



Bulletin 1

World Ski Orienteering Championships

**March 20th-28th 2011
Tännadalen, Sweden**

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PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

Mar 20 th	Arrival	Mar 25 th	Rest day
Mar 21 st	Model event	Mar 26 th	Long distance
Mar 22 nd	Middle distance	Mar 27 th	Relay
Mar 23 th	Sprint	Mar 28 th	Departure
Mar 24 th	Sprint relay*	Mar 29 th	Reserve day

* There is a proposal that the sprint relay will be added as an official race type for world championships in ski-orienteering. This will be decided at the IOF congress in August 2010. If the proposal is not accepted there will be an unofficial Sprint relay at the 2011 SKI WOC.

VENUE

The event center is located in Tänndalen in the Swedish region of northwest Härjedalen, app. 220 km west of Östersund and app. 590 km northwest of Stockholm. Nearest airport is Rörös in Norway (60 km) and Östersund (220 km).

The competition center and event office will be located at Hotel Tänndalen. The start and finish areas will be within 1 km of the hotel. The altitude above sea level is app. 800 m.

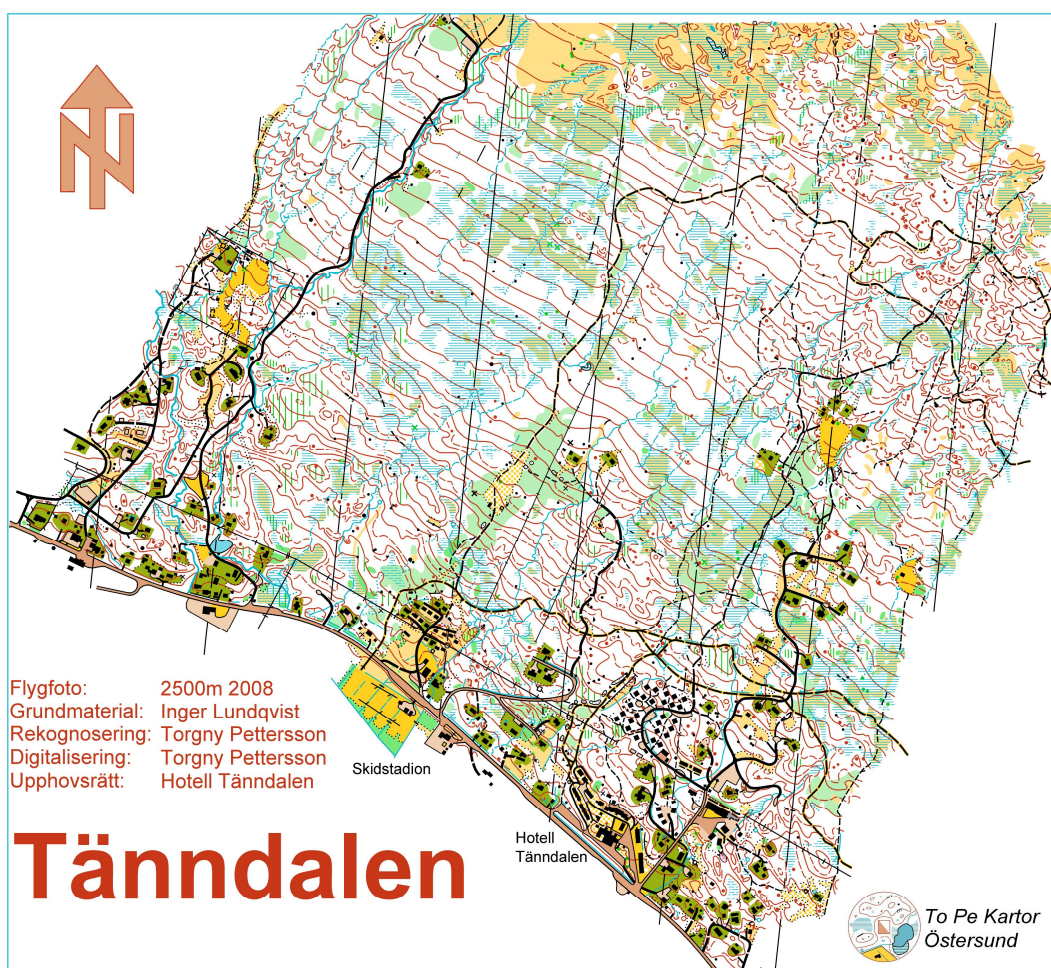
The venue is situated on a rather steep area on the side of one large mountain. The terrain includes both less and more detailed contours, is mostly forest, and has some large marshes. Height differences are up to about 180 m. The area has some permanent trails for cross-country skiing and will have many trails specially for ski-orienteering added.

OVERVIEW MAP – Sweden/Tänndalen



No ski-O or foot-O competitions has been organised in the area earlier. Present foot-O map covers only 3 sqkm. New map for ski-O will be produced during the summer and autumn 2010.

PRESENT FOOT-O MAP – Tänndalen



The present foot-O map and overview map will also be published on the organisers website: www.skiwoc2011.com / link COMPETITION

EMBARGOED AREA

The area within an 8 km radius of Hotel Tänndalen is embargoed from March 2010 to March 2011. For more information see organisers website: www.skiwoc2011.com / link COMPETITION

PARTICIPATION

Each federation may enter seven (7) men and seven (7) women and unlimited number of team officials. For each competition each federation may enter four (4) men and four (4) women and one (1) relay team in each class consisting three (3) members. **Classes: Men/Women**

ACCOMMODATION

All accommodation arranged through the organiser will be at Hotel Tänndalen. In order to provide alternatives for different budgets and preferences we will offer three (3) different categories of accommodation as follow:

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| Cat 1 | Apartment/cottage 2-3 persons, hotel standard, full pension |
| Cat 2 | Apartment/cottage 4-6 persons, full pension |
| Cat 3 | Mattress on floor, with access to simple kitchen facilities |

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More information and costs will be presented in Bulletin 2 and in the organisers website www.skiwoc2011.com / link ACCOMMODATION.



TRAINING



There are a lot of possibilities for cross-country ski training in Tännadalen and Funäsdalen. For more information and accommodation see the websites: www.hotelltanndalen.se or www.funasdalen.se

December 15-21 2010 the Ski-O Tour Club will organise a SKI WOC Training Camp including four ski-o competitions which will be part of the Elite Series of Swedish Ski-O Races called The Swedish Ski-O Tour.

The training camp and races will take place at Idre Fjäll in the north western part of the Swedish region Dalarna (app. 450 km north west of Stockholm). We have chosen Idre Fjäll for these races and training camp because it is comparable to the terrain in Tännadalen and thus this will provide an excellent opportunity for training and racing in international-level races in highly relevant terrain for the SKI WOC 2011. Course setter of competition and camp practises will be the same persons as for the SKI WOC 2011.

For more information about the camp see website: www.swedishski-otour.com (information later) or www.skiwoc2011.com / link TRAINING



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