

GRAN FONDO WORLDS ESSENTIALS

Friday 20 – Wednesday 25 August 2027 · La Clusaz, Haute-Savoie, French Alps

RACE

DURATION

5 nights

RIDER FROM

AUD 3,340

SUPPORTER FROM

AUD 2,790

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

AUD 1,080

GROUP SIZE

Max 46 guests

20

FRI ·
AUG

Arrival & welcome

Everyone

Transfers from Annecy Train Station from 12pm. Mechanics help with bike assembly; optional 4pm warm-up ride (~25 km, 250 m+).

Welcome Dinner & Race Week Preview

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SAT ·
AUG

Colombière recon & Annecy

Riders

Morning recon ride including the Col de la Colombière, with an optional Montée de Brizon climb.

TT riders

Afternoon race registration and optional bike check.

Supporters

Annecy visit with a one-hour lake cruise and free time in the old town.

Afternoon

Recovery at the aquatic centre, or relax in the village.

Race Preview & Planning Dinner

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SUN ·
AUG

Time Trial

RACE DAY · TT

TT riders

Race the uphill course from Thônes to La Clusaz, with mechanic support at the start.

Riders

Light day with short, controlled efforts and course familiarisation.

Supporters

Watch the Time Trial and explore the area.

Afternoon

Put the feet up in La Clusaz, or unwind at the aquatic centre.

Dinner celebrating TT riders

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MON ·
AUG

Annecy ride & race prep

Riders

Easy ~35 km ride to Annecy, ride or vehicle back; collect race packs.

Supporters

Gondola to the Beaugard Plateau, an easy walk and Reblochon tasting at an Alpine farm.

Afternoon

At leisure: aquatic centre, bike prep and rest ahead of race day.

Pre-race Dinner

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TUE ·
AUG

Gran & Medio Fondo

RACE DAY

Riders

12 km roll to the start, mechanic support in the start area and a Higher Ground feed zone on course.

Supporters

Cheer riders home at the La Clusaz finish.

Celebration Dinner

25

WED ·
AUG

Departure

Everyone

9:30am transfer to Annecy Train Station, or on to the Super Worlds Elite Experience hotel.

YOUR STAY

Hotel La Montagne

La Clusaz · 5 nights. In the race finish village, with restaurant and bar; aquatic centre, cafés and shops a short walk away.

GETTING THERE

Annecy Train Station: arrive from 12pm Fri 20 Aug, depart 9:30am Wed 25 Aug.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- 5 nights' twin/double-share accommodation
- Daily breakfast and 3-course dinners, incl. team and pre-race dinners
- Return transfers between Annecy Train Station and La Clusaz
- Rider and supporter event packs
- **Riders:** 4 supported group rides with GPX files and snacks; dedicated mechanic and support crew; support vehicle for anyone wanting a shorter ride; extra feed station on the Gran and Medio Fondo courses
- **Supporters:** Lake Annecy cruise, Annecy visit, Alpine gondola ride and farm visit

Not included: race entry. Optional extras: flights and pre/post travel & accommodation, bike rental & additional transfers.

Prices in AUD per person, twin/double share. 30% deposit on confirmation, balance due 60 days before travel. Multi-program discount AUD 300 pp for 2 programs, AUD 450 pp for 3. Subject to availability; rates may change until booking is confirmed and deposit received. **Program subject to change, see the website for full program details.**

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