

19th European Rogaining Championship 2023, September 9-10, Turku, Finland

Dear Nordic orienteers,

The participation from Sweden, Norway and Denmark in international rogaining competitions (European and World Championships) has been rare. For example, in ERC 2021 in Estonia, there was one participant from Sweden and one from Norway (none from Denmark). In WRC 2019 in Spain, there were two participants from Sweden, none from Norway or Denmark.

We hope to change this situation. The primary reason should be the proximity of ERC 2023 especially to Swedish orienteers. The ferry connection from Stockholm to Turku/Åbo is convenient, and you do not even need to have your own car with you – we will organize bus transportation from Turku harbor directly to the competition center in the competition morning. You will be able to arrive to the map handout just in perfect time.

What we are able to offer you is a comprehensive orienteering challenge –

both mentally and physically! ERC 2023 will offer orienteering challenges that should be more demanding than what has been the case in many other rogaining championships. We are sure that Turun Metsänkävijät's reputation as one of the world's leading orienteering clubs serves as a guarantee for this.

With the participation of more Nordic participants we will get a much sought after reinforcement to the European rogaining community. Please consider participating – do not hesitate to contact TuMe and ask for more information!

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