

Gstaad Velo Classic 2025 – Final Instructions



Website: www.gstaadveloclassic.ch

Date: Sunday, 14 September 2025

Location: Village Square, Saanen

Start time: 09:30 am

Dear participants,

The weather looks promising! We are delighted to welcome you to the Gstaad Velo Classic of this year – a leisurely vintage bicycle ride through the beautiful holiday region of Gstaad and the neighbouring Pays-d'Enhaut. To ensure a successful day for everyone, please observe the following information:

General Information

- **Date:** Sunday, 14 September 2025
- **Start/finish:** this year **Village square Saanen**, just 5 minutes' walk from the train station!
- **Toilets:** available on site
- **Changing rooms:** not available
- **Parking:** The **Saanen parking** is located directly underneath the village square. Please note **parking fees!**
- **Race number distribution, coffee & croissants:** from **08:30 am**
- **Start time:** **09:30 am**

Participation Conditions & Awards

- **Eligible Bicycles:** Road bikes and mountain **bikes built up to 1990** with classic components (e.g. gear shifters on the frame, single-joint rim brakes, no high-profile rims, etc.).
- **Clothing:** **Authentic cycling attire** from the era is encouraged (e.g. wool jerseys, leather shoes). Bicycle helmets are permitted.
- **Awards:** Since there are always so many great bikes and outfits, this year **the prizes will be raffled among all participants** – everyone has a chance to win!

Route & Safety

- The route **includes asphalt, gravel, and some potholes** – pure vintage feeling!
- This is a **leisurely social ride**, with no timekeeping and no rankings.
- Please be **considerate of others** and ride defensively.
- We will mostly ride **together in smaller groups** and regularly wait for each other.
- If you prefer to navigate independently, you'll find **the route(s) including GPS tracks** on the website: [The Route\(s\) - Gstaad Velo Classic](#)

Catering

- Along the way, you'll **enjoy local specialties and delicious refreshments** – included in the participation fee.

Payment & late Registration

- **Participation fee: CHF 70.–** for late registration on site (cash or via Twint).
- Spontaneous participants can register **directly at the start**.

Technical Support

- Make sure to **test your bike once** before Sunday – ideally on Saturday, right here in the region! 😊
- If you have **problems with your bike, our partner workshops** will gladly assist you the day before.
Reuteler Bikesport and Base Bikeshop in Saanen
Fredy's Bikewält in Gstaad
Sputnik Bikeshop in Zweisimmen.

Contact

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We look forward to sharing a stylish, enjoyable, and safe day with you!

Sincerely,

Your Gstaad Velo Classic Organizing Committee