

# Invitation Norwegian O-festival 2012

*Øystre Slidre IL and Norwegian O-festivalalliance welcomes all orienteers to  
Norwegian O-festival at Beitostølen 22.-24. June 2012.*

*For more detailed and updated information: [www.o-festivalen.com](http://www.o-festivalen.com)*



## ARENA

Beitostølen World cup stadium. The ski stadium is within walking distance from most accommodation places at Beitostølen. We ask competitors to park at their accommodation if possible. Limited parking available at the arena for a fee of NOK 50,-/day.

## TRANSPORT

Beitostølen is located in the southern part of Norway, approx. 3 hours drive North West from Oslo. There is also an excellent bus connection between Oslo and Beitostølen, see <http://www.valdresekspressen.no/> for details and timetable.

## PROGRAMME

### Friday 22.6

- 13.00-21.00 Event office open at the arena.  
17.00 First start Norwegian O-Festival SPRINT/ SHORT MIDDLE DISTANCE.

### Saturday 23.6

- 09.00-16.00 Event office open at the arena.  
10.00 First start N-Open, W/M-10, W/M11-12 and W/M11-12N.  
11.00 First start Norwegian O-festival LONG DISTANCE.  
14.30 Mass start Team competition W/M-12.  
Evening: Mid summer celebrations Beitostølen.

### Sunday 24.6

- 08.30-16.00 Event office open at the arena.  
10.00 First start Norwegian O-Festival SHORTENED LONG DISTANCE.  
14.00 Award ceremony, closing ceremony.

## ACCOMODATION

Beitostølen offers a wide range of accommodation. Hotels, mountain chalets, apartments and cabins are available in all price categories. Most accommodations are within walking distance of the arena. There is also a camping adjacent to the arena. Please select your accommodation using the following links: [www.beitostolen.com](http://www.beitostolen.com), [www.bookingservice.no](http://www.bookingservice.no), [www.gronolen.no](http://www.gronolen.no), [www.bitigrenda.no](http://www.bitigrenda.no), [www.knuts-hyttegrend.no](http://www.knuts-hyttegrend.no), [www.beitocamp.no](http://www.beitocamp.no), [www.beitostolen-booking.no](http://www.beitostolen-booking.no), [www.bygdin.com](http://www.bygdin.com) (13 km away), [www.kveto-fjellgard.no](http://www.kveto-fjellgard.no), [www.herangtunet.no](http://www.herangtunet.no) (20 km away).

## ACTIVITIES AT BEITOSTØLEN

Beitostølen has a lot to offer in summer for all ages. Spend a day or two before or after the races exploring the mountains, don't forget the legendary "Besseggen"! At Beitostølen the "summer park" has activities for everyone, and «The Kingdom of the Trolls» is also a great attraction. Have a look at the following links for inspiration:

- <http://sommer.beitostolen.com/>  
<http://www.trolleneskongerike.no/>  
<http://www.beito-aktiv.no/>

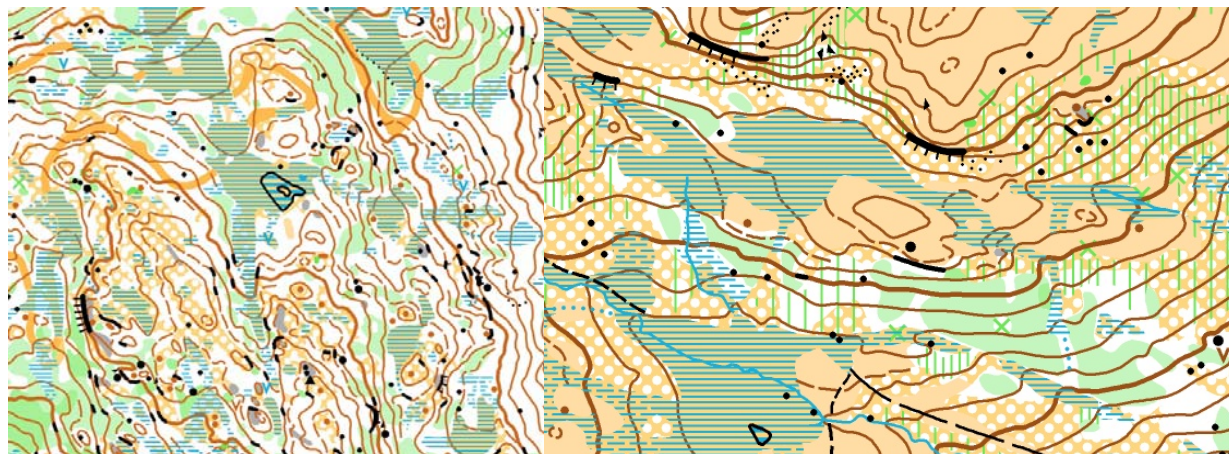
## TERRAINS AND MAPS

The competition area is mountainous terrain, situated between 750 and 1150 meter above sea level. The arena is 820 m above sea level. The vegetation is mixed, from birch forest to pine and spruce. Close to the arena the terrain has several ski tracks and roads, suitable for beginners courses. The runnability is mostly good to excellent, but limited in some areas with rocky ground or dense forest.

Friday the map is in scale 1:5000/2m contours, drawn according to ISSOM (sprint norm)

Saturday Elite classes will use scale 1:15 000. Other classes at start 1 will run 1:10000, while classes at start 2 will use 1:7500.

Sunday all classes from start 1 will use scale 1:10 000, while classes from start 2 will use 1:7500.



## EMBARGOED AREA

A larger area on and around Beitostølen is embargoed for competitors in the Norwegian O-festival. For exact boundaries of the area, please see map at: [www.o-festivalen.com](http://www.o-festivalen.com)

It is allowed to stay in cabins, apartments and similar within the embargoed area, and it is also permitted to use shops and other services in the centre of Beitostølen. In the final information (PM) all competitors will get instructions how to get from accommodations to arena on the competition days.

## START

There will be two start areas on all three days.

### Friday:

Start 1, longer courses: 1500m

Start 2, shorter courses: 500m

### Saturday:

Start 1, longer courses: 1700m

Start 2, shorter courses: 700m

### Sunday:

Start 1, longer courses: 1400m

Start 2, shorter courses: 700m

## PRIZES

Classes younger than 12 years and N-Open: Prizes to all competitors every day.

Classes 13 and 14 years, and W/M13-16C/N: Prizes to the best 1 each day.

Classes 15 and 16 years with chasing start: Prizes for the top 6 Friday and Saturday. Prizes to the best 1/3 overall.

Classes 17-21 years with chasing start: Prizes to the top 6 Friday and Saturday. Prizes to the best 1/6 overall.

Other competition classes 17 years and older: 1-3 prizes each day depending on number of competitors.

## Team competition W/M-12

On Saturday afternoon a team competition for competitors 12 years and younger will be held from the arena. The teams must consist of 3-5 members. Staying together on the course the team should find as many controls as possible during 45 minutes. There will also be some special controls with bonus points during the course. The W/M-12 competitors are welcome- and encouraged- to participate in the individual competition as usual in the morning.

## CLASSES AND COURSES

The classes W15, M15, W16, M16, W17-18E, M17-18E, W19-20E, M19-20E, W21E and M21E will have a three day competition with a chasing start on Sunday. For all other classes there are three individual races without overall ranking. In addition to the classes below, entry on the day courses with different lengths will be available. Course lengths are preliminary. Updated course lengths available at [www.o-festivalen.com](http://www.o-festivalen.com).

Class	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Start	Class	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Start
<b>Chase start</b>					<b>Chase start</b>				
M15	2,3	5,5	4,5	1	W15	2,0	4,7	4,0	1
M16	2,5	6,5	5,0	1	W16	2,2	5,5	4,5	1
M17-18E	2,7	8,5	6,5	1	W17-18E	2,3	6,5	5,0	1
M19-20E	2,8	10,5	8,5	1	W19-20E	2,4	7,0	5,5	1
M21E	3,0	14,5	9,5	1	W21E	2,6	9,0	6,5	1
<b>A-level</b>					<b>A-level</b>				
M17-20	3,0	7,0	5,0	1	W17-20	2,8	5,5	4,8	1
M17A-Short	3,0	6,0	4,8	1	W17A-Short	2,8	4,7	4,2	1
M21-	4,0	10,5	7,0	1	W21-	3,2	8,0	6,0	1
M35-	3,5	9,0	6,5	1	W35-	3,0	6,5	5,0	1
M35A-Short	-	5,0	4,2	1	W35A-Short	-	4,0	3,5	2
M40-	3,5	8,0	6,0	1	W40-	3,0	6,0	4,5	1
M45-	3,5	7,0	5,5	1	W45-	3,0	5,5	4,5	1
M45A-Short	-	4,0	3,5	2	W45A-Short	-	3,5	3,0	2
M50-	3,0	6,5	5,0	1	W50-	2,5	5,0	4,0	1
M55-	3,0	6,0	4,5	1	W55-	2,5	4,5	3,5	2
M60-	2,5	5,0	4,0	1	W60-	2,0	4,0	3,0	2
M65-	2,5	4,5	3,5	2	W65-	2,0	4,0	3,0	2
M70-	2,5	4,0	3,0	2	W70-	2,0	3,0	2,5	2
M75-	2,0	4,0	2,5	2	W75-	2,0	3,0	2,5	2
M80-	2,0	3,0	2,5	2	W80-	2,0	3,0	2,5	2
M85-	2,0	3,0	2,5	2					
<b>B-level</b>					<b>B-level</b>				
M13	2,0	3,5	3,0	2	W13	2,0	3,5	3,0	2
M14	2,5	4,0	3,5	2	W14	2,0	4,0	3,5	2
M17B	3,0	7,0	4,0	1	W17B	3,0	5,0	4,0	1
<b>C-level</b>					<b>C-level</b>				
M11-12	2,0	3,0	2,5	2	W11-12	2,0	3,0	2,5	2
M13-16C	2,0	3,0	2,5	2	W13-16C	2,0	3,0	2,5	2
M17C	2,5	3,5	3,0	2	W17C	2,5	3,5	3,0	2
<b>N-level</b>									
M-10	1,5	2,0	2,0	2	W-10	1,5	2,0	2,0	2
M11-12N	1,5	2,0	1,5	2	W11-12N	1,5	2,0	1,5	2
M13-16N	2,0	2,5	2,0	2	W13-16N	2,0	2,5	2,0	2
M17N	2,0	2,5	2,0	2	W17N	2,0	2,5	2,0	2
N-Open	1,5	2,0	1,5	2					

## ENTRY

Entry is done through Eventor:

<http://eventor.orientering.no/Events>

**Entry deadline is Monday 11th June kl. 23.59**

**Deadline for late entries is Wednesday 20th June kl. 23.59.**

After this date only entry on day courses are available.

### **Punching:**

EMIT punching system. Please enter EMIT number together with your entry.

Entered competitors without EMIT-number will get a rental EMIT card from the organisers. Fee NOK 40/day.

### **Entry fees**

W/M10-16 years: NOK 120 /race.

Late entry fee (from 13-16 years) NOK 60 /race.

Elitclasses junior and senior: NOK 240 / race.

Late entry fee: NOK 120 /race.

Other classes W/M 17- years NOK 240 /race.

Late entry fee: NOK 120 /race.

N-Open: NOK 120 /race. Including extra map for follower.

Entry on the day: NOK 180 /race.

Team competition W/M-12 (3-5 athletes/team) NOK 360.

All competitors from clubs outside Norway need to pay their starting fee before they are permitted to start.

Please pay starting fee to the following address/bank account:

Single participants and smaller clubs are allowed to pay at the event office. Please note that start number bibs will not be handed out until payment is made.

Øystre Slidre Idrettsarrangement AS

Idrettens Hus

2953 Beitostølen

Bank account 2135.35.47906

IBAN account NO5021353547906

SWIFT-code DNBANOKK

BIC-code OYSLNO21XX

Please note that all bank-transfer costs are to be paid by the participant.

## **Organisers**

Event director: Erik Østli, contact: [info@o-festivalen.com](mailto:info@o-festivalen.com)

Director sport/courses: Jørn Sundby

Mapper: Helge Gisholt

Timekeeping/entries: Dagfinn Øksenholt

Event controllers: Yngve Mobråthen (Friday and Sunday), Jan Arild Johnsen (Saturday).