

momentum



For summer cycling holidays, Morzine is at 1000m and there is a fair amount of riding that can be done without encountering the steeper mountain climbs. It is certainly possible to weave your way around a few of the resorts within the Portes du Soleil without having to necessarily go over the top.

We can provide airport transfers and equipment hire, but most importantly we do have a guide that can be hired on a daily basis for groups to tour them around the area. Should the group want, the guide can be hired on a weekly basis with a set trip each day. The guide will ascertain the standard of the group and tailor the rides accordingly.

He reports, *“Road cycling locally is very challenging, requiring some degree of fitness and experience, and not really suitable for complete beginners (i.e. anyone who does no more than a few miles on local lanes). However, in the area closer to Lake Geneva and in neighbouring valleys there are some much gentler rides which I'm sure they would really enjoy, but would require a vehicle to shuttle to and fro.”*

With regards to the vehicle to get you around this is not a problem as we have a couple of vehicles and would be happy to transport you.

There is also the possibility of being entered into one of the local Cyclo-sportives held each weekend throughout June.

As for a little more information about the resort and what can be offered, for the more serious cyclist a typical week of guiding could include the following;

6 guided days out in the saddle.

The days generally follow the itinerary below:

day 1 - Col du Corbier and Col du Taillet - 56 km - 1530 m ascent.

day 2 - Tour du Roc d'Enfer (col de la Ramaz) - 77 km - 1740 m ascent.

day 3 - Col de Joux Vert, mines D'Or - 48km - 1300m ascent.

day 4 - Col de Joux Plane - 96.6 km - 2085 m ascent

day 5 - Col du Colombiere - 68 km - 1595 m ascent

day 6 - Chalais cols toward lake Geneva - 74 km 1560m ascent.

This is the other extreme but it goes some way to illustrate the scope of cycling that is on offer in the region. It is not necessary for the group to take one option or the other as we can tailor the holiday around what the group or individual is hoping to achieve. The guides are available on a daily basis so we can arrange just a couple of days of guiding leaving you the remainder of the week to discover the region for yourself.

Members of CC Weymouth will always receive a warm welcome.