

Information about Popkollo

What is Popkollo?

Popkollo is an organization for girls and trans youth, organizing music camps foremost for 12 to 18 years olds, but also for women and trans people over 18. At a typical Popkollo camp the participants learn how to play instruments, form bands, write songs, participate in inspiring workshops and perform live. You are not required to have any prior musical knowledge when coming to our camps, the only thing needed is a passion for music. We adapt our camps to fit everyone's needs, regardless of previous experience and knowledge. All our mentors have completed a Popkollo mentor training where they learn techniques on how to create the best possible environment for everyone to participate and be creative together. If you already have some musical experience, Popkollo offers genre-specific camps, such as jazz or metal/punk.

Our summer camps are arranged by non-profit organizations at several locations around the country.

Participation Fee

We offer participants the option of choosing a fee between a certain price range, depending on their ability to pay. If the lowest amount on the scale is too high, it is possible to apply for an even lower fee when filling in the camp application. Your ability to pay does not affect your probability of being accepted to a camp. Neither does it affect your possibilities and opportunities when at the camp.

The participation fee for a summer camp with overnight stays ranges between 1500-7500 SEK.

The participation fee for a day camp without overnight stays ranges between 150-2500 SEK.

Languages

At the camps the mentors generally speak Swedish and English, however we want to recruit more mentors with other language skills as well. If you or an acquaintance has knowledge in non-nordic languages and want to support this mission, please contact us.

Application

Applications are done by filling out an application form on our website, popkollo.se. If you have any questions or need help with the application, you can contact the person stated below.

Accessibility

The facilities for the camp are checked according to a checklist to ensure that they are accessible, for example if there is an elevator, large toilets, ramps and distinct lighting. Information about accessibility for each camp is presented on our website popkollo.se.

Popkollo summer camps 2018

Popkollo 12-16 years old (with overnight stay)

Popkollo Sundsvall (Kramfors) 25 June - 1 July

Popkollo Umeå (Umeå) 25 June - 3 July

Popkollo Göteborg (Kungälv) 2 July - 8 July

Popkollo Katrineholm (Katrineholm) 7 July - 14 July

Popkollo Norrbotten (Älvsbyn) 9 July - 15 July

Popkollo Göteborg (Tjörn) 16 July - 22 July

Popkollo Falun (Avesta) 6 August - 12 August

Popkollo Botkyrka (Botkyrka) 6 August - 12 August

Popkollo Continuation 14-18 years old (with overnight stay)

Popkollo Hultsfred (Hultsfred) 30 June - 8 July

Popkollo Göteborg (Kungälv) 2 July - 8 July

Popkollo Göteborg (Tjörn) 16 July - 22 July

Popkollo Norrbotten (Älvsbyn) 17 July - 24 July

Popkollo Specialized 14–18 years old (with overnight stay)

Popkollo IMPRA (Vikingstad) 16 June - 20 June (Jazz)

Popkollo Göteborg (Kungälv) 25 June - 1 July (Metal/Punk)

Folkkollo (Mölndal) 16 July - 22 July (Folk music)

Popkollo Dagkollo (Day camp without overnight stay)

Popkollo Göteborg 18 June - 21 June (12-16 years old)

Popkollo Botkyrka 10 July - 15 July (12-16 years old)

Popkollo Göteborg (Vänernsborg) 24 July - 28 July (12-16 years old)

Popkollo Göteborg 31 July - 4 August (14-18 years old)

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