



CHASING CANCELLARA

ZÜRICH – ZERMATT

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FAQ Zurich–Zermatt

Is a minimum speed required to be able to participate?

No. Everyone is welcome to join the event. Although we will offer rankings, having a great experience on and off the bike is the highest priority. However, there will be certain time limits set on certain points on the course. These points have to be reached within the set time limits. If not, the participants will be taken out of the race. These limits are set for the participant's safety.

Is the whole course timed?

Yes, the whole course will be timed. The rider getting the fastest from Zurich to Zermatt will be crowned winner.

Will the course be closed down?

No. Zurich–Zermatt will be “raced” in open traffic. Every participant has to follow the Swiss traffic rules.

What do the four categories look like?

The singles must master the course alone. Participants in the relay category will split the course and ride alternately. The number and locations of the changes can be freely determined. Only the last section from Täsch to Zermatt will be ridden together.

The couples also consist of two riders, but they complete the entire course together, as do the “happy threesome”. Only the couples and the “happy threesome” are allowed to ride in the slipstream of the team members. They are also allowed to rely on outside support at the checkpoints in Wolhusen and Ulrichen.

Is drafting allowed?

No. Drafting will be forbidden after the first checkpoint in Muri (km 24.1).

Am I allowed to have my own supporters and a support car with me during the race?

Support vehicles are only allowed for participants in the team categories and may accompany the riders from Muri (km 24.1). The singles can place their supporters at checkpoints Wolhusen and Ulrichen to receive support there (handing over of material, handing over of clothes/food, technical support etc.). At all other places (course or other checkpoints) this support is not allowed.

Will there be a moto crew escorting the riders?

There will be a total of 40 moto riders on the course. They will make sure that you stay on the course, follow the rules and get safely to Zermatt.

Will there be feeding zones on the course?

Yes. There will be at least eight feeding zones on the course. Where exactly they will be stationed can be seen in the race schedule.

What will the start procedure look like?

The riders will start in groups of four. The interval between the groups will be between 45 and 60 seconds. The category “happy threesome” starts first, then the singles and the teams last. The exact start time will be communicated in the week before the race.

Where will the start be held?

The participants will start at the Restaurant CUBE in Zurich. Address: Euret / Restaurant CUBE – Albisriederstrasse 245, 8047 Zürich

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Can I give up a bag to be transported to Zermatt?

Yes. We will offer said services. And transport one bag per person from Zurich to Zermatt. You can give up the bag at the start location before the start. There is also a possibility to drop off items of clothing at the start, which will be transported to the checkpoint in Ulrichen and from there to the finish.

Where do I get my bib number and my time keeping chip?

The starting package with the bib number and time keeping chip will be sent home in the week before the event. Participants living abroad or have registered later than the 07.09.2023 have to pick their bib number at the start.

Where can I park my car?

We recommend travelling by public transportation.

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