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The main goal of Andalucía Bike Race by Garmin is to be one of the world's best and most fun MTB stage races.

2021 edition will continue to be - as it has been in its previous editions - of six stages, with a time trial and five marathon stages through the provinces of Jaén and Córdoba.

As a great novelty, it has been choses by the International Cycling Union (UCI) as one of the 8 world competitions to be part of the new Marathon Circuit, called UCI MTB Marathon Series, with only two stage competitions, Andalucía Bike Race by Garmin and Absa Cape Epic and six in individual one-day format:

www.uci.org/mountain-bike/calendar.

The 11th edition will be in pairs, thus recovering its format of the first editions, after changing its format to individual in 2017.

Over the next 6 days, you will compete alongside some of the best riders in the world, with a start list that contains both Olympic Champions, World, Continental and National Champions as well as stage race specialists. Only a certain type of person can afford a race such as this, and we commend you on the dedication, lot of effort and perseverance you've put in to make it to the start line.

Thank you all for your participation, you are becoming part of the history of our race and we wish all of you a safe and exciting experience.

Happy trails!

Andalucía Bike Race by Garmin organization



¿READY?:



REGISTRATION

Check that you are correctly registered through www.andaluciabikerace.com



I HOLD A LICENSE:

You must have a competitive cycling license, issued by a national cycling federation approved by the UCI. Touring and other sports licenses are not accepted.



You must pay for a temporary license for the event and can be issued when collecting the race number.



COVID PROTOCOL

Every participant in Andalucía Bike Race by Garmin will be subjected to three rapid antigen tests, with prior signed authorization and informed consent from the medical services of the event. The first of these will be necessary to pick up your race number. First of them will be necessary to pick up your race number. You have also to fill the ANNEX 1 (and bring it signed and printed from home) (more info on page 21).

VERIFICATION

May 16 from 3pm to 8pm, at Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas.

Requirements::

- It is necessary to pick up your race number and welcome pack in the selected time slot, and after testing negative by antigen testing.
- You must bring the original ID card and the UCI license in case of having one.

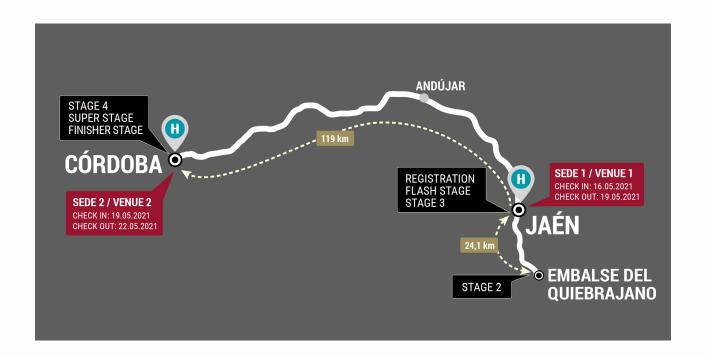


BRACELET

During verification an identification bracelet is handed out to each rider, who has to wear it during all the competition. This bracelet allows access to the rider areas and is also necessary as a safety measure.

ROUTE.





365,41 km 11.451 m+

Climbing the technical ascent of El Pincho, El Neveral, El Arrastraculos, Los Villares, visiting for the first time the Quiebrajano reservoir, climbing El Reventón, Los Morales, La Loma de los Escalones up and down... a route with long climbs, long descents, stretches with lots of nature and natural wealth, high peaks and panoramic views. The stages will be tough and technical, but in each of them we will find the ingredients to make them epic, fun and incredible.

- ► FLASH STAGE 17.05.2021 | JAÉN
- > STAGE 2

 18.05.2021 | EMBALSE

 DEL QUIEBRAJANO
- **STGAE 3** 19.05.2021 | JAÉN
- ➤ STAGE 4 20.05.2021 | CÓRDOBA
- > SUPER STAGE
 21.05.2021 | CÓRDOBA
- ➤ FINISHER STAGE
 22.05.2021 | CÓRDOBA



The route is marked with blue (Flash Stage and Stage 4), red (Stages 2, 3 and Super Stage) or yellow (Finisher Stage) arrows. White signs with a cross of the stage's colour, indicate wrong way.

Every ten kilometers and the last five until the finish line are indicated.

FLASH STAGE

27,17 km | 989 m+





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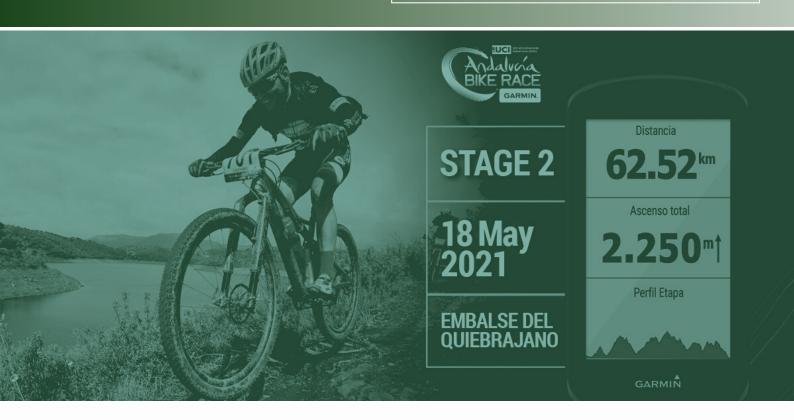
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09.00H	Paddock, Race Office & bicycle parking aperture Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
10.00H	FLASH STAGE (XCT) starts – Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
11.59H	Arrival first rider (estimate time) - Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
17.30H	Award ceremony – Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
19.00H	Teams meeting (online)
19.00H	Paddock, Race Office & bicycle parking closure

	LOCATION	KM	COORDINATES	FIRST	LAST
Ö	Las Fuentezuelas football field	0,00	37.784551,-3.811604	10.00h	15.40h
I S B	King of the Mountain ISB. Senda de los Troncos	12,90	37.763383,-3.843507	11.06h	16.36h
K A	Camino Viejo de Torredelcampo	18,34	37.781139,-3.847141	11.24h	16.49h
Ö	Avenida de los Aparejadores	27,17	37.784500,-3.813663	11.59h	17.15h

STAGE 2

62,52 km | 2.250 m+







08.00H 09.30H	Bicycle parking aperture – Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
09.00H	Paddock & Race Office aperture – Embalse del Quiebrajano
09.30H	Start grids call-up – Embalse del Quiebrajano
10.00H	STAGE 2 (XCM) starts - Embalse del Quiebrajano
12.30H	Arrival first rider (estimate time) - Embalse del Quiebrajano
13.00H	Award ceremony – Embalse del Quiebrajano
16.00H 19.00H	Bicycle parking aperture - Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
19.00H	Teams meeting (online)

·		LOCATION	KM	COORDINATES	FIRST	LAST
!	Ö	Quiebrajano reservoir parking	0,00	37.631820,-3.729795	10.00h	10.35h
	I S B	King of the Mountain ISB	30,61	37.573269,-3.676943	11.18h	13.34h
1	£ %	End of JV-2228 road	32,24	37.571252,-3.671539	11.21h	13.40h
2	8 %		45,81	37.640122,-3.679728	11.54h	14.53h
	Ö	Quiebrajano reservoir	62,52	37.632728,-3.729123	12.30h	16.12h

STAGE 2 START LINE MAP



Stage 2 | Embalse del Quiebrajano



37.667640, -3.744260

ATTENTION!

The parking area for participants is 5 km from the start line so you have to leave your vehicle and proceed by bicycle to the Quiebrajano reservoir. We recommend to be foresighted with the transfers.

Only UCI teams and accredited teams will be able to access the start line (1 vehicle per team).

STAGE 3

71,06 km | 2.924 m+





SEE MAP

09.00Н	Paddock, Race Office & bicycle parking aperture - Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
09.30H	Start grids call-up
10.00H	STAGE 3 (XCM) starts- Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
13.21H	Arrival first rider (estimate time) – Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
13.45H	Award ceremony – Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas
19.00H	Teams meeting (online)
19.00H	Paddock, Race Office & bicycle parking closure

		LOCATION	KM	COORDINATES	FIRST	LAST
	Ö	Avenida de los Aparejadores	0,00	37.784502,-3.813664	10.00h	10.35h
1	k H	Entrada en La Vereda de los Pinchos	19,48	37.741597,-3.829008	11.07h	12.16h
	I S B	King of the Mountain ISB	27,12	37.736906,-3.848949	11.29h	13.07h
2	ĝ	Hermitage of San Isidro	37,45	37.737492,-3.894790	11.55h	14.01h
3	£ %	Santa Ana's fountain	51,57	37.759800,-3.901159	12.32h	15.29h
	Ö	Avenida de los Aparejadores	71,06	37.784502,-3.813664	13.21h	17.19h

STAGE 4

64,07 km | 1.694 m+







09.00H	Bicycle parking aperture - IES Ángel de Saavedra
09.00H	Paddock & Race Office aperture - Parque de la Asomadilla
09.30H	Start grids call-up
10.00H	STAGE 4 (XCM) starts – Calle Cilantro de Córdoba
12.38H	Arrival first rider (estimate time) – Parque de la Asomadilla
13.30H	Award ceremony – Parque de la Asomadilla
19.00H	Teams meeting(online)
19.00H	Paddock, Race Office & bicycle parking closure

		LOCATION	KM	COORDINATES	FIRST	LASI
	Ö	Calle Cilantro	0,00	37.905675,-4.773451	10.00h	10.35h
1	8 %	Entrada en la Vereda de Trasierra. PR A-343	20,26	37.892808,-4.823866	10.50h	12.39h
	I E B	King of the Mountain ISB. Cruce de la CO-3402. Estación de Servicio	25,04	37.902376,-4.872369	11.05h	13.28h
2	Ê	Salida calle Madroñal	30,26	37.931787,-4.901110	11.17h	13.57h
3	8 %	Cruce de la CO-3405	46,62	37.939035,-4.825210	11.57h	15.36h
	<u></u>	Parque de la Asomadilla	64,07	37.903043,-4.778061	12.38h	17.13h

SUPER STAGE

92 km | 2.364 m+

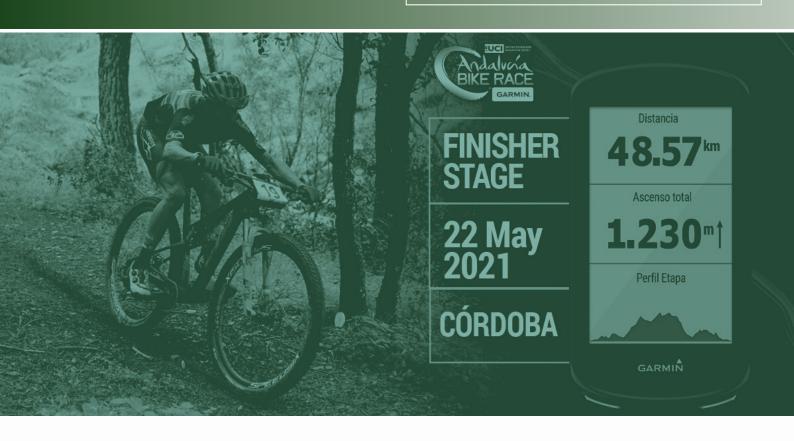




08.00H	Bicycle parking aperture – IES Ángel de Saavedra
08.00H	Paddock & Race Office aperture - Parque de la Asomadilla
08.30H	Start grids call-up
09.00H	ISUPER STAGE(XCM) starts – Calle Escritora Yolanda de Oreamuno
13.00H	Arrival first rider (estimate time) - Parque de la Asomdilla
13.30H	Award ceremony – Parque de la Asomadilla
19.00H	Teams meeting (online)
19.30H	Paddock, Race Office & bicycle parking closure

		LOCATION	KM	COORDINATES	FIRST	LASI
	Ö	Calle Escritora Yolanda de Oreamuno	0,00	37.889529,-4.816117	09.00h	09.35h
1	£ X	Llanos de Arjona	28,99	37.938609,-4.917275	10.17h	12.38h
	I S B	King of the Mountain ISB. Final del Reventón. Entrada en CO-3314	51,78	37.917817,-4.829762	11.19h	15.09h
2	8 %	Salida de la CO-3405	55,36	37.940547,-4.825363	11.29h	15.36h
3	Ê	Cerro Muriano	74,70	37.996705,-4.769415	12.19h	17.30h
	×	Cruce de la CO-3101	81,91	37.942588,-4.748644	12.35h	18.05h
	Ö	Parque de la Asomadilla	92,02	37.903042,-4.778063	13.00h	19.04h

FINISHER STAGE 48,57 km 1.230 m+







09.00H	Bicycle parking aperture – IES Ángel de Saavedra
09.00H	Paddock & Race Office aperture - Parque de la Asomadilla
09.30H	Start grids call-up
10.00H	FINISHER STAGE(XCM) starts - Calle Cilantro
11.57H	Arrival first rider (estimate time) – Parque de la Asomdilla
13.00H	Award ceremony – Parque de la Asomadilla
16.00H	Paddock, Race Office & bicycle parking closure

		LOCATION	KM	COORDINATES	FIRST	LASI
	Ö	Calle Cilantro	0,00	37.905676,-4.773452	10.00h	10.35h
	I S B	King of the Mountsin ISB. Arrastraculos	17,20	37.987620,-4.768831	10.45h	12.32h
1	ඪ	Cerro Muriano	18,25	37.996400,-4.769302	10.47h	12.37h
2	8 %	Salida de la CO-3404	29,27	37.948886,-4.816095	11.14h	13.42h
	Ö	Parque de la Asomadilla	48,57	37.903043,-4.778059	11.57h	15.25h

CÓRDOBA START LINE MAPS



Stage 4 y Finisher Stage | Calle Cilantro

37.905676,-4.773452



Super Stage | Calle Escritora Yolanda de Oreamuno



37.889529,-4.816117

PADDOCK



Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas

Ronda Juez Juan Ruiz Rico | 23006 Jaén

9 37.782873, -3.810297

SET UP(ACCREDITED): Sunday 16.05 | 09 am to 2 pm DISMANTLE: Wednesday 19.05 | from 3 pm



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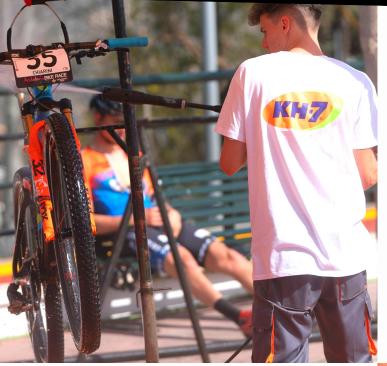
Parque de la Asomadilla

Calle Escultor Pablo Gargallo | 14006 Córdoba



SET UP (ACCREDITED): Wednesday 19.05 | 5 pm to 9 pm DISMANTLE: Saturday 22.05 | from 3 pm

SERVICES



MECHANICAL SERVICE

Mechanical assistance to all riders both on arrival at the finish line and at specific points along the route to solve any technical breakdown.

Spare parts not included.

BICYCLE WASHING AREA

KH7 will handle of bicycle washing area. A KH7 team will be in washing area cleaning your bike and applying its product.

BICYCLE PARKING

Access restricted only to riders whose bracelet much match with the bicycle's number in order to be removed.

FEED STATIONS

Liquids: water, Coca-Cola & Named salts
 Solids during the competition: fruit, nuts & Named product
Finish line: handle bag with sandwich/pasta/rice, fruit, Named product & drinks.

PRODUCT SUPPORT GARMIN

Technical support in Garmin products, every day before the start.

MEDICAL SERVICE

The race has strong safety measures along the route as well as a field hospital at the paddock. There's also a telephone number on various items, which can be called only in case of an emergency.

WARM UP GARMIN

Warm up area with TACX rollers. At the Flash Stage will be enabled 12 rollers near the start line, for 10 min training, by order of arrival. The following days will be an exclusive service for the UCI Marathon Series winners.

MASQUEBICI

Mechanical & massage official service during the competition. You can book the service in the Paddock.



CONSIDERATIONS

UCI MARATHON SERIES MEN 1-1- A 99-2



MASTER 30 201-1- A 299-2



MIXED 501-1- A 599-2



UCI MARATHON SERIES WOMEN 101-1- A 149-2



MASTER 40 301-1- A 399-2



MASTER WOMEN 151-1- A 199-2



MASTER 50 401-1- A 499-2



RACE NUMBERS & CATEGORIES

- It is compulsory to compete with the number plate and back number provided by the organisation.
- The number plate must be properly placed on the front of the bicycle.
- The back number must be on the rider's back.
- Race numbers are assigned according to each category, the latest UCI ranking released when the start numbers are assigned, riders with an annual racing cycling license, registration order.

AWARDS

- Each stage has an award ceremony for each category, where the first three riders of each category and the corresponding race leaders, have podium ceremony
- The attendance to the podium ceremony is compulsory.
- Prize money and UCI points are awarded to UCI Marathon Series categories.
- After the event, the organization will ask the prized riders, via email, all the documentation required to make the payment. If the organization does not receive a response from the prized within a period of 6 months from the last day of the event, it is understood that the participant waives the corresponding prize money.



	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
FLASH STAGE	250 €	200 €	150 €	125 €	100 €	90 €	80 €	70 €	60 €	50 €
STAGE 2	250 €	200 €	150 €	125 €	100€	90 €	80 €	70 €	60 €	50 €
STAGE 3	250 €	200 €	150 €	125 €	100€	90 €	80 €	70 €	60 €	50 €
STAGE 4	250 €	200 €	150 €	125 €	100€	90 €	80 €	70 €	60 €	50 €
SUPER STAGE	250 €	200 €	150 €	125 €	100€	90 €	80 €	70 €	60 €	50 €
FINISHER STAGE	250 €	200 €	150 €	125 €	100€	90 €	80 €	70 €	60 €	50 €
GENERAL	1.500 €	1.200 €	900 €	750 €	600 €	450 €	375 €	300 €	150 €	75 €

RACE PROCEDURE

- The competition follows the general UCI rules and the UCI's specific mountain biking regulations.
- Stage results, overall classification and start list of the following stage are released daily, on the web and on the notice board.
- There are different start grids according to the competition's overall classification, which will be open 30 minutes before the stage's start time.
- The start of a time trial stage (XCT) is carried out in inverse order to start number according the categories: Master Women, Mixed, Master 50, Master 40, Master 30, UCI Marathon Series Women and UCI Marathon Series Men. Riders must be at the call-up area at least 15 minutes before their starting time.
- Team members must complete the whole competition together with a maximum time difference of 2 minutes between them at any point of the route.
- After the first stage, the start grids will be set according to the overall standings:

BOX 1: UCI Marathon Series Men

BOX 2: UCI Marathon Series Women

BOX 3 and successive: 80 riders (men or women).

FAIR PLAY. It involves competing fairly, under the same conditions, and enjoying sport over the ambition of winning, obeying the rules, without cheating, tricking or pretending to confuse the opponents or Commissaires.

6 The Commissaires have the right to disqualify any rider that does not respect fair play, expelling him/her from the competition without any possibility to continue taking part in it.



ONBOARD CAMERAS **EQUIPMENT** Onboard cameras XCM World Champions and permitted except authorised by XCM National Champions must the UCI Commissaires. wear their respective XCM For this you will need to sign a Champions Jersey at UCI MTB certificate you can request via Marathon Series races, unless email: they coincide in overall lead. info@andaluciabikerace.com. It is also recommended (but mandatory) that members of a team maintain **TRACKS** uniformity in their clothing during all stages. For safety reasons, The organization may publish recommended to carry on its website the GPX track file mobile phone. Route signs, the day before the stage, but it race numbers and participant will be informative only. Arrows bracelets have a telephone prevail. number printed on The trails on which which should only be called in competition takes place are case of an emergency. It's not assigned only and exclusively a customer service number! for the days of the race, therefore it is not allowed to spread the route's GPS tracks.

SPORT AND NATURE

Our sport, mountain biking, is a competition or leisure activity that takes place in nature and its impact in this environment is a responsibility for all riders and sport organisers. Any participant who throws garbage along the route, is not respectful of the environment (rolling off the roads, taking shortcuts that damage the vegetation, etc.), is not careful with the animals, leave a spare, etc. may be penalized by the Commissioners. It will only be allowed to get rid of the remains of bars or gels in the technical and feed zones.

COVID-19

PROTOCOL



FACE MASK REQUIRED

- · Verification and start number pickup a
- Up to 1 minute before the start of each stage.
- At the prize giving ceremony.
- On public roads, in outdoor spaces and in any closed space for public use or that is open to the public, except when competing.
- It is mandatory to carry the mask in your jersey pocket during the race.
- In case of assisting another participant, the use of a mask is mandatory.
- The mask must be worn in all restricted areas of the event: toilets, physiotherapy service, bicycle parking, bicycle cleaning service, competition office, bar, etc. Whether indoor or outdoor areas.
- In the feed stations.
- The support staff of the participating clubs and / or teams must wear a mask whenever the safety distance cannot be respected and it is mandatory in what is stated in other points of this protocol.

ANTIGEN TESTS

• Participants will undergo 3 antigen tests: The first one before the verifications at **Complejo Deportivo Las Fuentezuelas**

The second at the end of the 3 stages that are held at the Jaén headquarters, at **Hotel Ayre** de Córdoba

The third, at the end of the competition at **Parque de la Asomadilla**

MANDATORY FORM

- Personal location form ANNEX 1 (FLP) must be completed before the competition by all participants (technicians, athletes, referees, judges, health personnel, support personnel, etc.). Everybody must take it printed and signed to the pickup numbers. You must bring them printed.
- This form will be downloaded on the official web.

START PROCEDURE

- The rider must verify on the web his/her starting order on the grid, as well as the time of each stage.
- If the cyclist has to go to the bathroom before the race, when leaving he/she should wash his hands with a hydroalcoholic gel.
- The first stage will be in a time trial format and riders will have to be **15 minutes** before their departure for the temperature control. In the event, if the temperature is higher than 37.5°C the medical service will be in charge of managing the situation.
- The starting order of the rest of the stages will be according to the absolute classification in groups of 80 riders for each grid for cyclists with Elite, Master or Mixed competitive license.
- Before entering the starting grid, a temperature control must be passed by health officials. if the temperature is higher than 37.5°C the medical service will be in charge of managing the situation.
- The starting grids will be duly marked on the ground.
- In the XCM stages, it is mandatory for all cyclists to be on the grid for their start 30 minutes before the start and wear the mask until 1 minute before the start. If the cyclist does not arrive at the time established on the grid, he must start from the last box.

TEAM MANAGERS & STAFF

- The access to the feed zones for team managers and staff is allowed to only 1 person per team and after being registered. The accreditations to the technical areas must be done before May 14 on: https://forms.gle/8FQtm5EagPSGimn46
- Access to venues, whether open or closed or exclusive to the event (competition office, pavilions, refreshment areas, etc.) will not be allowed to companions who have not passed the antigen test.
- Team's meeting will only be held online, every day at 7 pm.



AWARD CEREMONY

- Before going to the pre-podium waiting area, the awarded cyclists will pass a temperature control.
- The awarded riders must enter the podium alone and having washed their hands with hydroalcoholic gel ad wearing mask.
- The trophies will not be delivered between personalities and runners, they will be the ones who will collect the previously identified prize for each position on the podium.
- Greetings and congratulations on the podium, with the traditional handshake, are prohibited..

It's been so many months without competitions and it's time to restart following the rules imposed by the situation in each region. As organization we will work to guarantee the security and safety of staff and participants, proportionating measures, policies and procedures in place to mitigate risks. So please, let us be aware of our individual role and how our behavior is crucial to control the spread of this pandemic.

FOLLOW US



STAY TUNNED WITH THE TELEGRAM CHANNEL!

We will have again a Telegram channel to stay tuned during the competition days. With the aim of keeping all the participants, teams, companions, followers and lovers of cycling in general informed and updated, you will get information of:

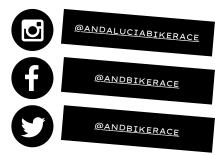
- Schedule
- List of classifications
- List of starting grids
- Weather forecast
- Award Ceremony notification
- Paddock location
- Starting line location
- Actions of our sponsors and suppliers

Easy! To join the channel, download the App through <u>Google Play</u> or <u>App Store</u> and write in the search ""ANDALUCÍA BIKE RACE 2021" o @ABR_2021

FOLLOW THE RACE MINUTE BY MINUTE FROM YOUR MOBILE PHONE!

With the Timingsense Live App you will know exactly where any rider is at any time. You can find them with its name or race number, and you can also add them to favorites. If you are interested, you will have to download the APP through Google Play or App Store.





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