

# 2006 Swedish Touring Car Championship

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The **2006 Swedish Touring Car Championship** season was the 11th [Swedish Touring Car Championship](#) (STCC) season. In total nine racing weekends at six different circuits were held; each round comprising one race.

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## Changes for 2006
















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- The race format and points system was changed. During the 2006 season one race of 40 minutes was held each weekend. Each race had one mandatory pitstop.
- The points system changed to the standard FIA system of 10-8-6-5-4-3-2-1.
- A privateers championship named Caran Cup was created for drivers using cars constructed in 2003 or earlier

## Teams and drivers

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List of starting drivers for the 2006 Swedish Touringcar Championship season.

| Team                                      | Car                 | No. | Drivers   |
|---|---------------------|-----|---|
| Drivers' Championship                     |                     |     |   |
| Flash Engineering                         | BMW 320si E90       | 1   |  <a href="#">Richard Göransson</a>       |
|   |                     | 4   |  <a href="#">Edward Sandström</a>        |
|   |                     | 9   |  <a href="#">Jan Nilsson</a>             |
| Kristoffersson Motorsport                 | Audi A4             | 2   |  <a href="#">Thed Björk</a>              |
|   |                     | 6   |  <a href="#">Fredrik Ekblom</a>          |
|   |                     | 10  |  <a href="#">Tommy Kristof fersson</a>   |
| Crawford Racing                           | BMW 320si E90       | 3   |  <a href="#">Carl Rosenblad</a>          |
| <a href="#">Honda Engström Motorsport</a> | Honda Accord        | 5   |  <a href="#">Tomas Engström</a>          |
| <a href="#">Polestar Racing</a>           | Volvo S60           | 7   |  <a href="#">Robert Dahlgren</a>         |
|   |                     | 17  |  <a href="#">Alexander Storckenfeldt</a> |
| Opel Team Sweden                          | Opel Astra GTC 2000 | 8   |  <a href="#">Nicklas Karlsson</a>        |
| West Coast Racing                         | BMW 320i            | 11  |  <a href="#">Duncan Huisman</a>          |
|   |                     | 12  |  <a href="#">Robin Rudholm</a>           |
| Mercedes-Benz Sport                       | Mercedes C200       | 14  |  <a href="#">Hans Simonsson</a>          |
|   |                     | 15  |  <a href="#">Tobias Johansson</a>        |
| MA GP/Team caWalli                        | Alfa Romeo 156      | 20  |  <a href="#">Mattias Andersson</a>       |
| IPS Motorsport                            | Peugeot 407         | 21  |  <a href="#">Johan Stureson</a>          |
|   |                     | 22  |  <a href="#">Stefan Söderberg</a>        |
| Picko Troberg Racing                      | BMW 320i            | 44  |  <a href="#">David Björk</a>             |
| STCC Challenge                            |                     |     |   |
| Gellerstedt Motorsport                    | BMW 320i            | 94  |  <a href="#">Christer Gellerstedt</a>   |
| Malmborg Racing                           | Ford Focus          | 95  |  <a href="#">Håkan Malmborg</a>        |
| Tysslinge Racing                          | BMW 320R            | 97  |  <a href="#">Tobias Tegelby</a>        |
| Team Euromaster                           | BMW 320i            | 98  |  <a href="#">Joakim Fridh</a>          |




## Race Calendar

| Round | Circuit  | Date         | Winning driver    | Winning team              |
|-------|--|--------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| 1     |  <a href="#">Ring Knutstorp</a>         | 14 May       | Thed Björk        | Kristoffersson Motorsport |
| 2     |  <a href="#">Karlskoga Motorstadion</a> | 28 May       | Robert Dahlgren   | Polestar Racing           |
| 3     |  <a href="#">Mantorp Park</a>           | 18 June      | Richard Göransson | Flash Engineering         |
| 4     |  <a href="#">Falkenbergs Motorbana</a>  | 16 July      | Thed Björk        | Kristoffersson Motorsport |
| 5     |  <a href="#">Vålerbanen</a>             | 30 July      | Richard Göransson | Flash Engineering         |
| 6     |  <a href="#">Anderstorp</a>             | 13 August    | Richard Göransson | Flash Engineering         |
| 7     |  <a href="#">Karlskoga Motorstadion</a> | 27 August    | Thed Björk        | Kristoffersson Motorsport |
| 8     |  <a href="#">Ring Knutstorp</a>         | 10 September | Richard Göransson | Flash Engineering         |
| 9     |  <a href="#">Mantorp Park</a>           | 1 October    | Richard Göransson | Flash Engineering         |

### Championship standings (after 9 of 9 rounds)

## Drivers

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|----|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|--------|----------------------------|
| 2  |  <u>Göransson</u>       | 5   | 13  | 1   | 10  | 1   | 1   | 8   | 1   | 1   | 55 | Bronze | 3rd place                  |
| 3  |  <u>Huisman</u>        | 4   | Ret | 3   | 3   |     | 2   | 2   | 5   | 10  | 37 | Green  | Points finish              |
| 4  |  <u>Ekblom</u>         | 2   | 10  | 4   | Ret | 3   | 8   | 10  | 3   | 5   | 30 | Blue   | Non-points finish          |
| 5  |  <u>Engström</u>       | 3   | 2   | Ret | 16  | 5   | Ret | 4   | 9   | 3   | 29 | Purple | Non-classified finish (NC) |
| 6  |  <u>Dahlgren</u>       | Ret | 1   | Ret | 2   | 12  | 3   | Ret | 6   | 7   | 29 | Red    | Retired (Ret)              |
| 7  |  <u>Rudholm</u>        | 14  | 5   | 2   | 11  | 6   | 9   | 3   | 7   | 6   | 26 | Black  | Did not qualify (DNQ)      |
| 8  |  <u>Stureson</u>       | 7   | 4   | Ret | Ret | 7   | 5   | 5   | 11  | Ret | 17 | White  | Did not pre-qualify (DNPQ) |
| 9  |  <u>Nilsson</u>        | 8   | 7   | Ret | 4   | Ret | 4   | 9   | 8   | 12  | 14 |        | Disqualified (DSQ)         |
| 10 |  <u>Kristoffersson</u> | Ret | 12  | 5   | 9   | 4   | 13  | 16  | 4   | Ret | 14 |        | Did not start (DNS)        |
| 11 |  <u>D. Björk</u>       | 6   | 6   | 6   | 13  | Ret | 6   | 15  | 14  | 8   | 13 | Blank  | Withdrew (WD)              |
| 12 |  <u>Rosenblad</u>      | 9   | 11  | Ret | 7   | 10  | 10  | 7   | 10  | 2   | 12 |        | Race cancelled (C)         |
| 13 |  <u>Karlsson</u>       | Ret | 8   | Ret | Ret | 9   | 7   | 6   | 15  | 13  | 6  |        | Did not participate (DNP)  |
| 14 |  <u>Storckenfeldt</u>  | 12  | 9   | Ret | 5   | Ret | DSQ | 11  | 13  | 9   | 4  | Blank  | Excluded (EX)              |
| 15 |  <u>Andersson</u>      | 13  | 11  | DNS | 6   | 8   | 11  | 12  | 12  | 10  | 4  |        |                            |
| 16 |  <u>Fridh</u>          | Ret | 15  | 8   | 15  | Ret | 12  | 14  | 17  | 15  | 1  |        |                            |
| 17 |  <u>Söderberg</u>      | 11  | 18  | 9   | 8   | Ret | Ret | Ret | Ret | Ret | 1  |        |                            |
| 18 |  <u>Johansson</u>      | 16  | 14  | DNS | 12  | 11  | 14  | DNS | 16  | DNS | 0  |        |                            |
| 19 |  <u>Simonsson</u>      | DNS | Ret | Ret | Ret | Ret | DNS | 13  | 19  | 14  | 0  |        |                            |
| 20 |  <u>Tegelby</u>        | 17  | 16  | Ret | 14  | 13  | 15  | Ret | 20  | Ret | 0  |        |                            |
| 21 |  <u>Gellerstedt</u>   | 15  | Ret | 10  | 17  |     | Ret | Ret | 18  | 16  | 0  |        |                            |
| 22 |  <u>Sandström</u>    | 10  | 17  | Ret |     |     |     |     |     |     | 0  |        |                            |
| 23 |  <u>Malmberg</u>     |     |     |     |     |     |     | Ret |     | Ret | 0  |        |                            |

| STCC Teams Championship |                       |        |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|--------|
| Position                | Make                  | Points |
| 1                       | KMS/Audi              | 65     |
| 2                       | Flash/BMW             | 64     |
| 3                       | WCR/BMW               | 54     |
| 4                       | Engström/Honda        | 38     |
| 5                       | Polestar/Volvo        | 35     |
| 6                       | IPS/Peugeot           | 30     |
| 7                       | Elgh/BMW              | 24     |
| 8                       | PTR/BMW               | 18     |
| 9                       | Dealer Team/Opel      | 10     |
| 10                      | MA GP/Alfa Romeo      | 9      |
| 11                      | MB Sport/PWR/Mercedes | 1      |

| STCC Manufacturers Championship |            |        |
|---------------------------------|------------|--------|
| Position                        | Make       | Points |
| 1                               | BMW        | 72     |
| 2                               | Audi       | 68     |
| 3                               | Volvo      | 42     |
| 4                               | Honda      | 41     |
| 5                               | Peugeot    | 33     |
| 6                               | Alfa Romeo | 20     |
| 7                               | Opel       | 18     |
| 8                               | Mercedes   | 8      |

| Caran Cup |                      |        |
|-----------|----------------------|--------|
| Position  | Driver               | Points |
| 1         | Joakim Frid          | 68     |
| 2         | Tobias Tegelby       | 50     |
| 3         | Christer Gellerstedt | 32     |

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