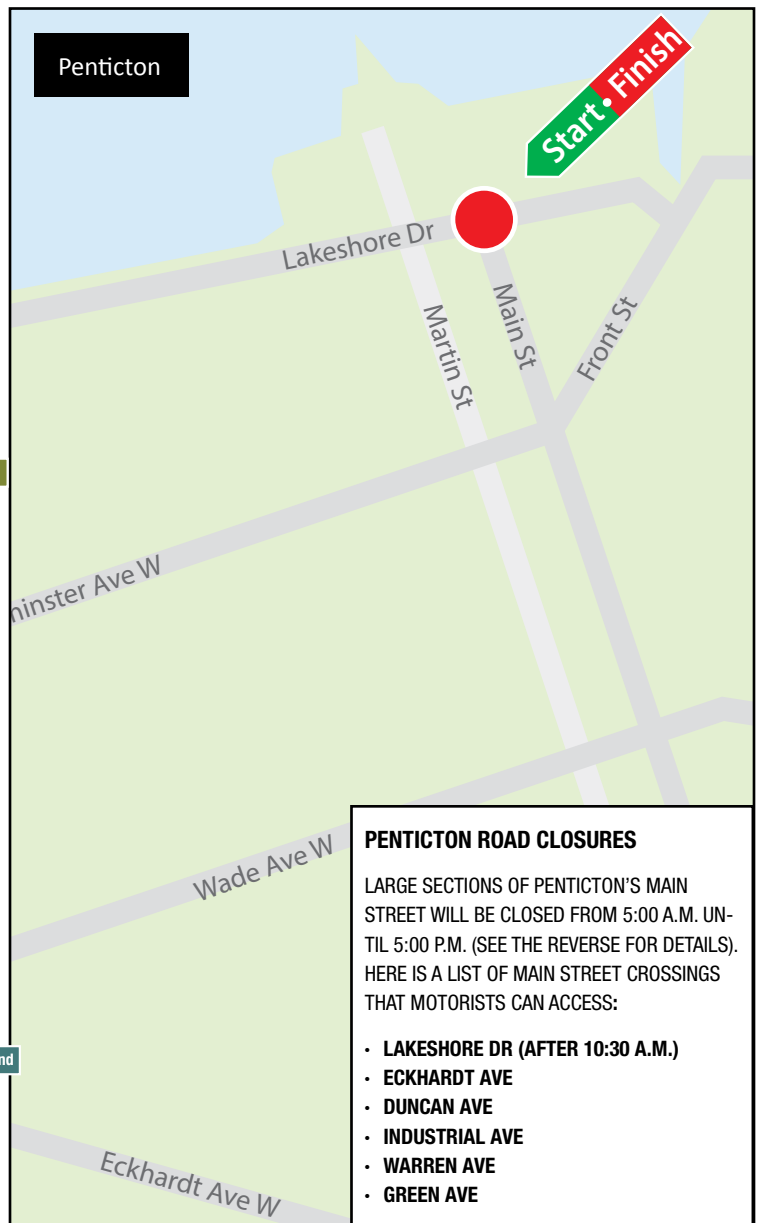
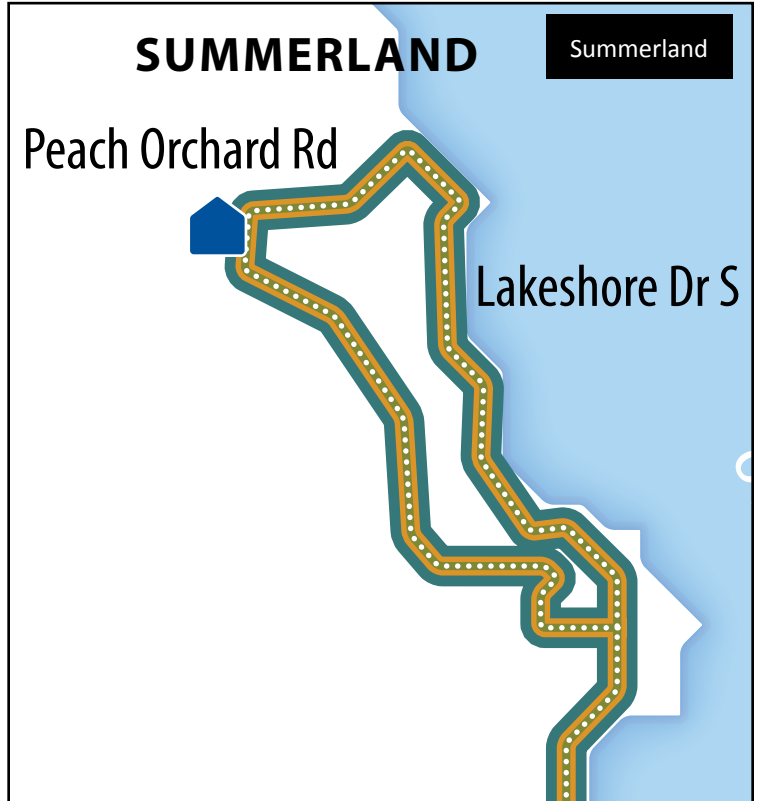
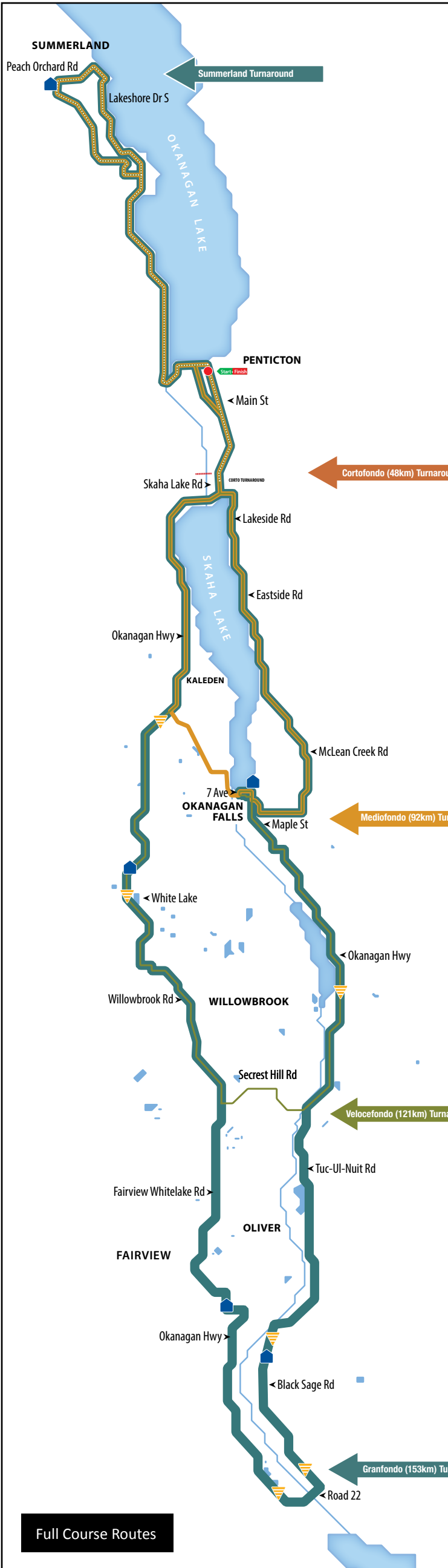




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PENTICTON JULY 14, 2024

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SPECIAL EVENT NOTICE TO RESIDENTS

Sunday July 14, 2024

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(see Reverse for Maps)

On the morning of Sunday, July 14, 2024, 2,400 cyclists of all skill levels will participate in the 12th annual Okanagan Granfondo bike ride through the South Okanagan.

The event begins (6:30 a.m.) along Penticton's Main Street near Lakeshore Drive, and travels through the towns of Summerland, Okanagan Falls, Oliver and Kaleden, before winding its way back to Penticton's Gyro Park and Rotary Park.

How Does This Affect You? RCMP and event organizers are working to ensure a safe route. While road closures will be limited, residents and commuters should expect delays and be prepared to use alternate routes. The map (on reverse) highlights the ride route to help you navigate around the event. Residents and commuters will encounter fewer delays and disruptions as the ride progresses through the City of Penticton and the South Okanagan. Several signalized intersections will be put in flash mode with traffic being controlled by a Traffic Control Person or the RCMP. For traffic information, visit: www.okanagangranfondo.com/traffic/

Road Closed - Sunday July 14	Between	Time Closed	Time of Re-Open
Riverside / Lakeshore	Main and Eckhardt	5:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Main St (Full Closure)	Lakeshore and Westminster	5:00 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
Main St (Full Closure)	Wade and Kinney	5:30 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Lee Ave (Eastbound lane)	Skaha Lake Rd. and South Main St.	7:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
Martin	Lakeshore and Westminster	6:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Martin (Left lane Southbound Closed)	Westminster and Eckhardt	6:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Lakeshore (Summerland)	Hwy. 97 and Peach Orchard Rd.	6:30 a.m.	8:30 a.m.
Peach Orchard Road	Lakeshore to Rosedale	6:30 a.m.	8:30 a.m.
Jubilee	Rosedale to Kelly	6:45 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
Giants Head	Prairie Valley and Gartrell Rd	6:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
Gartrell (Westbound)	Tait to Arkell	6:45 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Skaha Lake Rd <small>(Right lane Northbound closed. Local traffic only)</small>	Channel Parkway and Kinney	5:30 a.m.	4:00 p.m.

As noted above, large sections of Penticton's Main Street will be closed from 5:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Main Street crossings that motorists can access:

Lakeshore Dr (after 10:30 a.m.) • Eckhardt Ave • Duncan Ave • Industrial Ave • Warren Ave • Green Ave

ALSO NOTE: On Saturday, July 13th, Lakeshore Drive between Winnipeg St and Riverside Drive will be closed for the Kids' Piccolofondo event, from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. *Main St from Lakeshore to Westminster will remain closed until 5p.m. Sunday, July 14th*

The Granfondo (153km), Velocefondo (120km), Mediofondo (85km) and Cortofondo (48km) events all begin at 6:30 a.m. on Penticton's Main Street – adjacent to Gyro Park. Via Lakeshore Dr., participants connect to Riverside Dr., and then onto Hwy 97. The ride continues along Hwy 97 to Summerland. Exiting on Lakeshore Dr., cyclists ride up to Rosedale, then head south on Rosedale to Prairie Valley Road. Riders will turn south on Giants Head, off Prairie Valley Rd. and continue on Giants Head to Gartrell Rd. Turning left onto Gartrell Rd., riders will continue to Hwy 97 via Johnson Rd. Cyclists re-enter Penticton via Riverside Dr. and Lakeshore Dr. Riders then turn south along Martin St. At Eckhardt Ave. riders merge onto Main St. and proceed to Kinney Ave., where they continue south along Skaha Lake Road. While Cortofondo riders finish, Granfondo, Velocefondo & Mediofondo riders proceed south along East Side Rd., turning east onto McLean Creek Rd. Riders will follow McLean Creek Rd. until it becomes 10th Ave. at which point riders will access the Christie Park aid station via Maple St. and 7TH Ave. The aid station signals the split of the

85km Mediofondo group (who will return to Penticton via Hwy 97.) and the Granfondo & Velocefondo groups who will head south on Oliver Ranch Rd., crossing Hwy 97 at Vaseux Lake. From Hwy 97, Granfondo riders turn left onto Tuc-Ul-Nuit Rd. and continue south on Black Sage Rd. Velocefondo riders will continue along Hwy 97 and take a right on Secrest Hill Rd. Granfondo riders will veer west on 22 Rd. and back onto Hwy 97, heading to Oliver. They will turn west again at 5 Rd., and up to Fairview Mountain Golf Course, before merging onto Willowbrook Rd. It's along Willowbrook Rd., at Secrest Hill Rd., that Granfondo riders will merge with Velocefondo riders. Both groups of riders will continue along Fairview White Lake Rd., past St. Andrews By the Lake Golf Course and onto Hwy 97. Mediofondo, Velocefondo & Granfondo riders merge at this point and proceed north on Hwy 97 through Kaleden, and then into Penticton, via Skaha Lake Rd. To reach the finish, all riders travel north on Main St. Riders return to Penticton's Rotary Park between 8:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.



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On July 14th please phone the call centre at **778.594.2783** with traffic related questions.