



Welcome to Sweden Star Safir International 2025

The Swedish Table Tennis Association and Safir Table Tennis Club welcome you to Sweden Star - Safir International 2025 in Örebro, Sweden.

DATE AND VENUE

21-23 February 2025 at Idrottshuset, Eyragatan 1, 702 25 Örebro, Sweden

EVENTS AND SYSTEM OF PLAY

Friday 21 February

Mens and Womens Elite - Nittaku Cup
(Prel start men 09.00 and women 12.00)

Groups with 4 or 3 players. Two top players from each group advance to the knockout stage.
16/8 are directly qualified for the knockout stage.

JB20 and JG20 (born 2004 or later)
(Prel start boys 12.00 and girls 15.00)

Groups with 3 or 4 players. Two top players from each group advance to the knockout stage. Up to 16 players are directly qualified for the knockout stage. Matches from semifinals are played on Saturday.

Saturday 22 February

JB18 and JG18 (born 2006 or later)
(Prel start boys 09.00 and girls 10.20)

Groups with 3 or 4 players. Two top players from each group advance to the knockout stage. Up to 16 players are directly qualified for the knockout stage.

B14 and G14 (born 2010 or later)
(Prel start boys 10.50 and girls 13.05)

Groups with 3 or 4 players. Two top players from each group advance to the knockout stage. Up to 16 players are directly qualified for the knockout stage.

B13 and G13 (born 2011 or later)
(Prel start boys 13.05 and girls 12.10)

Knockout competition

JB23 and JG23 (born 2001 or later)
(Prel start boys 14.35 and girls 13.35)

Knockout competition

Sunday 23 February

B16 and G16 (born 2008 or later)
(Prel start boys 09.00 and girls 10.20)

Groups with 3 or 4 players. Two top players from each group advance to the knockout stage. Up to 16 players are directly qualified for the knockout stage.

B12 and G12 (born 2012 or later)
(Prel start boys 10.20 and girls 10.20)

Groups with 3 or 4 players. Two top players from each group advance to the main knockout stage. **All others advance to the consolation tournament.**

B15 and G15 (born 2009 or later)
(Prel start boys 11.45 and girls 10.50)

Knockout competition

ENTRY LIMITATIONS

Each participant can play a maximum of two (2) classes beginning on Saturday.
Players entering B/G 13 **can't** enter JB/JG 18 or JB/JG 23.
Players entering B/G 12 **can't** enter B/G 16.
Women/Girls can't enter in Men/Boys classes.



SEEDING

All classes are seeding according to the Swedish TTA rules.

The official Swedish computer ranking will be used for both Swedish players and international players with a Swedish ranking.

International players without a Swedish ranking may be seeded, after consideration by the tournament organization including the competition manager. In this case the seeding will be reviewed by the Swedish TTA.

SWEDEN STAR TOURNAMENT FEES

Men and Women Elite	500 SEK
Junior Boys and Girls 23	250 SEK
Junior Boys and Girls 20	300 SEK
Junior Boys and Girls 18	300 SEK
Junior Boys and Girls 16	300 SEK
Boys and Girls 15 and 13	200 SEK
Boys and Girls 14 and 12	250 SEK
Administration fee	50 SEK

REGISTRATION

Entry shall be done no later than **January 31st 2025**.

Please use the entry form that can be found at www.btk safir.com

All entries shall be submitted to lars.elwin@btk safir.com.

EQUIPMENT

Tables: Yasaka, (8 tables in main arena, 21 tables in B-hall, 6 tables in C-hall)

Balls: Nittaku 40+ Premium white

SCHEDULE AND DRAWS

Preliminary schedule can be found at www.btk safir.com on February 7th at the latest.

The draw will be conducted at the latest 19.00 on the day before the specific class begins.

Entries, draws and results can be found at www.resultat.ondata.se.

ACCOMMODATION

You can book accommodation at Elite Hotel, City Hotel or Hjalmar/Örebro Hotel through the organizers. Please use the entry form when booking accommodation.

For more information and prices, please check separate leaflet.

For international guests without own transportation, we kindly ask you to contact us at safirinternational@btk safir.com for transportation inquiries.

LUNCH

Lunch will be served at the playing venue and can be ordered separately for 110 SEK.

Please use the entry-/hospitality form at www.btk safir.com.

PRIZE MONEY

Sweden Tour uses the policy of equal prize money for men and women. A total of SEK 40,000 will be awarded in the Elite events and SEK 36,000 in 23, 20 and 18 events.

Prize distribution	Elite events	23, 20 and 18 events
Winner	SEK 8,000	SEK 1,500
Runner-up	SEK 4,000	SEK 1,000
3-4	SEK 2,000	SEK 750
5-8	SEK 1,000	SEK 500

Prize money for the Elite events may be reduced in case of low participation.

Prize money will be paid to the preferred bank account. Any applicable tax will be paid by the player.



GDPR

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MISCELLANEOUS

Players shall use the official clothing of their club or nation. Coaching and time-outs are allowed.

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