



FAQ Granfondo San Gottardo

Is there only one route option?

No, participants have the option of completing a long route as well as a short route.

Is there a minimum speed to take part?

No, everyone is welcome. We do publish ranking lists, but the focus should be on having fun and enjoying the experience.

Can the route variant be changed?

Yes, if you change after you have registered, you must send a message to info@granfondosangottardo.com.

Is the time measured on the entire course?

No. The time is only measured on three defined climbs (large lap). On the small loop, the time is measured on two climbs. The times of the climbs are cumulated and result in the ranking list.

How is the timing signaled?

The start and end of the timekeeping is signaled with beach flags and pillons.

Will the route be closed?

No, the Granfondo San Gottardo is mostly open to traffic. There is only a limited traffic ban on the timed section from Airolo to the Gotthard Pass. All other sections can be ridden normally, but are regulated by Granfondo staff and the police. All participants must adhere to the applicable rules of the Swiss Road Traffic Act.

Are there refreshment posts on the route?

Yes, there are four refreshment stations along the route, which are located after the climbs. Water, isotonic drinks and food will be offered there.

Are toilets available at the aid stations?

Yes, it is possible to use a mobile toilet facility at the aid station.

What is the start procedure?

All participants will start together at 09:00.

When is the first start?

The first start will take place on 21.07 at 09:00.

Where does the start take place?

The start is at the Gotthardo Arena (stadium of HC Ambri Piotta). The address is Gotthardo Arena, Via Aerodromo 2, 6775 Ambri.

Can I leave my luggage somewhere?

Yes, you can leave your luggage at the start number distribution point.

Where can I get my race number and timing chip?

The start numbers and timing chip can be collected on Saturday evening (15:00 to 18:00) and on Sunday morning (07:00 to 08:30) at the start number distribution point in the start and finish area at the Gotthardo Arena. The exact pick-up times will also be communicated in the road book.

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How must the timing chip and start number be mounted?

The timing chip must be attached to the seat post. The start number must be worn on the back.

Where can I park?

Parking is available at the Ambri airfield (Aeroporto Ambri 2, 6775 Quinto).

Where are the showers?

Shower facilities are located in the start/finish area in the Gotthardo Arena. The route from the start area to the showers is signposted.

Where can I eat my refreshments at the finish?

You will find the refreshments right next to the start and finish area. You will receive your food and drink with the appropriate vouchers, which are handed in at the start number distribution point.

Further information about the Granfondo San Gottardo can be found at <https://www.granfondosangottardo.com/> in the road book or the regulations. If you have any questions, you are welcome to contact us at any time and send a message with your request to info@granfondosangottardo.com.

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