

AURASAN

EVENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

Randonneur: the rider

Randonnée: the ride

Audax: audacious

THE AUDAX ETHOS

To all cyclists: long distance;

- x potential Paris-Brest-Paris participants;
- x Audax Randonneurs;
- x those who want to leave the herd and do their own 'own thing'

The Audax Randonneuring Concept is for you!



AUDAX ERE EST FACERE

"I CYCLE: THEREFORE I AM!" (RENE DESCARTES: MODIFIED)

A distinctive medal will be available at a nominal price to each finisher who has successfully completed the event regardless of distance. Completing a 200/300/400/600 series from this programme within a period of 10 months qualifies for the title and award of Super Randonneur. A special medal is awarded to commemorate the occasion.

Audax events are not marshalled: they are essentially long distance self supporting rides where the cyclist relies on his own resources: this does not exclude receiving support from fellow participants or what may be offered gratuitously en route. Support may be provided at Controls where the participant has his 'Brevet'(Control Card) authenticated.

YOU WILL RECEIVE A CONTROL CARD AND A ROUTE CARD BEFORE THE EVENT: ALL RULES OF THE ROAD MUST BE OBSERVED AND THE WEARING OF A HELMET IS A LEGAL REQUIREMENT

RULES: N.B. THIS IS NOT A RACE .

All cyclists must complete the event under their own power; slipstreaming behind any form of motorised assistance or non participants of the event will result in instant disqualification.

Any form of HPV is permissible although the use of tri bars is considered dangerous to the safety of any group in which they may be used and should be avoided.

It is the sole responsibility of the entrants to familiarise themselves with the route.

Any form of electronic route management in addition the Route Sheet -

e.g. Strava, sat assistance, tracking etc.etc. is permissible.

Because of the hazards of the South African cycling environment the ruling organisation Audax Club Parisien/Randonneurs Mondiaux has sanctioned the availability of a monitoring service, which is the sole responsibility of the rider and must be availed in strict accordance with the overall ethos of the Audax concept i.e. no mechanical or material assistance.

The maximum overall average speed must not exceed 30 kph or be less than 15 kph from start to finish and between Controls. Arrival at Controls must be within the specified opening and closing times otherwise the rider will be deemed to have withdrawn from the event PLEASE ADVISE THE ORGANISER IF YOU WITHDRAW.

ALL ENTRANTS MUST CONSIDER THEMSELVES TO BE ON A PRIVATE EXCURSION AND ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY FOR MAKING THEIR OWN ARRANGEMENTS IN THE EVENT OF THEIR INABILITY TO COMPLETE THE COURSE

Entrants under the age of eighteen years must have their entry form signed either by a parent or guardian who accepts responsibility for their care and who accompanies them for the duration of the event.

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