

Lahti Historic Rally 2026

Pre-Information for FIA EHRC Gravel Competitors – Travel Planning.

Key Locations:

The rally is centred in **Lahti**, with the rally all based in **Lahti Harbour** area like previous years.

Service Park, Lahti Harbour	https://maps.app.goo.gl/yYHL328FhqUPkYrV6
Rally HQ - Sibelius Hall	https://maps.app.goo.gl/8XK2pCL1dfcw1NGM8
Trailer Park	https://maps.app.goo.gl/xiZMabS8BGRt72oB7

Timetable of Key Events

Recce Administration/Sign On	07:30 – 18:00 Wednesday 19 th August
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Recce Day 1	08:30 - 17:30 Wednesday 19 th August
Recce Day 2	07:00 – 17:00 Thursday 20 th August
Recce for SS7/11 (City Stage/Super Special)	15:00 – 18:00 Thursday 20 th August only
Scrutineering	From 16:00h on Thursday afternoon.
Pre-Start Holding Area – Lahti Harbour	09:31h, Friday 21 st August
Rally Start	10:01h, Friday 21 st August
Day 1 / Leg 1 Finish	19:17h, Friday
Day 2 / Leg 2 Restart	09:01h, Saturday 22 nd August
Rally Finish	17:05h, Saturday
Final Scrutineering	18:00h, Saturday

Distance from Helsinki-Vantaa Airport:

Approx 100km – motorway all the way.

Ferry Options to Sweden | <https://gemini.google.com/share/a6fd19f61c62>

It is possible to get connecting ferries from **Helsinki and Turku/Naantali** to Sweden – most of these are overnight crossings, but some from Turku are a day crossing (leave morning, arrive evening).

Stockholm to Linköping is approximately 200km of good roads.

Test / Shakedown

There is no official shakedown for the Lahti Historic Rally. However, it is usually the case that there is a private test organised on the Wednesday evening around 30 mins from Lahti. We will ask for more details.

Special Stages - Characteristics

The special stages near to Lahti do not have big jumps in them – they are very smooth, wide and very enjoyable **classic gravel roads**.