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STAGE TWO

THE SCOTTISH BORDERS STAGE

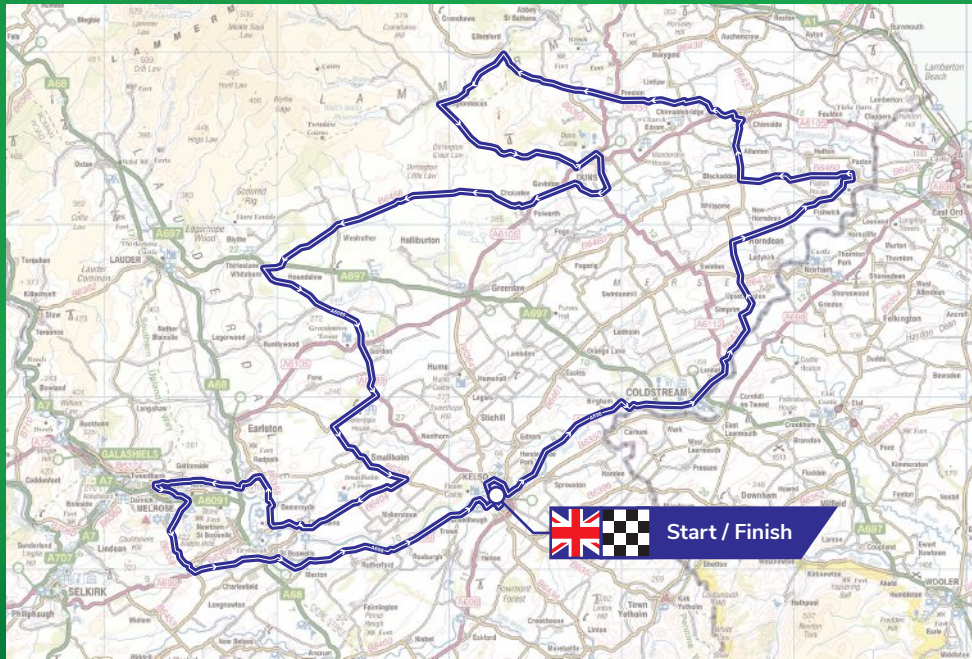
SUNDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2019



IMPORTANT EVENT INFORMATION

You have received this leaflet because a world-class sporting event, the Tour of Britain, will be passing through your area on Sunday 8 September.

Please take note of this important safety information provided.



The world's best cyclists will be racing past you!

STAGE 2

Start The Square, Kelso	11:00
Coldstream	11:30
Chirnside	12:10
Duns	12:50
Scott's View	14:00
Melrose	14:15
Finish The Square, Kelso	14:50



RESPECT THE RIDERS

We encourage everyone to get behind the riders, but please remember this is their race. Please don't block their route, run alongside them or impede their progress.



Road closures! A rolling road closure will be enforced on each of the stages. This means roads on and around the race route will be closed for a short period in which it takes the race to pass by – usually about 10 to 15 minutes around the estimated time of arrival and indicated by police escort vehicles.



No Parking! The route is marked with yellow advanced warning signs in the run up to The Tour. Please don't park on the route on the day; if necessary vehicles may have to be removed.



Listen! There will be an advance vehicle 15 minutes ahead of the race, keeping you up-to-date with what is happening in The Tour.



Caution! Please keep children back from the edge of the road and animals on a lead, away from the roadside. Riders pass by very fast, and while we encourage support, please keep flags, objects and photography equipment out of the road. **Remember, taking selfies is fun, but turning your back on the race is never a good idea. Please face the oncoming riders and race convoy at all times.**



Police! The Tour is escorted along the route by trained police officers and escort motorcyclists. If you are asked to stop by an officer, please listen carefully and obey their instructions.



Support! Don't forget, this is a major international race and Britain's largest free sporting event. So show your support for the British heroes and the international stars who will be taking part and leave them with positive memories of the support at The OVO Energy Tour of Britain.

TOP TIPS FOR SPECTATORS

- Check before you travel! Take note of the route, road closures and ETAs that may be affecting you
- Grab a safe spectator spot early and enjoy the build up to the Peloton arriving
- If you can't get to a start or finish location, check out where your nearest Sprints or King of the Mountains climbs points are along the route
- Do not obstruct the riders in any way. Keep children and animals back from the roadside
- The whole stage is live on TV. ITV4 will be showing flag-to-flag live coverage of the entire stage plus a nightly highlights programme at 20:00, bringing you all of the best bits of the day's action
- Keep up-to-date with the latest news and action via the website and our Twitter @tourofbritain #OVOToB
- We want you and the riders to have an unforgettable Tour experience, so soak up the atmosphere and make some noise!

Don't forget you can visit tourofbritain.co.uk/stages for further information including detailed maps and an ETA timings document of your stage.

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