

POSTCARDS FROM OUR READERS

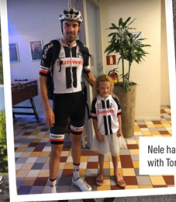


Nele from Limburg takes the prize as youngest and most dedicated cycling fan around. She is 7 years old and loves watching races and meeting the riders. We are proud and overjoyed to receive this beautiful card from Nele.

POSTCARD FROM NELE



Nele and Cecilie Ulstrup-Ludwig



Nele hanging out with Tom Dumoulin.



Beegden Limburg

Hey GripGrab

POSTCARD FROM RASMUS

At the moment I'm enjoying life here in Santiago de Chile. The Andes provide fast, rocky and loose trails like I've never tried before. They call it "The Antigua". It makes you feel like you are surfing down the mountain. In the beginning I thought it was quite difficult, but as soon as I got the hang of it, honestly - it has given me some of the best moments I've ever had on my bike. "Never lose your grip" is virtually impossible here, but thanks to my preferred glove (the vertical glove) I at least feel glued to the bars. Thanks, GripGrab for contributing to one of my best trips so far!

Best Regards
Rasmus Jørgensen



POSTCARD FROM '7 YEARS AROUND THE WORLD BY BICYCLE'



Hi all, just like you we are homebound due to the Corona virus. The start of our world tour to explore the world by bike is postponed, we are temporarily stationed with solely our world tour gear in a vacant bed and breakfast waiting for borders to reopen and social distancing to be abolished. While waiting we are learning Spanish, finding our way around our gadgets, caring for Ben's parents and so on. Our lives turned upside down and many people died, but our dream of cycling 100,000 km in about 7 years is still alive. When the lockdowns are abolished and a vaccine is in near sight we will leave Maastricht (the Netherlands) and cycle to the east, crossing Turkey, Iran, China and Mongolia. Then to the south, visiting India, Indonesia and Australia. After that, we will head towards Canada and the US. Through Central America, we will cycle all the way down to Patagonia. Finally, we will ride through Africa and back to Europe. Want to see how we are doing? Check our website www.xplndr.today. Our challenge is to do this world tour as green as can be. So bye bye airplane, hello sailing boat ☺ we want to help people we meet, if needed, in any kind of way. Not by giving money but by buying the things people need. We collect 1 euro for every kilometer we cycle. Our goal is 100,000 euro. - See you in Maastricht in 2027 with a trillion of stories about our massive adventure of a lifetime. All the best from Ben & Linda.