GENERAL INFORMATION

Dear Participant,

Thank you for registering for the **5th Golden Lap with Primož Roglič** charity cycling event and for supporting the **Primož Roglič Foundation** with your donation.

Below you will find important information about the event. Please read it carefully.

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The **Golden Lap with Primož Roglič** will take place on **11 October 2026** at **Leon Štukelj Square in Maribor**.

Registration, collection of rider numbers, and collection of cycling jerseys (for those who ordered them) will be available from **8:30 onwards**. This will be followed by an informal gathering, refreshments, and welcome speeches from the hosts.

We kindly ask all participants to report to the registration area no later than 10:15.

At **11:00**, we will begin our ride for a good cause. Detailed route information can be found below.

The expected finish time is between 14:15 and 14:30.

We kindly invite all accompanying guests attending only the reception to join us at the finish area by that time and cheer on the riders.

Upon returning to Maribor, cyclists will have approximately 20 minutes to store their bicycles, change clothes, and rejoin us at Leon Štukelj Square. Bicycle racks and a small changing area will also be available at OTP banka.

The afternoon will continue with a social gathering and an excellent entertainment programme featuring **Leopold I** and improvisation masters **Um & Kuna**. Food and drinks will be provided during the reception.

Schedule

- Official opening of the event (Leon Štukelj Square, Maribor): 8:30
- Registration and collection of rider numbers: 9:00-10:45
- Welcome speeches: 10:30-10:50
- Start of the ride: 11:00
- Refreshment stop in Ptuj: approximately 12:15
- Refreshment stop in the Municipality of Duplek: approximately 13:15, where cyclists participating in the Fast Loop will rejoin the group
- Expected finish: 14:15-14:30
- Reception with food and drinks at Leon Štukelj Square: 14:40-15:00
- Charity auction: approximately 15:15
- Official event closing: 18:00

CYCLING

Route Description

The ride will take place under a **rolling road closure** and will start at Leon Štukelj Square. From there we will continue through Hoče, Rogoza, Starše, Kidričevo and Hajdina to Ptuj, before returning via Vurberk and Duplek to Maribor.

Two refreshment stations will be available along the route:

- Ptuj
- Dvorjane (Municipality of Duplek)

The main route is 60.5 km long.

In Dvorjane, stronger and better-prepared cyclists will have the opportunity to join Primož on the **Fast Loop**, a demanding climb ridden at an average speed of approximately **30 km/h** and including **185 metres of elevation gain**.

The Fast Loop will take place under a full road closure and will be available only to cyclists who arrive at the second refreshment station within approximately one minute of the lead rider. Other participants will enjoy refreshments and social activities at the stop.

You can download the Golden Lap with Primož Roglič GPX route here:

Detailed route information is available here: GPX – Primož Roglič*

*Please note that the route available via the link also includes the Fast Loop, which will only be available to the best-prepared cyclists.

Cycling Instructions and Police Guidelines

1. This event is **NOT a race**.
2. We ride together as a group at an average speed of **21-24 km/h**.
3. Do not overtake the lead vehicle, which sets the pace for the group.
4. **Follow all instructions given by the police, motorcycle marshals, course marshals and event organisers.**
5. Despite the rolling road closure, **remain alert to all activity on and alongside the road**.
6. Stay within the **right-hand traffic lane**.
7. **Always be mindful of fellow participants.**
8. **In the event of emergency vehicles (ambulance, fire brigade, etc.), immediately allow safe passage by moving to the right side of the road.**
9. **The rolling road closure is maintained in approximately 15-minute intervals from the start to Ptuj and in approximately 30-minute intervals from Ptuj to Maribor.** Once the final police vehicle (marked **"End of Rolling Road Closure"**) passes you, you are required to obey all traffic regulations and ride on the right-hand side of the road until you rejoin the main group**. For easier navigation, we strongly**

recommend downloading the GPS route from the link in this email and uploading it to your cycling computer or smartphone.

10. **Participation in the Fast Loop is restricted to a limited group of riders, as described in the Route Description section.** All other participants should remain at the refreshment station in Dvorjane and follow the instructions of the organisers.

Additional Safety Notice

Despite the rolling road closure and the presence of marshals, the organiser **cannot guarantee that oncoming vehicles will not appear on sections of the route**. **The organiser will take every possible measure to ensure the highest level of safety throughout the Golden Lap with Primož Roglič.**

Bicycle Storage

After completing the cycling portion of the event, we kindly ask participants to store their bicycles safely.

We recommend returning bicycles to your vehicles where possible; however, bicycle storage will also be available at **Leon Štukelj Square**. While the area will be supervised, bicycle storage is entirely at the owner's risk.

A changing area will also be available in the garage of **OTP banka** for participants wishing to change clothes.

RECEPTION

Following the cyclists' arrival at the finish line, all participants are invited to join the reception and social gathering at Leon Štukelj Square.

Participants will enjoy the music programme, food and refreshments after the day's ride. **The event will conclude with a charity auction, featuring Primož's personal sporting memorabilia and a Tissot timepiece.**

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Parking

Parking options near Leon Štukelj Square:

- City Parking Garage (Location)
- Parking area near Maribor Health Centre (Location)
- Center Parking Garage (Location)
- On-street city parking

Weather

The event will take place regardless of weather conditions.

In the event of bad weather, the post-ride reception will be moved indoors to the OTP banka Centrala branch at Leon Štukelj Square. In the unlikely event that the cycling portion of the event cannot be held due to force majeure, donations will be refunded upon request.

We are pleased to share that the current weather forecast looks promising.

For any questions or additional information, please contact us at **dogodki@otpbanka.si**.

We look forward to seeing you and wish you a wonderful Golden Lap experience!

OTP banka, Tissot, Groupama Zavarovalnica, Primož Roglič Foundation and Primož Roglič