



Hämeenlinna March 7th, 2011

Dear friend,

On the occasion of the 61st Youth F.I.C.C. Rally in Helsinki SF-Caravan is pleased to invite You and confirm your registration. Warmly welcome in Helsinki!

The 61st Youth F.I.C.C. Rally is held in the Stadion Hostel. Stadion Hostel is the first HI Quality certified hostel in Finland. This certificate was given by Hostelling International. Stadion Hostel is located right at the Helsinki Olympic Stadium. There are good transport connections from/to the city centre and from/to airport from the Stadion Hostel. There are also some food stores and many good restaurants nearby.

During the Rally Stadion Hostel is fully booked. All together there are nearly 200 participants from 12 countries. We are very happy for your active participation!

General Information

In order to make your stay as pleasant as possible, it is very important that you are familiar with the following:

- The hostel reception is open 24 hours a day.
- The front door is open from 7.00 in the morning till midnight. During the night, please, ring the doorbell and the night staff will open the door for you.
- Breakfast is served from 7.30 to 10.30am.
- One key card is provided for each participant. He/she is then responsible for his/her own key. Please be sure to take your card with you when leaving the room. Apart from the room, you need it to enter the corridors.
- Smoking is strictly prohibited anywhere in the house.
- You are welcome to use hostels guest kitchen, however, you will most likely to have to share it with all the other participants.
- In the kitchen all basic cooking equipment is found: stove, oven, microwave oven, coffeemaker, waterboiler and toaster. There are also pots, pans, cutlery, plates and cups. There are four fridges to store your food in.
- In the kitchen there is a dishwasher too.

Please note that rooms will be checked and cleaned daily. Hostel personal expects to find the rooms in reasonable condition in order for the cleaner to move around and tidy the room.

Used bed linen and towels should be returned in the basket at the reception area on departure.

Hostel services

There is a storage room which you can use on arrival and departure days. There are lockers for rent in the corridors and also smaller lockers in 9-12 –bedded rooms. The lockers can be locked with your own padlock.

Hostel offers free internet access. There is a guest computer in the cafeteria and wireless LAN network covering the cafeteria and reception area.

Hostel has a self-service laundry room with washing machines and dryers. You can buy a key card and washing powder at reception.

Hostel sells Helsinki cards and transport tickets at reception. To ensure that hostel has enough cards in stock for all, please book them in advance. Please make your reservations by e-mail groups@stadionhostel.fi

Travel cards

You can buy travel cards for the public transportation in Helsinki from hostel reception. The travel cards give you an unlimited use of public transport

Prices for Helsinki tourist tickets are:

1 day card: 6,80 Euros, 2 day card 10,20, 3 day card 13,60, 4 day card 17,00, 5 day card 20,40, 6 day card 23,80 and 7 day card 27,20 EUR

Welcoming desk

SF-Caravan welcoming desk will be open from 12.00 Thu 21 April until 12.00 Mon 25 April. You will get information about the program, ceremonies, meetings and leisure activities.


Information before the rally:

If you have something to ask about the rally, travel and tourism services, Helsinki, Finland or anything, please, do not hesitate to contact us:

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We are looking forward to meeting you in Helsinki!

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