

Mpumalanga Panorama Tour 2024



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Casterbridge, White River



Time Schedule

Thursday 8 August 2024

13h00 Registration at the Celebration Zone at Caster Bridge
19h00 Registration closes
19h00 Welcome and opening

Friday 9 August 2024

07h30 Sign on
08h00 Start of Stage 1
17h00 Prize giving at the Celebration Zone

Saturday 10 August 2024

07h30 Sign on
08h00 Start of Stage 2
17h00 Prize giving at the Celebration Zone

Sunday 11 August 2024

07h30 Sign on
08h00 Start of Stage 3
17h00 Prize giving at the Celebration Zone

Monday 12 August 2024

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

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

Prize giving 10h00 at the Celebration Zone

Commissaires and Personnel

Tour Director	Hendrik Wagener	082 741 1514
Ambulance		TBC
President Commissaire	Rudi van Wyk	082 569 8510
Commissaire	Awie Storm	084 957 3539
Results	Gertjie Harmse	082 895 2803
Sweep	Gert de Jager	083 655 4694

Stage Details

Friday 9 Augustus 2024

Stage 1 Casterbridge - Sabie and Long Tom pass - Casterbridge

08h00

Start for all participants

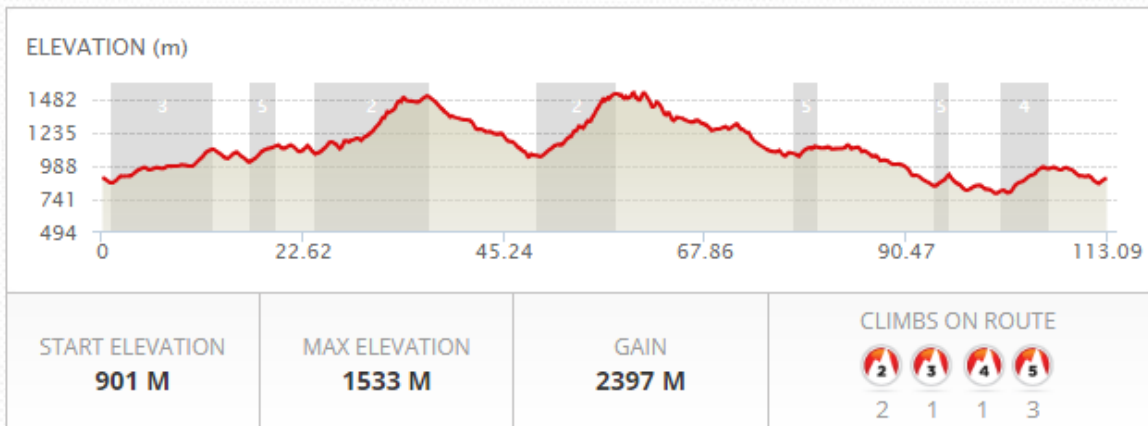
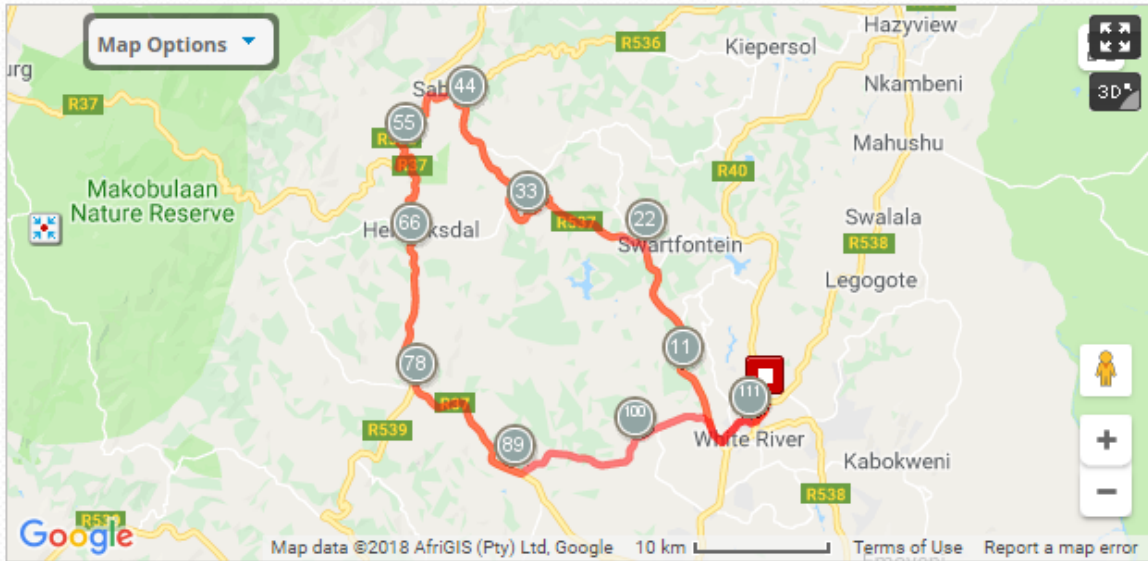
1. Start at Casterbridge, turn left. Neutral zone starts
2. On 1.3 km at T-junction turn right into Kiepersol road
3. On 2 km turn right into William Lynn Street
4. At 4-way stop go straight
5. On 5 km at T-junction turn right towards Sabie. End of neutral zone
6. Hotspot and waterpoint on 33 km (Spitskop)
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 98 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:

Ladies

Mixed teams

Map and Profile Stage 1 Casterbridge - Sabie - Long Tom pass - Casterbridge
Friday 9 August



Saturday 10 August 2024

Stage 2 Casterbridge - Sabie-- Casterbridge

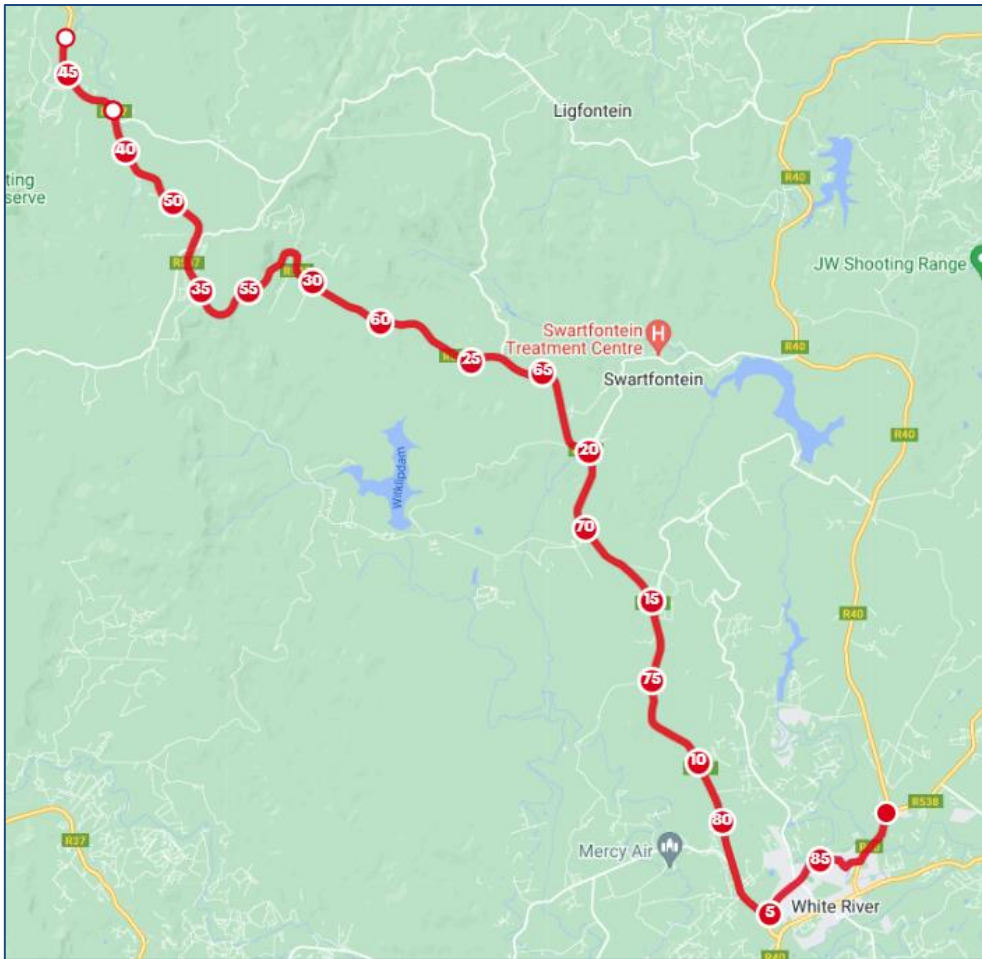
08h00

Start for 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. At 40 km at the sign SAPS Sabie 10 km, turn around
8. Waterpoint at 55 km
9. On 75 km turn left into Impala Road
10. At 4-way stop go straight
11. On 76.5 km at stop sign, turn left into Kiepersol road
12. On 78 km at the T-junction turn left on R40
13. Finish on 80 km at Casterbridge

**Hotspot:
Open Men**

Map and Profile Stage 2 Casterbridge - Sabie - Casterbridge Saturday 10 August



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Sunday 11 August 2024

Stage 3 Casterbridge - Sudwala - Casterbridge

08h00

Start for all participants

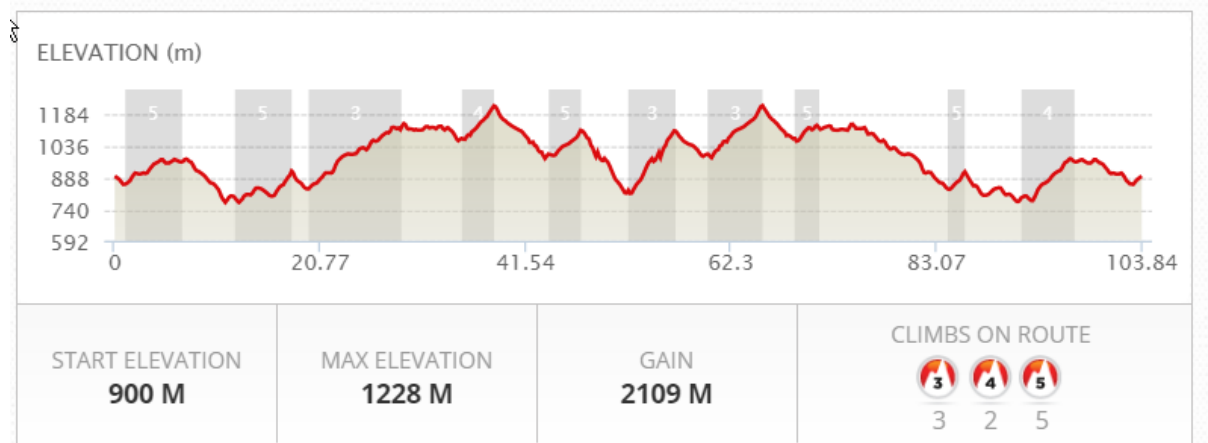
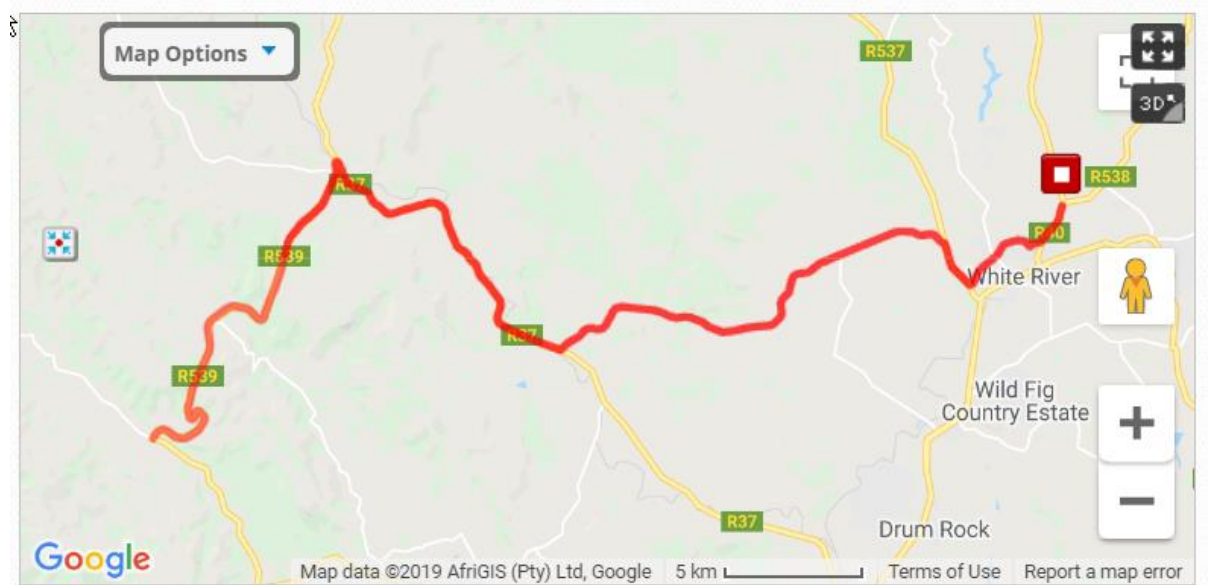
1. Start at Casterbridge, turn left. Neutral zone starts
2. On 1.3 km at T-junction turn right into Kiepersol street
3. On 2 km turn right into William Lynn street - beware speed bumps
4. At 4-way stop go straight
5. On 5 km at T-junction turn right towards Sabie. End of neutral zone
6. On 7.2 km turn 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. Hotspot and waterpoint on 39.6 km (MTO Group Paradise falls sign)
10. Turn-around on 52 km just at the T-junction
11. On 69 km turn right on R37/40 towards Mbombela (Nelspruit)
12. Waterpoint on 75 km.
13. On 81 km turn left towards White River
14. Waterpoint on 91 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

Map and Profile Stage 3 Casterbridge - Sudwala - Casterbridge Sunday 11 August

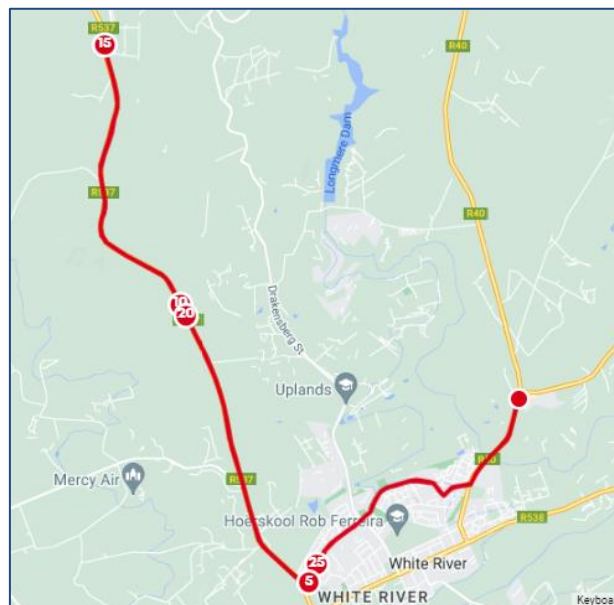


Monday 12 August 2024

Stage 4 Time trial

Start 07h00

1. Start at Casterbridge
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
6. On 15 km (Witkopdam) turn around
7. On 25 km turn left into Impala Road
8. At 4-way stop go straight
9. On 27 km at stop sign, turn left into Kiepersol road
10. On 29 km at the T-junction turn left on R40
11. Finish on 30 km at Casterbridge



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Prize Schedule

	Pos	Open Men	Mixed	Sub Vets	Vets
Overall winners	1	R 3 000	R 3 000	R 3 000	R 3 000
	2	R 1 500	R 1 500	R 1 500	R 1 500
	3	R 500	R 500	R 500	R 500
	Pos	Women	Vets 60+		
Overall winners	1	R 3 000	R 3 000		
	2	R 1 500	R 1 500		
	3	R 500	R 500		

Overall Winners of the Tour	
Pos 1	R8 000
Pos 2	R4 000
Pos 3	R2 000

Please note:

If there are less than 10 teams participating per category, only 50% of the prize money will be paid

Rules And Regulations for Panorama Tour

1. Participants will start and finish the tour with the same bike - no changing of bicycles will be allowed for the duration of the tour.
2. No Time Trial bikes or equipment will be allowed.
3. The tour consists of teams with 2 riders per team in all categories. Should one rider of the team abandon the race, the other rider is allowed to finish the tour, but no prizes will be awarded to this rider
4. Single riders are not allowed to ride with other single riders to form a team or to get support. They are also not allowed to get or give assistance or collaborate with official teams.
5. No team vehicles, team managers or supporters will be allowed in the convoy.
6. Riders are only allowed to support their own teammate.
7. No individual support will be allowed. Any violations will result in penalties to the rider being supported
8. Teammates are not allowed to be more than 2 (two) minutes apart from each other during the race and at the finish.
9. Spare wheels or extra batteries for e-bikes will be allowed to be left at the water points at the riders' own risk.
10. E-bikes are allowed to participate in the tour, but no prizes/jerseys will be awarded to these riders
11. The leaders of all categories will be provided with a leader's jersey specific to each category. The leaders will wear the jersey as indicated after each stage.
12. NO I-pods, earphones, earpieces, or any radio links will be allowed during the race.
13. Should a rider abandon the race his/her numbers and timing chip must be returned to the commissaire or the sweep vehicle or the announcer and he/she is expelled for the remainder of the tour.
14. **Race numbers and frame numbers** must be worn in all stages. **Riders are required to wear one body race number** affixed to the appropriate position on the back. **It is forbidden to fold or cut body or frame numbers issued to competitors. Altering numbers will subject to penalty.**
15. **All race and frame numbers as well as timing chips must be returned at the finish after the last stage.**

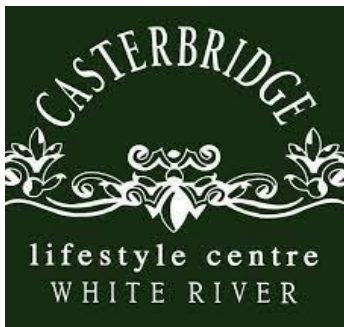
Time Penalties

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| 1. First offence | 30 minutes |
| 2. Second offence | 1 hour |
| 3. Third offence | Disqualification |

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