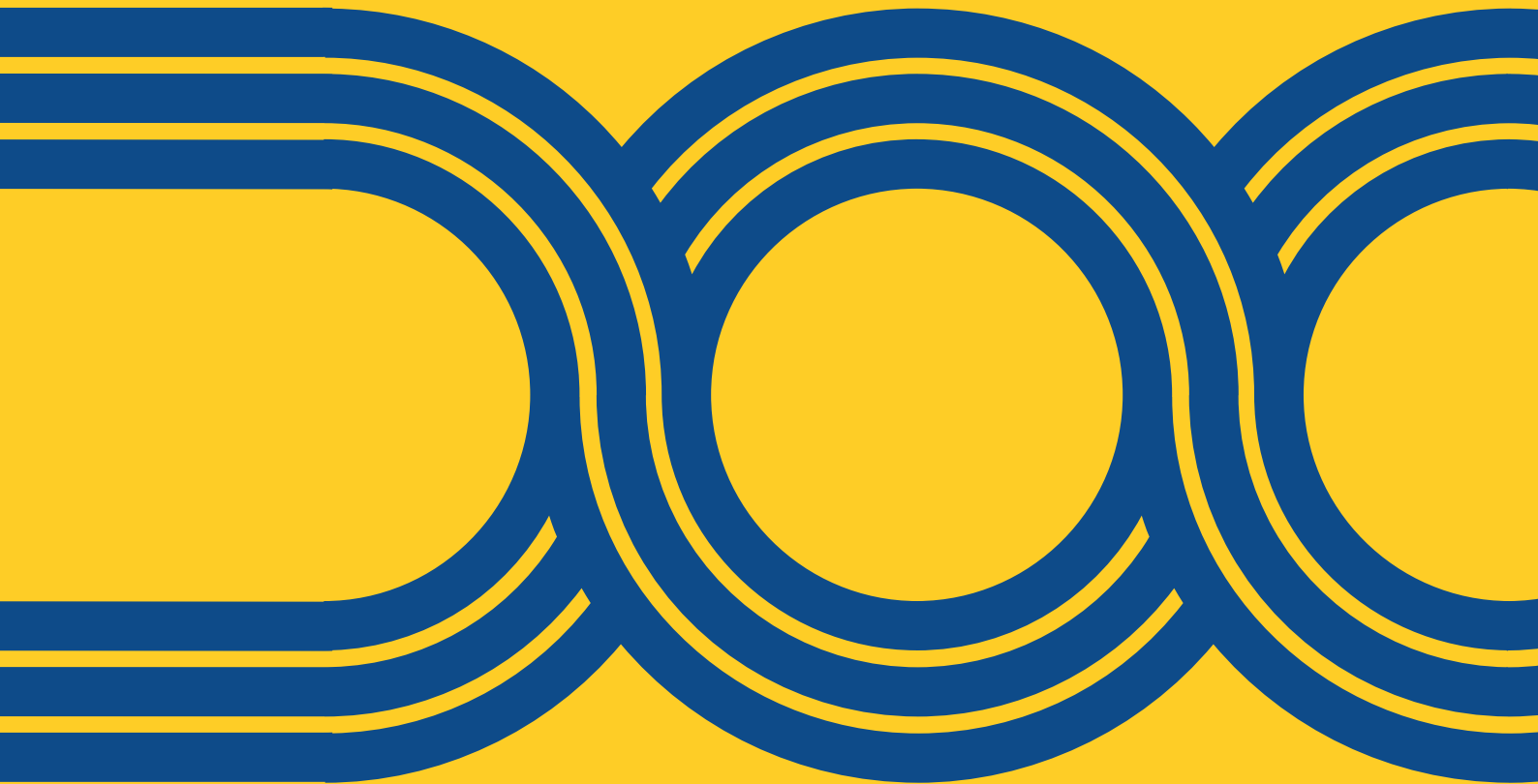




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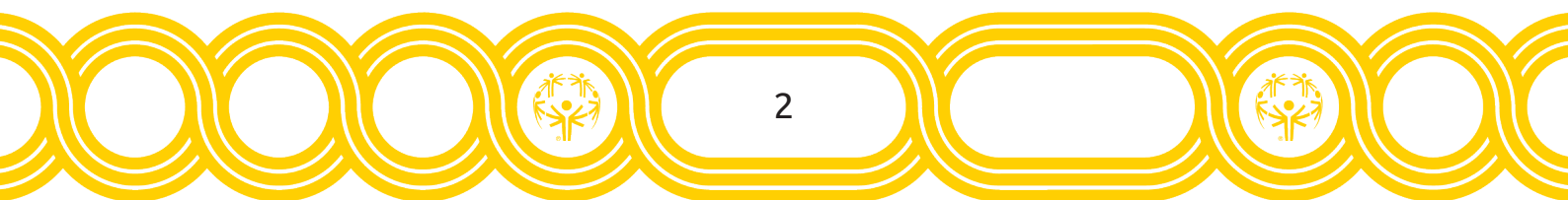
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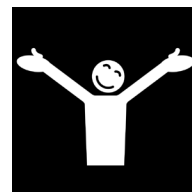
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# Welcome to SOSIG!



We are so happy that you will participate.

Here you will meet new friends, experience exciting competitions and feel the joy of competing together with others.

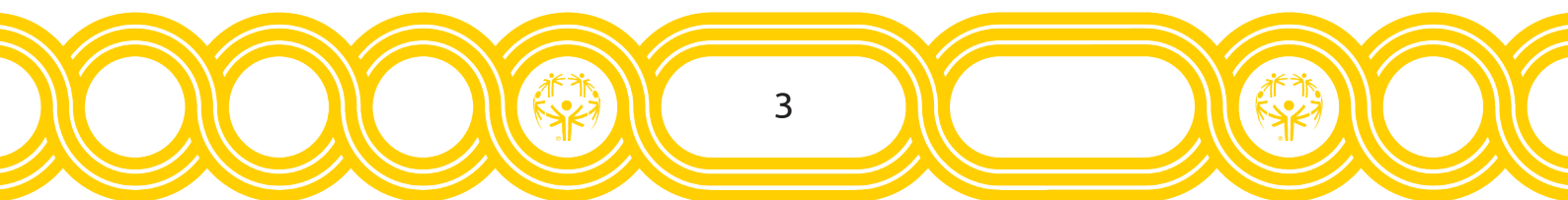
There will be athletes from Sweden and 25 other countries who will be competing in Malmö!

**The most important thing to remember is to:**

- **Have fun**
- **Do your best**
- **Be part of the community with all the athletes and leaders**

We at Special Olympics Sweden really look forward to meeting you!

Best regards,  
Special Olympics Sweden



# Competition Information

## Golf Sport Organizers:

- Malmö Burlöv GK
- Swedish Golf Association



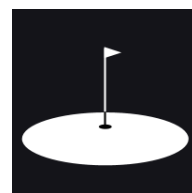
## Contact Details

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## Competition Venue:

**Malmö Burlöv Golfklubb**  
Address: Segesvängen 5, Malmö



## Changing Rooms:

There are changing rooms on site.



## Information session for coaches

Information is given by starter officials at **hole 1 on Saturday morning**.  
Officials are also on site and can answer questions during practice on Friday.



## Other important information

Practice rounds for international players take place on Thursday and Friday.

The player or team leader will be given a time from the golf club for **practice rounds** during the available times.

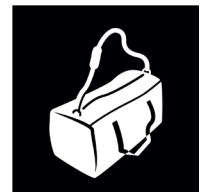
If you do not want or are unable to practice, please inform the golf club.  
**Phone: +46 40 29 25 35**



# Before the Competition

## What to bring:

- Golf equipment (clubs, bag, golf balls, tees, and pitch mark repair tool)
- Playing clothes (shirt and shorts, sports skirt, or trousers)
- Sports shoes
- Accessories (cap or hat, rain clothes if it rains)
- Towel
- Water bottle



## Registration

You should arrive at the golf course about **30 minutes before** the competition starts.

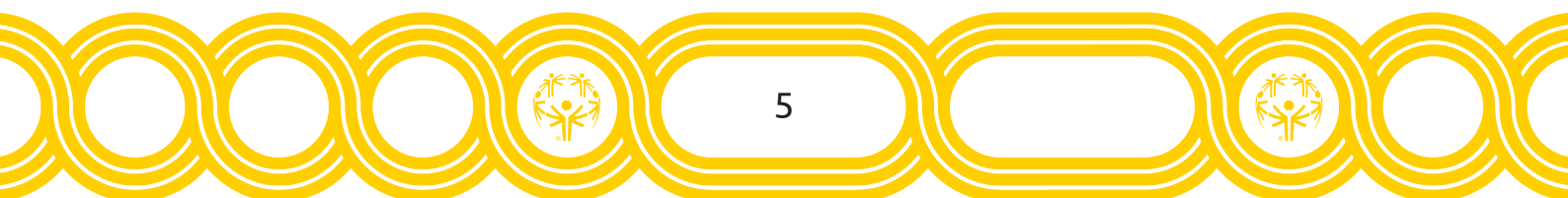
When you arrive, the player or team leader must check in at the registration desk.

You **start from hole 1** at the time you have been assigned for the competition.

You should be at hole 1 about **10 minutes** before your start time.



**Check-in:** Checking in means confirming that you are there and ready to compete.



# During the competition

## Divisioning

Divisioning takes place during your first round on Saturday.

After divisioning, you are placed in a group with players of a similar level.

On Sunday, you play your second round together with the players in your division.

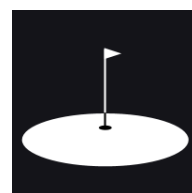


## Competition

The competition is played on both Saturday and Sunday.

### 18-hole class

For players with handicap 0–36. Players with higher handicaps who have chosen to play the 18-hole class can participate.



### 9-hole class

For players with handicap 37–54.

## How a competition works:

1. Players go out on the course in groups.  
Each group has 2 or 3 players.
2. At your start time, you tee off on hole 1.
3. The goal is to get the ball into the hole on the green  
in as few strokes as possible.
4. Scores are counted differently depending on your class.

**In the 18-hole class**, all strokes are counted. This is called stroke play.

**In the 9-hole class**, points are counted against the course par. This is called stableford.

## Lunch

You will have lunch before or after your round.

It depends on your start time.

Because of this, there may be a long time without food.

It is a good idea to bring snacks and drinks with you on the golf course.

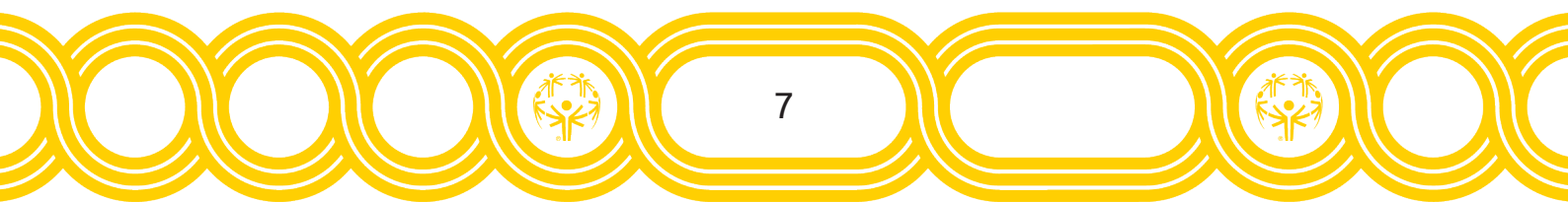


## Award Ceremony

The ceremony takes place on Sunday.

Medals are awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.

All participants receive a participation plaque.



# Packing List

Here are tips on things to pack and bring to Malmö and the competitions.

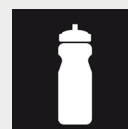
## Match clothes

Clothes you play in



## Water bottle

Marked with you name



## Sports equipment

Golf clubs, bag, balls, tees, pitch mark repair tool



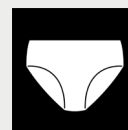
## Non-match clothes

Clothes for when you are not competing



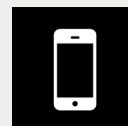
## Underwear and socks

Underwear and socks that lasts your whole stay



## Phone

Don't forget the charger



## Rain wear

If it rains during the opening ceremony for example



## Toiletry bag

Examples of items for your toiletry bag: deodorant, soap, shampoo, conditioner, toothbrush, toothpaste.



## Medicine

If you are taking medicine, it's important to bring it yourself



# Speci-Lo

Speci-Lo is Special Olympics Sweden's mascot.

She is a brave lynx who loves sports almost as much as she loves giving hugs.

Speci-Lo will be at SOSIG and is the athletes' very best friend.

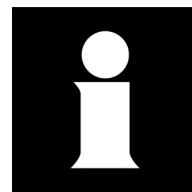
She cheers and encourages and helps the athletes bring out their inner lynx, just as a good friend should.



# General Questions

If you have any questions you can e-mail us.

E-mail address: [info@specialolympics.se](mailto:info@specialolympics.se)



## Website

At <https://www.sogames2026.se/> you find all the information about:

- Competition
- Event
- Peripheral activities



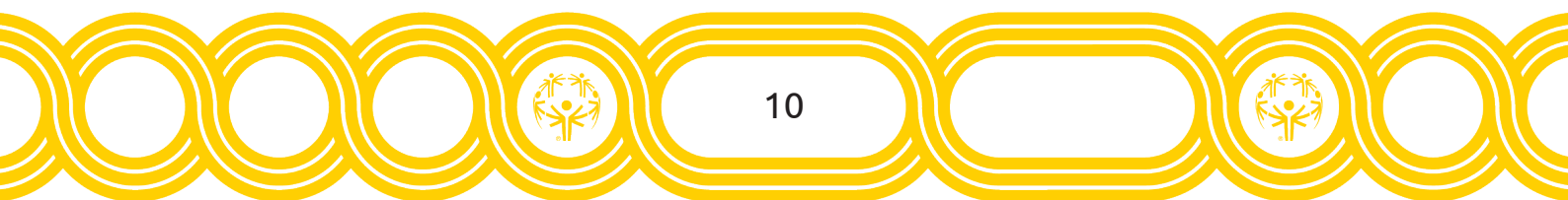
There is always the latest information with updated times.

## See you in Malmö!

We are very much looking forward to meeting you at  
Special Olympics Sweden Invitational Games.

We wish you the best of luck!

**Best regards,**  
Special Olympics Sverige





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