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11.-12.7.2025 SM Ralli

Competitor Guide



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SM O.K. Auto Rally 2025
Kouvola, 11–12 July 2025

1. Welcome

Welcome to Kouvola and the SM O.K. Auto Rally! This event is part of the Finnish Rally Championship (SM), Suomi Cup, Junior Rally Series (RSJM), Nordic Rally Championship, and Southeast Finland regional series. The rally is driven in two parts: Friday and Saturday.

2. Rally Office

Location: Sokos Hotel Kouvola Vaakuna, Hovioikeudenkatu 2, Kouvola

Opening hours:

- Thu 10 July, 18:00–21:00
- Fri 11 July, 07:00–21:00
- Sat 12 July, 07:00 until end of event

Contact: Anne Ristola, tel. +358 400 431 413, ksausihteeri@gmail.com

Competitor Liaison Officers:



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3. Important Times

Monday, 7 July at 22:00

Deadline for submission of electronic pre-event forms:

- Recce Registration Form: <https://forms.gle/cgvfmwP6772tvUP67>
- Service Crew Contact Details: <https://forms.gle/bRoLchEEkEPkHYis8>
- Commentator Information Form: <https://forms.gle/UFvHRh2BEbPwuvqGA>

Tuesday, 8 July at 19:00

Closing of Slot Booking System for Scrutineering.

Deadline for submission of scrutineering-related documents.

Thursday, 10 July at 18:00

Distribution of reconnaissance materials begins (Classes 1–22).

Friday, 11 July

07:00 – Continuation of reconnaissance material distribution (Classes 1–22)

Distribution of other competitors' materials begins

08:00 – Reconnaissance begins for SS2–SS8

12:00 – Scrutineering begins

16:00 – Reconnaissance of SS1

17:00 – End of reconnaissance

19:01 – Start of Section 1

Overnight regroup / Parc fermé / Free early check-in allowed

Saturday, 12 July

09:01 – Start of Section 2

09:15 – Service A

13:11 – Service B (Flexi Service)

17:45 – Finish / Final TC, free early check-in allowed

18:00 onwards – Prize-giving at Sokos Hotel Vaakuna (courtyard)

Only awarded crews may drive into the courtyard, under marshals guidance.

4. Materials

Rally Materials:

The following items will be provided at documentation distribution in the Rally Office:

- Road Book
- Three (3) Time Cards
- Two (2) Route Maps
- GPS Tracking Unit
- Two (2) Competition Numbers
- Two (2) Reconnaissance Car Identification Stickers
- One (1) Service Vehicle Pass
- Service Start Time Sheet

Timing Transponders will be distributed before TC0 at Paraatikenttä.

Both the **GPS tracking unit** and **timing transponder** will be collected at the Finish of the rally.

In case of retirement, they must be returned to the nearest Time Control, to the stage dismantling Safety Officer, or brought back to the Rally Office.

5. Scrutineering

Location: A-Katsastus, Tommolankatu 24, Kouvola

Time: Fri 11 July from 12:00

Remember to book a slot in Slotti system 4.7.klo 12.00–8.7. klo 19.00 <https://slotti.fi/booking/rallism/>

If a competitor needs to change the pop-off valve or the turbo, they must contact the scrutineering chief, Petri Rautio, at +358 400 787 967 before making the change.



A-Katsastus, Tommolankatu 24, 45130 Kouvola

6. Service and Trailers

Service area requests and shared service setups:

Service Area Manager: Teuvo Suominen

Tel. +358 40 519 1073 | teuvo.suominen65@gmail.com

Location: Tykkimäki Motor Circuit, Tehontie 51, 45200 Kouvola

Opens: Friday 11 July at 11:00

Service Vehicle Requirements

Each service vehicle must be equipped with a competitor-specific fire extinguisher and an oil absorbent mat, ready for immediate use.

Under the engine compartment of the service vehicle, as well as beneath the rally car, there must be a liquid-impermeable groundsheet covering at least the entire footprint of the vehicle.

Failure to comply with any of the above requirements will result in a sanction determined by the Clerk of the Course.

The use of grills in the service area is strictly prohibited.

Smoking is allowed only in designated areas.

The service crew is allowed to wash the rally car in the service park before final time control / finish.

Service A: 15 minutes.

Service B: Flexi Service. The maximum permitted service time is 40 minutes.

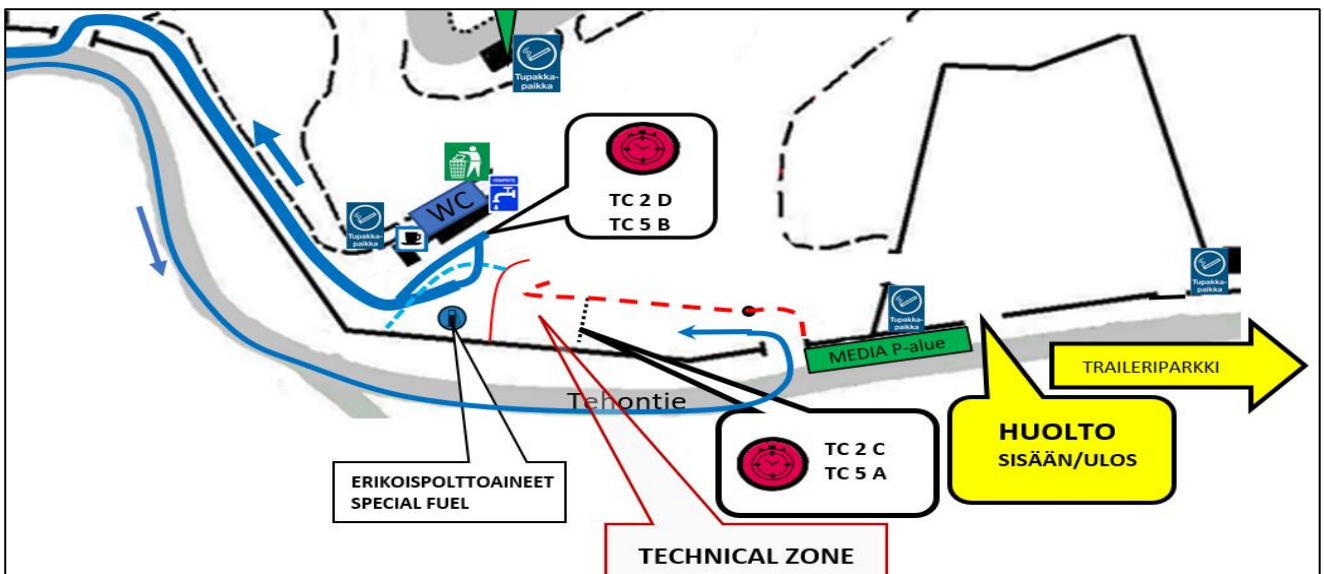
The start and end time of the service must be clearly marked on the time sheet provided in the competitor's documentation and placed visibly in the service area. An electronic display may also be used.

Trailer parking is located at:

Tommolankatu 26, 45130 Kouvola

and at the Tykkimäki circuit area, following local signposts.

All tents in the service area must be securely fastened with sufficient weights. Instructions available via the provided link Tukes guidance on service tent anchoring: [Lightweight, quick-setup, and pop-up tents used at events](#)



7. Refuelling

The refuelling area for manual (canister) refuelling is located in the service park, after the Service Out TC, as well as at ABC Utti.

Refuelling from fuel dispensers is available at ABC Utti.

	SS km	Liasion km	Total km
	EK km	Siirtymä km	Kokonais km
Start - SS 3			
Start- refueling area 1	8,96	49,72	58,68
Lähtö - Tankkausalue 1			
Start- ABC Utti, fuel station	8,96	56,77	65,73
Lähtö - ABC Utti, mittarit			
SS 4 - SS 5			
Refueling area 1 - refueling area 2	19,20	49,16	68,36
Tankkausalue 1 - Tankkausalue 2			
ABC Utti, fuel station - ABC Utti, fuel station	19,20	42,11	61,31
ABC Utti, mittarit - ABC Utti, mittarit			
SS 5 - TC 5 A			
Refueling area 2 - refueling area 2	20,91	61,76	82,67
Tankkausalue 2 - Tankkausalue 2			
ABC Utti, fuel station - ABC Utti, fuel station	20,91	61,76	82,67
ABC Utti, mittarit - ABC Utti, mittarit			
TC 5 B - SS 6			
Refueling area 2 - refueling area 1		7,14	7,14
Tankkausalue 2 - Tankkausalue 1			
ABC Utti, fuel station - ABC Utti, fuel station		14,19	14,19
ABC Utti, mittarit - ABC Utti, mittarit			
SS 7 - SS 8			
Refueling area 1 - refueling area 2	19,20	49,16	68,36
Tankkausalue 1 - Tankkausalue 2			
ABC Utti, fuel station - ABC Utti, fuel station	19,20	42,11	61,31
ABC Utti, mittarit - ABC Utti, mittarit			
SS 8 - FINISH			
Refueling area 2 - refueling area 2	20,91	61,76	82,67
Tankkausalue 2 - Tankkausalue 2			
ABC Utti, fuel station - ABC Utti, fuel station	20,91	61,76	82,67
ABC Utti, mittarit - ABC Utti, mittarit			
Refueling area 2 - FINISH		12,79	12,79
Tankkausalue 2 - MAALI			
ABC Utti, fuel station - FINISH		12,79	12,79
ABC Utti, mittarit - MAALI			
Refueling area 1/Tankkausalue 1	Refueling area 2/Tankkausalue 2		
Service park, Tykkimäki	ABC Utti, Truck park		
Tehontie 51, Kouvola	Lentoportintie 3, Utti		



8. Tyres

Tyre barcode form must be submitted by email **no later than 11 July at 18:00** to: rallismkatsastus@autourheilu.fi
Applies to Classes 1–6.

9. Reconnaissance

Reconnaissance is permitted only for Classes 1–22. Identification stickers must be affixed to the reconnaissance car.

During reconnaissance, competitors must comply with all speed limits on stages.

The maximum speed allowed on special stages during reconnaissance is 80 km/h. Driving in the opposite direction on the stages is strictly prohibited.

Old pace notes: These stages have not been run in this format in the Finnish Championship (SM) rallies.

Parking for reconnaissance vehicles is located in the service park, as indicated by the signs.

10. Rally Schedule

Start at Paraatikenttä, Kouvola

Part 1: Friday 11 July, from 19:01

Part 2: Saturday 12 July, from 09:01

Finish: Sat 12 July at 17:45

11. Results and Prizes

Results will be published in the Sportity app and on the official notice board.

Prize-giving on Sat 12 July at 18:00 at Sokos Hotel Vaakuna courtyard. Only prize-winning crews drive in.

12. Changing Facilities and Showers

Changing rooms and showers are available in the service park.

At the finish of the rally, shower and sauna facilities are also available at Sokos Hotel Vaakuna.

Welcome to Kouvola!