New Zealand Distance Riders

The 1000K Cruise – Saturday, 4th November 2023

Ride Instructions

Depart Z (nee Caltex) Rimutaka and travel North on SH2 to Masterton, taking the bypass on Ngaumutawa Rd, turn left on Akura Rd, right onto The Loopline, left on SH2, then right on Opaki-Kaiparoro Rd and take that to Mauriceville.

Take a digital photo of your bike in front of the Mauriceville Sign 84 km

Continue North on Opaki-Kaparoro Rd, turn right on Faukners Rd, right on SH2 and take that via Woodville, to the Saddle Rd and take that to Cooks Rd.

Take a digital photo of your bike in front of the Windmills from Cooks Rd. 72 km

Continue on Saddle Rd and turn right on Wyndham St as you enter Ashhurst and take that across Cambridge Ave, then turn right on Oxford St and continue on Colyton Rd, turning left on SH54, to go into Feilding, turning right at the BP to take North Rd and go to West St. Turn right and continue on Halcombe Rd to SH1, turning right, then left onto Makirikiri Rd and take that to SH3. Turn right and go via Whanganui, Waverly & Patea to Hawera, to take SH45 (the Coastal Hiway) to Rahotu Take a digital photo of your bike in front of the Rahotu School Memorial Gates 239 km Total – 395 km

Continue on SH45 via New Plymouth and get on SH3 to go to Piopio Take a digital photo of your bike in front of GAS Piopio 184 km

Continue Nth on SH3 and take the first right on Tui St, then right on Aria Rd and take that to Aria. Take a digital photo of your bike in front of the Aria Cosmopolitan Club Sign 12 km Total – 591 km

Continue on Aria Rd, then Ohura Rd, Then Mokauiti Rd and take that to Ramaroa Rd

- 1. At that point you can take Ramaroa Rd to SH4...or
- 2. Continue on Mokauiti Rd to SH4 (might be considered the shorter, scenic route) Turn right on SH4 and go via Taumarunui, National Park and Raetihi to Upokongaro. Take a digital photo of your bike in front of the Church (St Mary's Anglican Church) Total – 808 km 217 km
 - 1. Continue on SH4 via Whanganui to SH3 (if you want fuel) ... or
 - 2. Continue on SH4 and turn left on Kaimatira Rd, left on No 3 Line, keep right onto Okoia Rd, then left onto No 2 Line, then right onto Warrengate Rd to get to SH3

Turn left on SH3 to go via Bulls to Sanson. Turn right on SH1 and return back to Wellington taking the Johnsonville Exit. As you emerge at the roundabout, keep in the left lane and take the 2nd exit onto Johnsonville Rd. The 1841 is on Disraeli St (just before the BP), but you can go into the Countdown carpark to park and access it from there.

Take your photos in to get vetted and collect your badge etc 195 km Total - 1,002-1,006 km

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Total – 84 km

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