

The Panorama Tour

2 to 5 September 2021

Casterbridge

White River



Event Summary

1. There will be no Elite/U23 men category as the MPU Tour takes place at the same time as the Panorama tour.
2. The following categories will form the Panorama tour:
 - Open Men (this includes the Junior Men)
 - Vets Men 30 – 39 (sub vets)
 - Vets Men 40 – 49 (vets)
 - Master Men 50 – 59
 - Grand Master Men 60+
 - Ladies Elite – 49
 - Women 50+
 - Mixed teams (up to 49)
 - Mixed teams 50+
 - Tandems

Event date: 2 to 5 September 2021
Start: Casterbridge Lifestyle Centre, White River
Start time: 08:00
Distance: 319km
Entry fee: R6,000.00 per team which will include a pasta evening after stage 3, a race gift and access to the Chill Zone.

Entries: Entries are online at Cycle Events from 8 February to 26 August 2021

Number Collection & Registration:

Late entries and registration will take place on Wednesday 1 September from 13:00 until 17:45 at The Barnyard at Casterbridge.

Casterbridge is situated a couple of kilometres outside of White River on the R40 (towards Hazyview, Numbi or the Kruger National Park)

All COVID-19 regulations and protocols must be adhered to

Refer to [COVID-19 Downloads](#) on the Cycling SA website



Time Schedule

Wednesday 1 September 2021

13h00 Registration at The Barnyard at Casterbridge
17h45 Registration closes
18h00 Welcome and opening

Thursday 2 September 2021

07h00 Sign on for Elite riders
07h30 Start for Elite riders Stage 3 of the Mpumalanga Tour
07h30 Sign on for all participants
08h00 Start of Stage 1 for all participants
18H00 Prize giving at The Barnyard (only podium winners)

Friday 3 September 2021

07h00 Sign on for Elite riders
07h30 Start for Elite riders Stage 4 of the Mpumalanga Tour
07h30 Sign on for all participants
08h00 Start of Stage 2 for other participants
18h00 Prize giving at The Barnyard (only podium winners)

Saturday 4 September 2021

07h00 Sign on for Elite riders
07h30 Start for Elite riders Stage 5 of the Mpumalanga Tour
07h30 Sign on for all participants
08h00 Start of Stage 3 for all participants
18h00 Prize giving at The Barnyard (only podium winners)

Sunday 5 September 2021

07h00 Start of Time Trial in reverse order of GC with 30 seconds intervals

- Individual riders (non-competitive)
- Teams (non-competitive)
- Teams (competitive)

Prize giving: TBA at The Barnyard



Stage Details

Thursday 2 September 2021

Stage 1 Casterbridge - Sabie and Long Tom Pass - Casterbridge

07h30 **Elite Group** (*Elite riders Stage 3 of Mpumalanga Tour*)
08h00 **All participants**

1. Start at Casterbridge, turn left. Neutral zone starts
2. On 1.3 km at T-junction turn right into Kiepersol road
3. On 2 km turn right into William Lynn street
4. At 4-way stop go straight
5. On 5 km at T-junction turn right towards Sabie. End of neutral zone
6. **Hotspot and waterpoint** on 33 km (Spitskop)
7. On 47.2 km at the T-junction turn left
8. On 47.5 km at stop sign turn left
9. On 47.7 km at stop sign turn left towards Lydenburg
10. On 56.2 km turn left towards Mbombela on R40
11. **Waterpoint** on 57.7 km (Viewpoint)
12. On 88 km turn left towards White River
13. **Waterpoint** on 93.5 km
14. On 104.6 km at T-junction turn right towards White River on R537
15. On 106.5 km turn left into Impala road
16. At 4-way stop go straight
17. On 109.5 km at stop sign, turn left into Kiepersol road
18. On 109.8 km at the T-junction turn left on R40
19. **Finish** on 111.5 km at Casterbridge

HOTSPOT:

Women: Elite – 49
Mixed teams
Tandems



Stage 1 Map and Profile - Casterbridge - Sabie - Long Tom pass - Casterbridge





Friday 3 September 2021

Stage 2 - Casterbridge – Hazyview - Casterbridge

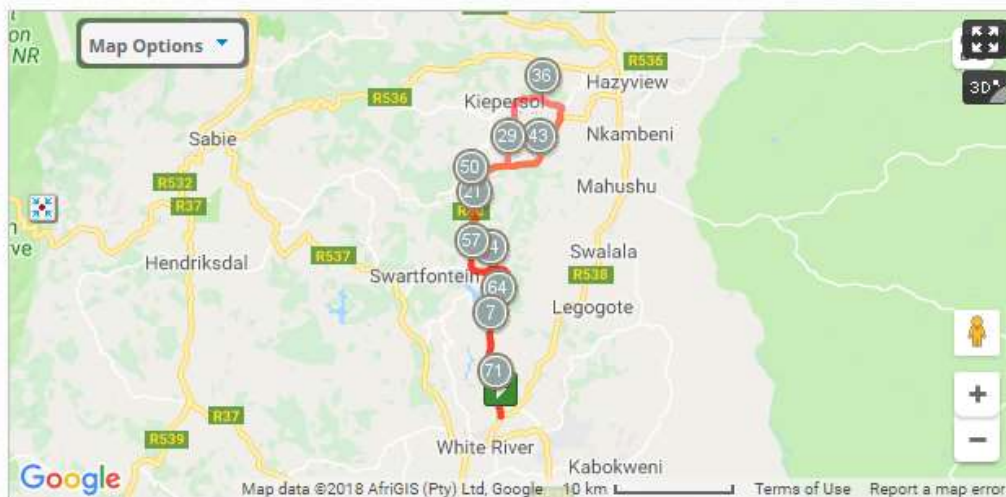
07h30 Elite group (*Elite riders Stage 4 of Mpumalanga Tour*)
08h00 All participants

1. Start at Casterbridge, turn right.
2. At round-about take 2nd exit towards Hazyview
3. Hotspot on 23 km (Spitskop)
4. On 27.2 km turn left towards Kiepersol
5. **Waterpoint** on 35km (Koelte bome)
6. On 37 km turn right towards Hazyview
7. On 38 km at T-junction turn right on the R40 towards White River
8. **Waterpoint** on 48.4 km (Da Gama dam)
9. **Finish** at Casterbridge on 72 km

HOTSPOT:

Open Men
Masters
Grand Masters
Women: 50+

Stage 2 Map and Profile: - Casterbridge – Hazyview - Casterbridge





Saturday 4 September 2021

Stage 3 Casterbridge – Sudwala - Casterbridge

07h30 **Elite group** (*Elite riders Stage 5 of Mpumalanga Tour*)

08h00 **All other participants**

1. Start at Casterbridge, turn left. Neutral zone starts
2. On 1.3 km at T-junction turn right into Kiepersol street
3. On 2 km turn right into William Lynn street - beware speed bumps
4. At 4-way stop go straight
5. On 5 km at T-junction turn right towards Sabie. End of neutral zone
6. On 7.2 km turn left towards Brondal
7. On 24.4 km turn right on R532 towards Sabie
8. On 37.3 km turn left on the R539 towards Sudwala
9. **Waterpoint** on 39.6 km (MTO Group Paradise falls sign)
10. Turn-around on 52 km just at the T-junction
11. **Hotspot and waterpoint** on 60.5 km (Schagen sign)
12. On 69 km turn right on R37/40 towards Mbombela (Nelspruit)
13. On 81 km turn left towards White River
14. **Waterpoint** on 87 km
15. On 98 km at T-junction turn right towards White River on R537
16. On 100 km turn left into Impala Road
17. At 4-way stop go straight
18. On 101.5 km at stop sign, turn left into Kiepersol road

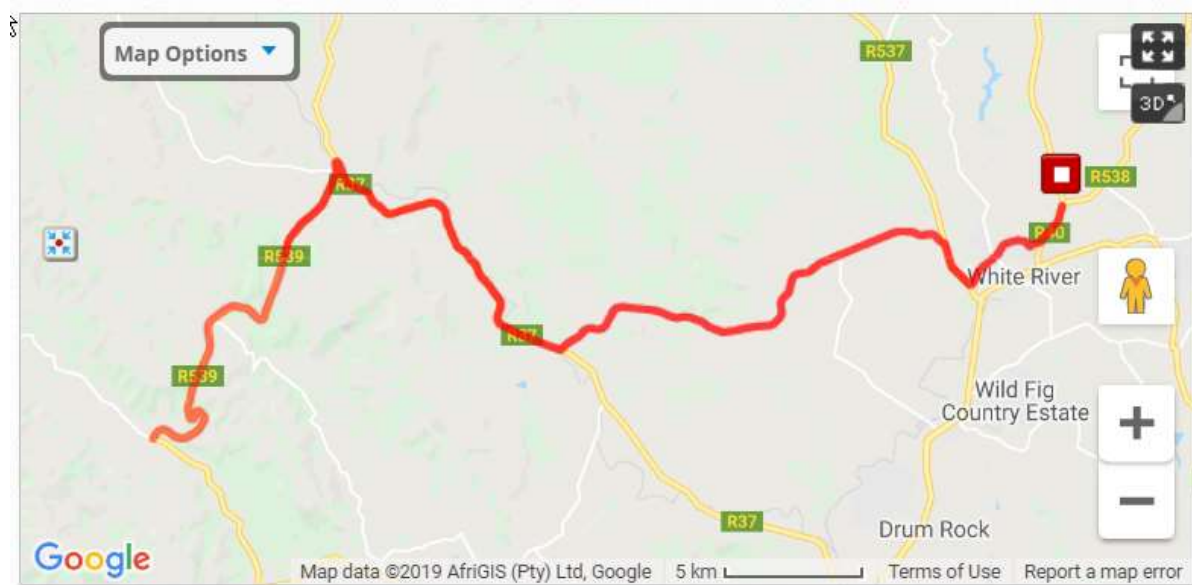


- 19. On 102 km at the T-junction turn left on R40 towards Casterbridge
- 20. **Finish** on 103.8 km at Casterbridge

HOTSPOT

Sub Vets
Vets

Stage 3 Map and Profile - Casterbridge – Sudwala - Casterbridge





Sunday 5 September 2021

Stage 4 *Time trial*

Start 07h00

1. Start in front of Zannaz Coffee Shop
2. At round-about take 1st exit on R40 towards Hazyview
3. **Turning point:** on 16 km at Swartfontein exit
4. **Finish** at Casterbridge on 32 km

Stage 4 Map and Profile - Time trial





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