



ADVENTURE RALLYE
« NEW ZEALAND 2019 »

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ARE YOU READY FOR ADVENTURE »

KTM New Zealand is proud to announce our fourth annual KTM New Zealand Adventure Rallye: TOP OF THE SOUTH 2019!

Open to Orange Adventure Riders with the following eligible KTM bikes: 640, 690, 790, 790R, 950, 990, 1050, 1090, 1090R, 1190, 1190R, 1290 & 1290R models. The Rallye is tailored to suit a wide range of rider abilities, from those in their first years of Adventure riding up to seasoned Adventure pros.

For 2019, the Rallye returns to the South Island and a region featuring terrain that adventure riders dream of. Five action packed days will see orange adventurers treated to a course set by local experts who are all Rallye riders themselves and excited to showcase the stunning landscape they call their backyard.

Designed with the larger capacity KTM adventure range in mind, as well as the variety of rider abilities, the route will include a mix of tar sealed roads, back country roads, metal roads, private land access farming trails and much more!

And taking the adventure to another level, back for 2019 is the KTM ULTIMATE RACE Qualifiers, which will see two lucky Rallye riders win the chance to participate in the 2020 Merzouga Rally in Morocco.

The KTM NZ Adventure Rallye is about offering a great experience to our ORANGE adventure riders - and what better way to do that than with an epic 5-days exploring the best that the stunning Nelson, Marlborough and Hanmer Springs regions offer, on your KTM adventure bike. Bring old friends or make new ones, in the spirit of adventure riding, the Rallye is about getting back to the basics.



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SO, WHAT DOES THE RALLYE INCLUDE? »

Why come on the KTM NZ Adventure Rallye? We take the hard work out of planning a ride so you can truly enjoy your adventure. Ever tried to organise a group of mates for a multi-day ride? It's a tough job! Let us worry about the details - so you can enjoy the good stuff!

- » Pre-ridden and planned route with the help of local experts, highlighting the best adventure riding in the Top of the South!
- » Lead Riders, Course Markers & GPS Files - You just get on your KTM each morning and ride.
- » Luggage Support - Don't ride hindered by your bags. Our luggage van transports your items each day, leaving you with a light load to enjoy the adventure.
- » Technical Support - Peace of mind knowing our KTM trained mechanics are on hand at each Bivouac to assist with any mechanical issues that may arise.
- » Medical Support - With both riding medics and a medical 4WD backup vehicle, ride at ease knowing that you will have assistance should you need it.
- » Backup Vehicle & Sweep Support - Following all riders each day will be a 4WD with trailer, as well as sweep riders ready to help, have a chat or ride a long with!
- » Dinner included every night - After a big day of adventure don't worry about where to find your dinner, meaning you can relax and relive the day with a group of like-minded friends.
- » Event Video & Photos - We will capture the memories from the week for you to share with your family and friends, making them envious for years to come of your experiences.

And if that isn't enough for you . . . check out last years' adventure for a taste of what you are in for!



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FAST FACTS »

What's included . . .

- 5-Days, 1,500km Adventure Riding
- Lead Riders, Course Markers & GPS Files
- Luggage Support
- Tyre Support Assistance
- Medic & Tech Support
- Backup Vehicle & Sweep Support
- Dinner included every night
- KTM Goody Bag - T-Shirt, Buff & More
- Event Video, featuring all the highlights
- Event Photographer
- Ride with KTM Pro Riders & Special Guests!

RALLYE FEE:

- \$1395 NZD per rider
- \$895 NZD pillion rider
- Includes everything above
- Accommodation not included

Dates . . .

- Admin Sign On: Saturday, November 9th 2019
- Rallye: Sunday, Nov 10th - Thursday, Nov 14th 2019

Destinations . . .

- Registration & Welcome // Night 1 - Tahuna Beach Nelson
- Day 1 // Night 2 - Tahuna Beach Nelson
- Day 2 // Night 3 - Murchison
- Day 3 // Night 4 - Hanmer Springs
- Day 4 // Night 5 - Picton
- FINAL Day 5 // Night 6 - Tahuna Beach Nelson

Must have . . .

- KTM Adventure Motorcycle, road registered
- Third Party Insurance OR
Comprehensive motorcycle insurance (*highly recommended*)
- Full Motorcycle License
- Knobby Tyres
- Minimum 250km Fuel Range



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THE ROUTE »

For 2019, the KTM New Zealand Adventure Rallye returns to the South Island and is set to explore the famous Top of the South regions of Nelson Tasman, Marlborough and Canterbury. “Sunny Nelson” provides the ideal location to start and finish the Rallye, making transport to and from the event more convenient for riders.

Kickstarting the Rallye is a loop-day out of Nelson, with riders straight into the action hitting dirt mere minutes from downtown Nelson, with a fun rocky climb and breathtaking views. And that’s just the first 50km!

The route will then see riders head to the mountain town of Murchison along some of the local experts favourite tracks, as well as some of the South Islands most famous adventure roads - Rainbow and Molesworth Stations - with further overnights at the charismatic town of Hanmer Springs and the coastal port of Picton before returning to Nelson to cap off an epic week.

The aim on the KTM New Zealand Adventure Rallye is to be suitable for all KTM adventure riders - therefore we offer two route options daily for riders: Main Route and Breakout Route. The Main Route will be shorter and less technically challenging, with the Breakout Routes offering advanced riders more challenging terrain. The Main Route will be made up of winding back country roads, metal roads and well formed off road tracks. Riders on the Breakout routes can expect rocks, mud, hills, mountains, farm land and some real challenges!



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NAVIGATION INFORMATION »

The Rallye is tailored to suit a range of rider abilities, from those starting out in their first year or two of adventure riding, to seasoned Adventure pros. In order to cater for this variety of levels, each day's course can be traversed in your own time, at your own pace, with two route options available daily - the Main Route and Breakout Routes.

Two lead riders depart before the group each morning to ensure the tracks are clear, plus sweep riders bring up the tail end of the pack to assist with any issues that may arise throughout the day. A daily route sheet will be supplied at the nightly rider briefings, however the main source of navigation comes in the form of GPS track files. Therefore it is mandatory that riders have a GPS unit or Smartphone with navigation capabilities for the event.

Riders are free to depart each morning between 8.00-9.00am, in their own time and on their own agenda. There will be Points of Interest on each days route sheet, so riders can stop and enjoy these along the way, as well as suggested breakfast and lunch stops.



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RALLYE SUPPORT »

As outlined earlier, the support we offer on the Rallye is where the value for the rider comes in. More information on all the provided support will be given to those who register for the event in the form of a REGISTERED RIDER DOSSIER, but to recap again on what the Rallye offers:

LUGGAGE SUPPORT. Every rider will be allowed to place one bag (roll-bag or pack) in the KTM Luggage Truck, which will be carried for them between each destination.

TECH SUPPORT. We will have KTM New Zealand mechanics available to assist with any issues that may arise along the way that you cannot fix yourselves.

TYRE SUPPORT. We will have a Tyre Support service available for riders at the Rallye, for those who wish to get a new tyre or tyres fitted during the event, or assistance with any tyre issues.

GENUINE PARTS SUPPORT. All riders are advised to bring spare parts along, however due to unforeseen circumstances that may arise when adventure riding, we will have Genuine KTM Spare Parts available for riders to purchase throughout the Rallye.

MEDIC SUPPORT. We will have a Medic Support team on the Rallye to assist with any rider injuries.



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RALLYE ITINERARY »

- Saturday, Nov 9th 2019 From 2.00pm » Rider Registration
Tahuna Beach Kiwi Holiday Park & Motel
6.00pm » Welcome Dinner and Riders Briefing
- Sunday, Nov 10th 2019 After 8.00am » Day 1 Start Time
After 4.00pm » Arrive back at TAHUNA BEACH, Nelson (Loop Day)
6.30pm » Nightly Riders Briefing & Dinner
- Monday, Nov 11th 2019 After 8.00am » Day 2 Start Time
After 4.00pm » Arrive at MURCHISON
6.30pm » Nightly Riders Briefing & Dinner
- Tuesday, Nov 12th 2019 After 8.00am » Day 3 Start Time
After 4.00pm » Arrive at HANMER SPRINGS
6.30pm » Nightly Riders Briefing & Dinner
- Wednesday, Nov 13th 2019 After 8.00am » Day 4 Start Time
After 4.00pm » Arrive at PICTON
6.30pm » Nightly Riders Briefing & Dinner
- Thursday, Nov 14th 2019 After 8.00am » Day 5 Start Time
After 4.00pm » Arrive at TAHUNA BEACH, NELSON
6.30pm » Wrap-Up Dinner & Presentations
- Friday, Nov 15th 2019 AM » Riders make their way home!
Or better yet - spend the weekend in Nelson and enjoy more of what the incredible region has on offer!



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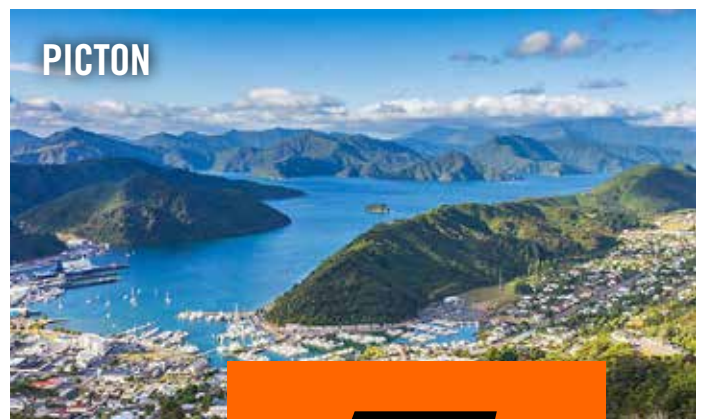


ACCOMMODATION & DINNERS »

It will be up to you, the rider, to book your preferred overnight accommodation. Once you register, you will receive a **REGISTERED RIDER DOSSIER: ACCOMMODATION** which will outline all the suggested accommodation venues and where the nightly Riders Briefing and Dinners will take place, which we call the “Bivouac”. Our overnight destinations might be a little more accommodating than the actual Bivouac at the Dakar though!

BIVOUAC. Each night we will have one particular location as the Bivouac. This is where your luggage will be available to collect each afternoon, as well as the dinner destination and the location of the nightly riders briefing and social revelry. The suggested accommodation locations are all within either walking distance or a short ride from the Bivouac every night.

DINNERS. Are included in the Rallye price every night! From the Welcome Dinner on the first night until the final Wrap-Up Dinner. So after a long day on the bike, you don't need to worry about having to hunt down some chow - we've got it sorted for you.



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KTM ADVENTURE RALLYE RIDERS OFFERED THE ULTIMATE RACE OPPORTUNITY

KTM ULTIMATE RACE

KTM New Zealand is excited to announce the KTM ULTIMATE RACE Qualifiers is back as part of the 2019 KTM New Zealand Adventure Rallye!

WHAT IS THE KTM ULTIMATE RACE? »

Introduced to bring together the global KTM Adventure Rallye communities. With six KTM Adventure Rallye events now taking place all over the world, two lucky Rallye Riders from each country will qualify to take part in the 2020 KTM ULTIMATE RACE at the Merzouga Rally in Morocco!

The fully supported ride for each person includes flights, accommodation, entry fees, as well as a KTM 790 ADVENTURE R to race on, with a full race service. Competitors will be given a fantastic opportunity to be coached by some of the world's finest and fastest offroad racers and to be treated like Factory supported riders during the trip in which they will negotiate some of the most epic terrain.

What does this mean for you? The KTM Ultimate Race Qualification is open to V-Twin or Parallel Twin riders on the 2019 KTM New Zealand Adventure Rallye. Meaning if you partake in the Rallye, YOU could be one of the lucky two New Zealanders who qualify for KTM ULTIMATE RACE!

More information on the KTM Ultimate Race Qualification process will be released to the Registered Riders. You can find more information on the KTM Ultimate Race on the KTM Adventure Rally worldwide microsite here:

<http://www.ktm-adventure-rally.com/en/ktm-ultimate-race/>

[WATCH THE PREVIEW VIDEO HERE](#)



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So . . .

WANT TO BE A PART OF THIS ADVENTURE? »

Space is limited to 110 riders! REGISTRATIONS OPEN: FRIDAY JUNE 28TH 2019.

Once you register, you will receive the first REGISTERED RIDER DOSSIER, outlining further information to get your Rallye planning started.

We hope you can be a part of the fourth annual KTM New Zealand Adventure Rallye: Top of the South 2019!

