





Invitation to Arctic Alta ski & fatbike festival 25th - 2 February 6th

Tverrelvdalen IL has the pleasure of inviting you to a ski&fatbikeevent on Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th of February 2023.

Our goal is to create a big endurance event for Troms and Finnmark with high women's, children and youth participation and in addition to include several of the companies in Alta on the ski relay.

The Arctic Alta Ski Marathon is also part of the Ski Classics Challenger series where one counting Challenger race can give up to 50 points to bring into the Ski Classics battle for the yellow jersey.

The trail has been improved this year so that it requires less snow and will be prepared with a grooming machine all the way. On the fatbike race, snowmobiles and plows are also used.

NB! The trail crosses several road and snowmobile trails, and follows road and snowmobile trails in places. The trail is subject to application and approval for road crossings, and we have trail guards in several places to ensure traffic safety at the event.

Nevertheless, we encourage everyone to show consideration both in traffic and for each other during the competitions.

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Program:

Saturday 25	Exercise	Start time	Startplace	Goalwalk
<u>February</u>				
	42 km ski free technique	Recreational 9-10.30 Competition: 11.00	BUL stadium	Kaiskuru Ski Stadium
	42 km relay 4 legs of 10-12 km	Relay 10:30	BUL stadium	Kaiskuru Ski Stadium
	20 km free technique	Recreational 10-12 Competition 12	Detsika	Kaiskuru Ski Stadium
	12 km free technique	Trim 10-12	Ungdomshuset in Tverrelvdalen	Kaiskuru Ski Stadium
Sunday, February 26	42 km fatbike	Recreational 9-10 Competition 10	BUL stadium	Kaiskuru Ski Stadium
	20 km fatbike	Recreational 10-11 Competition: 11	Detsika	Kaiskuru Ski Stadium

Prices

- NOK 450 for 42 km (recreational and competition)
- NOK 300 for 20 km competition
- NOK 150 for 20 km recreational class
- NOK 100 for 12 km recreational class
- NOK 1200 for relay teams

For those who do not have a license, this is additional. From 13-25, a license costs NOK 60. From 26 years and up, a one-time license costs NOK 150 for competition and NOK 60 for recreational. This is insurance in the event of an accident.

Registration, starting lists and results

Available on www.eqtiming.no, search for Arctic Alta ski marathon 2023 or Arctic Alta fatbike marathon 2023. See www.arcticalta.no or click on the link: Register Arctic Alta ski & fatbike. Registration is open until the day of the competition, but the starting number will be ordered 14 days ahead of the competitions, and it may therefore be empty of the starting bibs if you sign up just in advance. So please sign up early if possible.

Starting number delivery

Picked up at the BUL house in Bossekop Friday evening at 18-19 Lørdag morning at 9-11 Sunday morning from 9 - 10

A start of 20 km can be picked up at the starting area in Detsika on Saturday from 11am-12pm and Sunday from 10-12 am.

For starters of 12 km on Saturday, the starting number can be picked up between 10-12 at Ungdomshuset in Tverrelvdalen.

Awards

- Pull-out prices announced in the café after the finish both days.
- Gift check for top 3 women/men on 42km fatbike and skis
- Prices top 3 in 20 km both days, plus youth class
- Prices top 3 in the ski relay
- Sprintprice (after 10km) and climbing price (after 22km) on 42 km fatbike / ski with 500kr for first woman / men.
- Price ceremony at Kaiskuru Community Centre (café) after the finish both days.

Café and changing rooms/wc

There will be shower facilities and a café at the Kaiskuru community centre. Toilet at BULhuset at start 42km /relay, at start 12 km at Ungdomshuset and at the finish all distances at Kaiskuru community center.

Transport between start and finish

It is possible to take regular bus from the finish in Kaiskuru and back to the city center and Bossekop. Buses run every hour from 12.33 until the evening. Only a few minutes to walk from finish to stop and from disembarking Bossekop back to the starting area.

Bus after finish back to start Bossekop

Start 42 km Bossekop stadium

Start 20 km Detsika

Finish Kaiskuru Ski Stadium

Night

Our main sponsor Æventyr offers great accommodation at <u>canyon hotel in the city center</u> or also very good accomodation experience at <u>Gargia Lodge outside Alta</u>, just a few km from midway through the trail.

Our trail sponsor <u>Bjørnfjell Lodge</u> offers very nice accommodation about 15 km outside the center of Alta, also in connection to the alpine slopes.

We would like to thank all our sponsors, volunteers and partners and we wish all our participants the best of luck with this winter's edition of the Arctic Alta Ski & Fabike Festival!

Greeting

Tverrelvdalen Idrettslag and the Arctic Alta Committee 😂









Machine-operator Ole Fredrik Suhr AS





