

# OTHER STUFF YOU NEED TO KNOW . . . .

## Ride Strong Bike Tours Terms and Cancellation Policy

### PAYMENT SCHEDULE

#### Regular Trips

At time of reservation \$700  
90 days prior Balance

#### TdF/Giro/Race Trips

At time of reservation \$1,000  
90 days prior Balance

#### Private/Custom Trips

Please see your itinerary for any special payment terms and cancellation schedule.

All payments may be made by check or major credit card.

After receiving your deposit and registration you will be emailed a confirmation of your registration. We will also send to you a Participant Profile, Release of Liability, packing information, travel planner and other details you may need for your trip. The Participant Profile and Release of Liability will need to be completed and returned to us 60 days before the trip. Rendezvous information and final hotel contacts will be emailed to you about 3 weeks before departure.

### CANCELLATIONS

We hope you can ride with us but if you must cancel your cycling vacation for any reason (even medical emergencies) your cancellation fee will be based on the cancellation schedule below.

#### Regular Departures

91+ days prior \$100.00  
61-90 days 25% of tour price  
31-60 days 50% of tour price  
0-30 days 100% of tour price

#### TdF/Giro/Race Trips

121+days \$200  
120 days \$1,000  
119-90 days 50% of tour price  
89-0 days 100% of tour price

### If we must cancel

Ride Strong Bike Tours reserves the right to cancel your tour for any reason. On the occasion that we cancel your tour, we will refund to you all payments received to date. Such refund will be Ride Strong Bike Tours' entire liability to you with respect to a cancelled trip. We will not be responsible for any costs or expenses you incurred in relation to the tour including airline tickets, hotels, visa fees or other related expenses associated with the tour. Our tour prices are based upon a minimum participation level. If our minimum enrollment is not met we are under no obligation to run the tour. We will inform you at least 45 days prior to the original departure date if your trip is being cancelled.

### TRIP INSURANCE

We highly recommend obtaining trip insurance to protect you should a covered medical reason or other covered emergency require you to cancel your trip. There are comprehensive plans that also include trip interruption, baggage loss and medical coverage during the trip. A great website for comparing travel insurance packages of the major carriers is [www.insuremytrip.com](http://www.insuremytrip.com). Please note, most companies require you purchase travel insurance within two weeks of your initial deposit in order to waive any pre-existing conditions.

### COST INCREASES

Tour costs are subject to increase even after you've signed up for a trip. We publish prices sometimes a year in advance of departure. Between that time and the time of the trip's departure, we are occasionally faced with significant cost increases that we cannot absorb (i.e. international currency fluctuations or significant increases in the cost of services). In the unlikely event that we have to increase the price of your trip, we'll notify you at least 60 days before departure.

### RESPONSIBILITY OF TRIP PARTICIPANTS

Trip participants have certain responsibilities to Ride Strong Bike Tours and the other trip participants. Trip participants are responsible for understanding the trip itinerary and selecting a trip in consultation with Ride Strong that is appropriate for their abilities and to their interests. At the trip leader's discretion, a participant may be asked to leave the trip if the leader feels that the person's further participation may be detrimental to the individual or other trip participants.

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