/sverige/orebro/scandic-grand-orebro	

HOW TO REGISTER?

You need to pre-register your team to be able to play the Chairman's Cup and the Swedish Open Senior Teams. Your registration has to be submitted no later than Friday July 29 at 20.00 hrs for Chairman's Cup and no later than Monday August 1 at 20.00 hrs for the senior teams.

Pre-registry is mandatory also for participating in the Swedish Open Juniors Pairs. For all other tournaments, you just need to reserve a seat 20 minutes before game time. Please remember that we always start on scheduled time!

Register by sending an e-mail to mme@svensbridge.se.



OUR SCHEDULE 2022

FRIDAY JULY 29

- 13.00-21.00 Swedish Open Junior Pairs
- 14.30-18.00 Bronze 1, handicap
- 15.30-21.00 Silver 1, gold bonus MPs, i-a-f *
- 19.00-22.30 Bronze 2, strata

SATURDAY JULY 30

- 09.30-11.45 Swedish Open Junior Pairs
- 10.00-13.30 Bronze 3
- 12.00-12.30 Chairman's Cup, Captain's Meeting
- 13.30-21.30 Chairman's Cup, swiss
- 14.30-18.05 Bronze 4, handicap
- 15.30-21.00 Silver 2
- 19.00-22.30 Bronze 5, strata

SUNDAY JULY 31

- 10.00-19.45 Chairman's Cup, swiss
- 10.00-13.30 Bronze 6
- 14.30-18.00 Bronze 7, handicap, seminar
- 15.30-21.00 Silver 3
- 19.00-22.30 Bronze 8, strata

MONDAY AUGUST 1

- 10.00-14.10 Chairman's Cup, 32 teams
- 10.00-14.10 Chairman's Cup, bonus cup, 32 teams
- 10.00-13.30 Bronze 9
- 14.30-18.05 Bronze 10, handicap, seminar
- 15.30-21.00 Silver 4
- 15.50-20.00 Chairman's Cup, 16 teams
- 15.50-18.30 Chairman's Cup, bonus cup, 32 teams
- 19.00-22.30 Bronze 11, mixed, strata
- 19.00-21.40 Chairman's Cup, bonus cup, 16 teams

TUESDAY AUGUST 2

- 09.00-13.35 The Last Dance, qual. for Mixed Pairs
- 10.00-20.40 Chairman's Cup, Quarter Finals
- 10.00-14.10 Chairman's Cup, bonus cup, 16 teams
- 10.00-13.35 Bronze 12
- 14.30-18.00 Bronze 13, handicap, seminar
- 15.00-20.30 Swedish Open Senior Teams, swiss
- 15.20-19.30 Chairman's Cup, bonus cup, 8 teams
- 15.30-21.00 Silver 5
- 19.00-22.30 Bronze 14, strata

* Entry fee, 3 tickets.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 3

- 09.00-18.45 Swedish Open Mixed Pairs
- 09.30-16.35 Swedish Open Senior Teams, swiss
- 09.30-13.00 Bronze 15, maximum 2 MPs
- 09.30-13.00 Bronze 16, maximum 15 MPs
- 10.00-20.40 Chairman's Cup, Semi Finals
- 10.00-14.10 Chairman's Cup, bonus cup, 8 teams
- 10.00-13.30 Bronze 17
- 14.30-18.00 Bronze 18, handicap, seminar
- 15.30-21.45 Silver 6, swiss teams
- 15.50-20.40 Chairman's Cup, bonus cup, 4 teams
- 17.30-20.10 Swedish Open Senior Teams, round of 16
- 19.00-22.30 Bronze 19, strata

THURSDAY AUGUST 4

- 09.00-14.15 Swedish Open Mixed Pairs
- 09.30-14.00 Bronze 20, swiss teams
- 09.30-12.10 Swedish Open Senior Teams, quarterfinal
- 10.00-20.40 Chairman's Cup, final
- 10.00-14.50 Chairman's Cup, bonus cup, 4 teams
- 10.00-13.30 Bronze 21
- 13.10-15.50 Swedish Open Senior Teams, semifinal
- 14.30-18.05 Bronze 22, handicap, seminar
- 15.30-21.25 Silver 7, swiss pairs
- 15.50-20.40 Chairman's Cup, bonus cup, 3rd prize match
- 16.20-19.30 Swedish Open Senior Teams, Final & 3rd
- 19.00-22.45 Bronze 23, strata

FRIDAY AUGUST 5

- 10.00-13.30 Bronze 24
- 14.30-18.00 Bronze 25, handicap
- 15.30-21.00 Silver 8
- 19.00-22.30 Bronze 26, strata, silver bonus MPs

SATURDAY AUGUST 6

- 10.00-13.30 Bronze 27
- 14.30-18.00 Bronze 28, handicap
- 15.30-21.15 Gold Mine, swiss pairs, qualification
- 19.00-22.30 Bronze 29, strata, silver bonus MPs

SUNDAY AUGUST 7

- 09.30-14.50 Gold Mine, Finals
- 10.00-13.30 Bronze 30, handicap



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PLAYERS 2019



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CHAIRMAN'S CUP

Swiss. Then KO-matches.

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GOLD MINE

Total 80 boards. First 42 pairs are qualifying.

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SWEDISH CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Mixed Pairs*, Senior Teams (no qualification)* and Swedish Open Junior Pairs are open for non-Swedish citizens.

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SILVER TOURNAMENTS

One session with 40 or 42 boards.

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BRONZE TOURNAMENTS

One session with 24 boards.

* Membership in SBF is required and qualification to the Mixed Pairs can be made in "The Last Dance" on-site.

MORE INFORMATION:

www.svenskbridge.se/festival-2022

