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"Rudi Altig Memorial Tour" in South Germany 5th TRETRO around the Technik Museum Sinsheim



Group picture of former and current cycling stars: Source TMSNH



A real Peugeot fan: Source: TMSNH



Start/Finishing line of TRETRO: Source TMSNH

Sinsheim. On Sunday 15 September 2019, it is time once again to say "steel instead of carbon": Organiser and racing cycling sport enthusiast, Jockel Faulhaber is once again expecting numerous well-known cycling stars, many of them Olympic champions and world champions, to take part in the 5th TRETRO at the Technik Museum Sinsheim. Registrations will be accepted up until the 12th of August.

With "Cycling Sports Legends", the TRETRO will offer a unique opportunity for racing cyclists who are enthusiasts for retro to take a pleasant ride through Kraichgau on racing cycles built before 1987 in outfits from the time. Racing cycles are only permitted if they correspond stylistically and technically to cycles built before 1987. Basically, the focus of the ride will be the enjoyment of riding old racing cycles, as well as exchanging experiences with like-minded people and former cycling legends. TRETRO is not a race; times will not be recorded. The tour will be accompanied by former and active cycling stars, who participants can meet the evening before at the "Legends Party" in the spaces of the "Jockels Racing Cycle Collection" at the Technik Museum Sinsheim.

After a detailed presentation of the prominent cyclists by the cycling expert Hans Kuhn, the participants will start in the direction of Eppingen. The distance is 52 km – past magnificent vineyards and along the Elsenz. Alternatively, it is possible to drive the route in a shortened version of 33 km, which is easy even for racing cycles without gears to cope with. The tour is well signposted and is accompanied by route guides and motorcyclists, a lead vehicle with loudspeaker announcements, service cars, vintage escort vehicles as well as a clean-up car.

A lively supporting programme will be provided on the Sunday not only for participants but also for museum visitors who just want to get a taste of cycling. Fans will be able to collect the signatures of cycling sports stars at an autograph session with the famous participants. Artistic contributions of ex-trick cycling world champion, Jens Schmitt, a large exhibition of the RV OPEL 1888 Rüsselsheim as well as a presentation of the great cycling sport photographs by Rainer Kraus and Hennes Roth are also on the program. Cycling sport caricatures by Thomas Zipfel, retro dance performances by the Stegmeier dance school, and a colourful parts market

for retro racing cycles complete the event. The museum team provides real hospitality. Access to the open-air museum area, where the supporting programme takes place, is free of charge. Throughout the day, visitors will be able to visit the "Jockels Racing Cycle Collection" as part of a museum visit. This collection unique in Germany includes over 60 racing cycles of all eras as well as jerseys and countless other exhibits that have made cycling sport history.

At TRETRO, any cycling sport fan who fulfils the conditions for participation can join the ride. Participant numbers are limited, so please register early. The deadline for registrations for both the ride and the "Legends Party" is August 12, 2019. Information on the participation conditions and registration is available at www.tretro.de or from the event organiser Joachim Faulhaber (Telephone +49(0)631 - 370 370 0 / Mobile +49(0)173 - 325 49 59 / e-mail: info@joremu.de).

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