

Race Rules Tour de Wakatipu

The Event Rules are described here, and on the entry information, confirmation letter and may be added to on emails, newsletters, race pack information and pre-race briefing. The course signage also forms part of the rules.

All road rules, event signage, directions of event personnel and police must be obeyed at all times. In the absence of police control all normal road rules must be obeyed.

You will at times be cycling on public roads and must share the roads with other users. On the private land, you may also share the road with runners, and keep to the right. Riders are asked to help maintain a normal flow of traffic by riding single file when required, and unless passing and use the cordoned off lane where provided.

The advertised course may be changed for safety or other reasons.

The supplied race number must be displayed on the front of the bike/ on runner's front top.

No aero bars or bar extensions, bikes must be serviced and maintained, approved standard helmets must be worn.

I am responsible for my personal belongings at the event.

NO Ipods, MP3 players, headphones etc can be used by competitors on race day.

MEDICAL

It is likely that in the case of an accident, a fellow competitor will be the first on the scene. This might be you. If it is you, you must stop and give all reasonable care that you can, while sending someone forward to get to the nearest radio so that we can get expert help on the scene as soon as possible. Or use your cell phone to ring the event medical 'hotline'

In the event that you sustain an injury or illness whilst participating in the cycle ride or run, you authorise the appointed medical personnel to perform and administer such emergency medical attention as they think is necessary. they have the right to remove competitors from the course based on medical grounds.

EQUIPMENT

Competitors are responsible for the equipment they use in the cycle ride. They must ensure that it is in good condition, safe and serviceable. It is strongly recommended that all entrants have their bike serviced and helmet checked out by a cycle retailer prior to the event.

RESERVE DAY

In severe wether conditions, the event will be postponed to the following day. all race timings will remain the same.

Listen to the local radio stations for event day cancellations or call the office 03 441 8215 for further information.

REFUND POLICY

There will be a refund of 50% up until two weeks prior to the event, and upon notification to the organisers.

No refund will be paid for any withdrawals after this date. there will be no roll over of withdrawn entries to the next year's event.

If the reserve day should be cancelled sue to weather conditions or other there will be a 50% refund of entry only.

SWAPPING ENTRIES & CHANGES

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

I agree to abide by the Event Rules and with the directions of the officials. I will comply with all the directions given on the entry information, confirmation letter, emails, newsletters, race pack information, pre-race briefing and course signage.

I agree to allow the organisers and sponsors to use photographs, video and film taken during the event to advertise their products or to promote the event at no cost to the organisers and sponsors.

We agree to the event organiser collecting the personal data provided, retaining and using these details for the purpose of event administration and notification of future similar events (given in accordance of the Privacy Act 1993).

I understand the cycle route travels on tracks, public roads and farm roads. Participants are required to obey New Zealand traffic law at all times while on public roads.

I am in sound physical condition and health, capable of safely competing in the event, and am not aware of any physical condition to the contrary.

I understand that the participation in this event is at my own risk and I accept full responsibility for obtaining adequate skills to negotiate and avoid hazards on the course.

WAIVER

I acknowledge that there are risks inherent in the Event and that I may sustain losses from my participation therein.

Pursuant to this release, I voluntarily agree to assume (for myself, my representatives, heirs, assigns, and next of kin) all such risks, foreseeable or otherwise, and hereby release the Southern Traverse (2005) Ltd, the organisation team and all persons and entities connected with the Event from any liability for any and all losses whatsoever, whatever the cause, that I may sustain.

My assumption of the entire risk of any and all losses to me in the Event is intended to apply to any and all losses no matter how the loss (or losses) is (or are) caused.

My assumption of the entire risk of any and all losses to me in the Event is intended to cover any loss or losses caused by a negligent act or a negligent failure to act. I release and discharge the Southern Traverse (2005) Ltd, the Southern Traverse organisation and all persons and entities connected with the Event from any and all claims that arise as the result of loss, property damage, injury, illness or death to me in the Event.

This release shall extend to include promoters, sponsors, the organisers of the event and their respective directors, partners, managers, officers, agents, contractors, employees and volunteers including medical and paramedical personnel appointed for the event; the owners, licensees and occupiers of land upon which the event or any part of it is conducted, any statutory body or local authority having control over any land upon which the event is conducted.