

*Welcome*

# PROGRAM

17-20 JUNE 2022

SWEDEN/SÖDERTÄLJE/JÄRNA

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## The Council of European Grandmothers

# COUNCIL MEETING

*TOPIC: LIFE*

*- what wants and needs the care for life on earth now !*

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## BACKGROUND

In Europe and around the world, we see that the relationship between people, cultures, groups and countries is weakening more and more. The relationship with nature is interrupted in several places. The ecosystem is collapsing and the weakening of our living environment is now happening at an increasing rate and in different ways. We have created a system of life that in many places promotes abuses on earth, borders and people. The thread of life that all life holds is woven by the colors of diversity to become viable and resilient. Yet diversity is still pronounced difficult and unnecessary, even where it is the solution. It is as if we have forgotten what is central to the conditions of life on earth and to a relational balance.



At the same time as living conditions on earth are weakening at an increasing rate, new seeds are growing in new furrows. New and old sustainable solutions are gaining a stronger voice and popping up all over Europe, solutions that support the basis for caring for life on earth. **Järna and Södertälje** have a long tradition of living multinationally, leading unconventionally and finding conscious long-term solutions. That's why we meet right here in the middle of diversity and ask ourselves the questions that show us the answers.

*What are we doing now so that caring for life can once again become important and be the basis for the development of a sustainable life- & society system !?*

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## FREDAG

Opening ceremony/concert

Time: 9pm - 8,30 pm Place: S:T Ragnhilds church

*Unbooked seats - Free entrance!*

IN YEAR 101

*“101 t tones - Human diversity in a reconciliation and union  
which blurs resistance and human boundaries”*

Diversity is one of the keys to achieving balance on earth, both for the sake of the climate, for the development of society and for peace. For four days, Women in Sweden from 14 countries in Europe gather in a Council meeting 17 - 20 June 2022. The opening concert in St. Ragnhild's Church is a woven composition of music, song, formation design and storytelling, where life's meaning and need for diversity is described and received a voice. The council meeting opens with a fanfare for life and peace and the concert ends with a diverse circle where 101 women and youngsters of different ages from different European countries / peoples take place. Men / hen are also invited and are an important part of the concert's content and program items.

*The Concert is a co creation between The Council of European Grandmothers/Edda Sverige/Swedish Church in Södertälje/Reading promotion institute-LFI*



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FREDAG - LÖRDAG - SÖNDAG - Ytterjärna Kulturcentrum

LIV - 3 UTSTÄLLNINGAR

**Eike Eschholz:** Wallfahrt- 13 women- 13 qualities - 13 countries. **Elisabeth Ubbe** - Life's först second on earth. **Ute Drexel** - The beauty and magic of nature.

**FOR THE CHILDREN AND THE GROWN UP**

**Storytelling:** In different places (outdoor/indoor) in the culture house and in the garden during the weekend. Program in the entrance.

Time: 1.30 pm. Storyteller Isa Tibbling, Sweden and Sami Grandmother Beate Heide, Sapmi

**Come and paint and create** together with the visual artist: Elisabeth Cardell

SATURDAY - Ytterjärna Culture center

**Council meeting dialog - Part I**

Location: Large conference hall.

Form: 'The art of a multialog'

Theme: Life - What is life, how does it arise and what supports its conditions?

Time: 10.00-12.00.

LUNCH

**Meditation in the Rose Garden**

Meditation at the rose garden in the arbor in front of the Culture house to tunes by Cello and words: Eva Fash. Time: 2pm.

*Bring your own Yoga mat/blanket/chair*

**'END ECOCIDE'** - as leverage and support for life, society, climate, nature and business conditions. Guest lecturer: Pella Thiel. Time: 2pm - 2,30pm.

**Council meeting dialog - Part I**

Time: 3-5pm (Fika: 4pm) Tema: Life - What do we want to do with our right and maternal obligation to influence development so that care for life on earth is and will be important?

Form: 'The art of a multi-dialog'. *Council Dialog - book your participation here:*

EVENING DINE

Sunday - Ytterjärna Culture Center

**COUNCIL MEETING DIALOGUE - Part III**

Together we condense and make visible the essence

Time: 10 - 12 am

LUNCH

**Meditation** before the 'planting' of the weekend's dialogue essence in the final ceremony.  
Meditation leader: Eva Fasth. Time: 2pm

Time: 3pm Tema: **FINAL! Ceremoni & Manifestation FÖR LIV** Utomhus!

**Evening activity in stillness - The summer solstice fire** by the Baltic Sea. Time: 8pm.

## CONTENT

### COUNCIL MEETING DIALOG TOPIC: LIFE

LÖRDAG Ytterjärna Kulturcentrum

#### COUNCILMEETING DIALOG - in 3 part´s

Topic: LIFE- what wants and needs the care for life on earth now?!

A dialogue process in three parts (Saturday/Sunday where we together women / men / hen from different countries dialog and process about the subject of life from different directions. We turn and twist the truths to find the "acupuncture point" that we see can make a difference. We ask ourselves questions such as:

Do we know enough about the innermost essence of life, its power and needs since our life systems are currently disintegrating its conditions? In Sweden, the road to a new 100 years of women's voice and decision-making begins this year. What do we want to create during this decade with our vote and both through and outside the right to vote? What do we want to do so that the care for life on earth becomes central, so that beyond blocks and boundaries it can permeate decisions and choices both for humans and for an entire life system / nature / society.

#### Part I

Dialog: What is LIFE - the obvious, fragile and powerful thread that carries all life on our earth. how it arises and what supports its conditions. We want thoughts and our natural wisdom regarding this subject of care for life - all that lives - which is the basis for; peace, climate, relationships, economy and all life on the planet.

#### Part II

Women have an important role to play in the change we need to bring about now in the world. We have just reached 100 years of women's suffrage in Sweden. In 2022, the new 100 years will begin and it is therefore important to stop in year 101 and ask the question:

- ❖ Are there common denominators FOR: climate, economy, peace, health, animals, forest, soil, food / cultivation, air, water, business, human (women, men, hens, children & young people) nature's needs. What does that "denominator" look like in that case and how do we make it visible and name it.

WATER  
 CLIMATE  
 FOOD  
**LIFE**  
 PEACE  
 ECONOMY  
 PEOPLE  
 SOCIETY  
 NATURE  
 HEALTH  
 ANIMAL

## SUNDAY Ytterjärna Culture House

### Part III

Theme: Life - What do we want to do with our right and maternal obligation to influence development so that care for life on earth is and will be important?

- ❖ What does the acupuncture point look like?
- ❖ How do we give ourselves the mandate to influence the future?
- ❖ What story do we need to promote?

We condense the weekend's dialogue and harvest together. Identifies keys and the acupuncture point

**Meditation** before the 'planting' (Manifestation / ceremony) of the weekend's condensed harvest. Meditation - Cello and toning; Eva Fasth. Bring your own Yoga mat or blanket / chair to sit / lie on. Time: 2 pm.

### **FINAL! Ceremony & Manifestation for LIFE; on the planet, for the peace, that serve the climat, the human relations, support diversity....**

We plant in and then bring out the weekend's condensed harvest. We create a human 'circular spiral' that brings together, spreads, deepens but also protects and manages the values and actions to which we now give our full support and attention. Time: 3pm. On the backyard of the Culture House. *Outdoors behind the Culture Centre. Clothes after weather No charge activity*

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## EXHIBITION

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## CREATIVITY for the children

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## STORYTELLING for children and grown ups

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*Let us shoulder the responsibility and meet together /  
in a **Council meeting** where we create an open area with space  
for dialogue, reconciliation, music, art, activities and contemplation.*

*Days when, in a difficult time, we identify together  
acupuncture points, areas of change and manifests solutions.*

*Warm Welcome!*

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## HOSTAL/HOTELL/TRANSPORT

🇬🇧Room for **visitors from Europe and Sweden** at the Councilmeeting Ytterjärna  
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**OBS! You book your room with the reservation code: GM2022 in your mail**

### Room Hostel Kulturcentrum Ytterjärna

Single room	50 euro	
Double room	70 euro	sheets and towel 10 euro
Booking	Mail to Janecke and she will help you with your booking: <a href="mailto:info@kulturcentrum.nu">info@kulturcentrum.nu</a>	

### Room Hotell

Double room	110 euro	including breakfast and sheets
Single room	Ask for the price	
Booking	<a href="mailto:info@ytterjarnahotell.se">info@ytterjarnahotell.se</a>	

### Transport

Train to: [Södertälje Syd](#) or [Järna station](#) From Stockholm Central station and Arlanda. There is a direct train from Arlanda - Södertälje Syd (South)

Airport: Stockholm Arlanda  
 Stockholm Skavsta

Buss Buss 784 [Schedule/Tabell](#) - Ytterjärna Hotel & Conference Center/Culture House

Here are the area for the conference: [About the Kulturhouse and Conference center in Järna](#)

Hemsida: [The Council of European Grandmothers](#)

**Välkommen till Södertälje/Järna!**





**Välkommen till Sverige! - Welcome to Sweden!**

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