

## ATHAME - Techrider

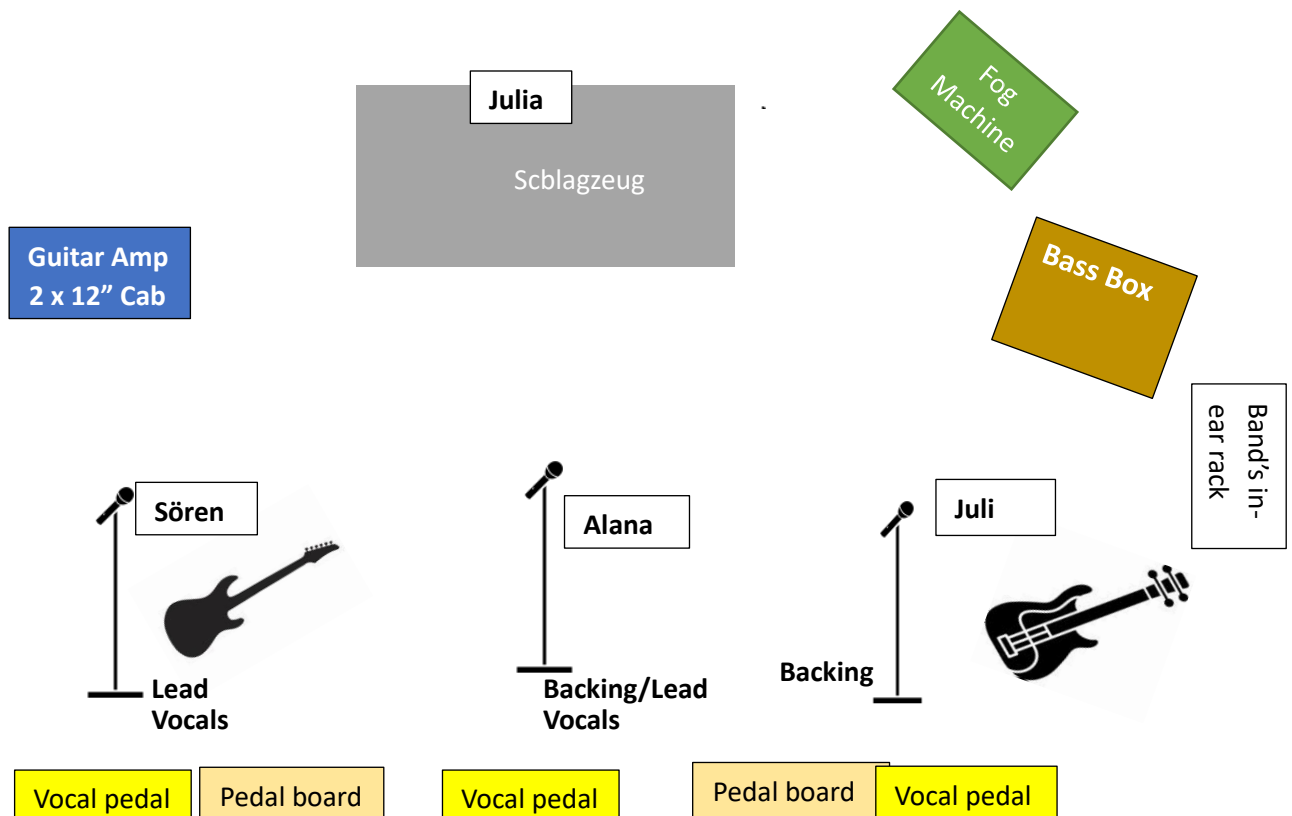
### About ATHAME

Athame is a predominantly female witchcraft-themed retro rock band from Dresden that blends 1970s psychedelic rock with dark doom rock.

### Line up

| Name  | Instrument          | Amp / Processor                                                                                                                                           | Mikrophon / DI  |
|-------|---------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Sören | 1 x Guitar          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 x EHX tube amp with 2x12" box</li> <li>Guitar effect pedals</li> </ul>                                           | 2 x Amp mics    |
|       | Lead Vocal          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vocal effects pedal</li> </ul>                                                                                     | 1 x SM58beta    |
| Julia | Drums               |                                                                                                                                                           | Drum micing kit |
| Alana | Lead/Backing Vocals | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vocal effects pedal</li> </ul>                                                                                     | 1 x SM58beta    |
| Juli  | Bass                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 x Hartke LH-500Watt 40hm bass top<br/>OR: Fender 500Watt bass combo</li> <li>Bass guitareffect pedals</li> </ul> | 1 x DI          |
|       | Backing Vocals      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vocal effects pedal</li> </ul>                                                                                     | 1 x SM58beta    |

### Stage Plot



**The venue should provide:**

- Drum miking
- 2 x guitar cabinet miking
- Sufficient power outlets for pedalboards and vocal effects units
- 3.5 mm stereo jack connection to FOH -> we play set interludes from a tablet

**The band brings:**

- Vocals:
  - o 3 x SM58 Beta microphones for vocals including stands
- Entire drum kit
- Guitars:
  - o 1 x EHX tube amplifier
  - o 1 x 2x12" cabinet
- Bass:
  - o 1 x Hartke LH-500W 4 Ohm bass head or bass combo (if the venue provides a bass cabinet, we only bring the bass head)
- Stage:
  - o Backdrop banner
  - o Various stage decorations
  - o Fog machine

**Sound:**

- The 2x12" guitar cabinet uses two different speakers, each of which should be miked separately and panned left/right in the FOH mix.
- The vocalists use their own vocal effects pedals, controlled via footswitch. The output of the effects units is XLR female for FOH.
- No vocal effects are required from the sound engineer.
- The band uses its own in-ear monitoring system, which they mix themselves, and does not require front monitors.
- A natural, unprocessed drum sound is preferred for FOH.
  - FOH can shape the sound for the audience as appropriate for the venue conditions, which the sound engineer knows best.

**Lighting:**

Red lighting is preferred throughout the entire set.  
Special lighting effects may be used but are not required.  
We use our own fog machine, operated by lead singer Sören.

**Catering:**

We prefer mostly non-alcoholic beverages and energy drinks.  
A warm meal would be appreciated.  
No food intolerances.

**Press info:**

ATHAME is a dianic Wicca-themed predominantly female retro occult rock band founded in 2023 that plays 70s inspired proto-doom rock, a vintage style that blends elements of psychedelic rock, doom



rock, folk, and hard rock. Their songs explore themes of resistance, loss, healing, and transformation, driven by the spiritual and feminist ethos of Wicca, as well as a deep connection to nature and the moon goddess Hecate. Their music is infused with ritualistic and mystical energy.

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