

Date and location announced for 2024 KAK Midnight Sun Rally

- Sweden's historic rally contest to take place on August 22-24
- Regularity and 4WD classes reinstated; "Rally Icons" confirmed as new category
- Entries to open in the coming month

The 2024 edition of the KAK Midnight Sun Rally, one of Europe's leading historic rallying contests, will take place on August 22-24 with Sweden's picturesque seaside town of Västervik announced as rally HQ.

With roots dating back to 1950, the KAK Midnight Sun Rally is an annual event organized by the Royal Automobile Club of Sweden (KAK). It is one of the most popular historic rallies in Europe, offering competitors a unique, nostalgic high-speed thrill on diverse roads in a scenic summer setting.

In 2024, the event will run in the southeastern parts of Sweden, taking in a rural route in the Västervik, Vimmerby and Hultsfred municipalities. The event HQ will be located in Västervik, featuring an idyllic service park overlooking the Baltic Sea.

The rally will span three legs; one each on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 22-24. The total distance of the rally will be approximately 600 km, including 150 km of special stages.

The 2024 edition will see the reinstatement of the popular **4WD** and **Regularity** classes. Furthermore, a brand-new showcase category – known as **Rally Icons** – is introduced for the first time, welcoming cars and drivers of particular historic significance. This category will run out-of-competition.

For further information about the KAK Midnight Sun Rally, please visit www.midnattssolsrallyt.com.

Quotes

- Philip von Mecklenburg, chairman, KAK Motorsport (Royal Automobile Club of Sweden).

"We are delighted to announce Västervik as hosting venue for the 2024 KAK Midnight Sun Rally. This is the biggest event organized by KAK, and a contest close to heart for so many in the rallying community. We've had a great dialogue with the local authorities and are absolutely convinced that this year's edition will prove one of the most idyllic yet on the shores of the Baltic Sea."

- Harald Hjalmarsson, Västervik municipal commissioner.

"The KAK Midnight Sun Rally is a perfect fit for us in Västervik. We have looked at other hosting municipalities over the years and yearned to stage this event. That is now becoming a reality. With our location in Sweden, we are well-placed to lay out not just attractive stages, but also an enjoyable setting for an event of this size. We look very much forward to welcoming fans and competitors from throughout Europe, and indeed the world, to Västervik in August."