






GIRO PANORAMICO 2021 Welcome to **Cotswold Alfa Day!**

PLEASE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE YOU START THE GIRO ROUTE

- ZERO YOUR MILEOMETER!** Remember: **Mileage** shown is **cumulative**, ie the mileages show the figure for the distance you have travelled and what your reading should be at the point of the next instruction. *Different cars may show marginally different mileage counts, so these are approximate.*
- Always continue straight ahead on the main thoroughfare unless directed to do otherwise.
- Many of the roads are **single-track**: beware blind bends, oncoming vehicles and potholes.
- Take care! Possible deer , cyclists  and horses  on the road throughout the route! *Take extra care at all crossroads where you do not have priority!*
- You will be directed to start at intervals by one of the Cotswold team. To arrive at Batsford in good time, please aim to **leave by 10:30am - 11:00am**. *If you are driving on your own, we recommend that you arrange to follow another car if possible.*
- Take your time! It is not a race! No prizes for distance travelled or earliest arrivals! Provided you don't get lost, the **67-mile** journey should take around **2½ hours** non-stop.
- At **Batsford Arboretum GL56 9AD**, please park **in gear** and with **handbrake on**.

COMPETITION TO WIN A REVIVE CAR CARE KIT

- Answer the 14 questions included in the Giro directions.
- We have provided you with an **ANSWER SHEET**. Please hand it in at the AROC Cotswold Section gazebo at **Batsford Arboretum** before 2.30 pm.
- Results will be announced at prize giving later in the afternoon.



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The Alfa Romeo Owners Club expects all those taking part in Giro Panoramico to drive sensibly and legally. Please obey the speed limit at all times. All cars taking part must be road legal. The Alfa Romeo Owners Club accepts no responsibility for damage to persons or property, however caused, that may occur during Cotswold Alfa Day.

The organisers would like say a huge “thank you” to all the Cotswold Section members who have supported the event with their encouragement and attendance. Deserving of a special thank you are our giro planners, parking marshals, distributors of route plans, ticket sellers and anyone else who has accepted a ‘hands-on’ role in making COTSWOLD ALFA DAY 2021 a success. We would also like to thank Mark Knight of RetroMarques for his continued support and sponsorship.

























Please note, this map is provided for orientation purposes only. Detailed route directions appear on the following pages. The letters are for organisers' reference.














Giro Panoramico 2021 Route Directions












No.		Instructions and Notes	Approx. Mileage
1		Turn left out of <i>The Cotswold Foodstore</i> car park onto the A424 .	0.0m
2		After a couple of miles, take the left turn signposted Snowhill/Snowhill 3 , just before the A44 junction, and proceed down the single-track road.	2.3m
3		After a mile bear left , signposted Stow-On-The-Wold 9½, Bourton-On-The-Water 10½ .	3.3m
4		At the next T-junction, turn left signposted Stow-On-The-Wold 7, Bourton-On-The-Water 9 .	5.6m
5		Keep going, past <i>JonJo O'Neill's Jackdaw Castle</i> racehorse stables on your right, until you come to a crossroads with the B4077 . Proceed straight on , signposted The Slaughters and Bourton on the Water . Question 1: What is the name on the brown sign pointing straight on at the junction?	7.3m
6		Proceed past <i>Adam Henson's Cotswold Farm Park</i> on your right, then take the next right turn , signed to Guiting Power and Kineton ** Caution – single track road with some potholes**	9.2m
7		Stay with this road, which eventually bears right down into Chapel Ash. Turn right at the T-junction, signposted Guiting Power ¾, Winchcombe 5¾ .	10.9m
8		Take the next left , signposted Guiting Power ½, Winchcombe 5½ and brown-signposted to <i>The Hollow Bottom</i> (pub).	11.0m
9		Drive into Guiting Power and take the first left past the <i>Farmer's Arms</i> pub, with the old <i>Watsons Bakers & Grocers</i> on the corner. The road shortly bears right around a sharp bend.	11.5m
10		Drive out of the village and on to the next T-junction. Turn right , signposted Hawling, Winchcombe 5 . ** Caution – road is narrow with limited passing places and rough surface just before the T junction** Question 2: What is the name by the gates opposite the junction as	13.7m

		you turn right?	
11		Follow the lane almost immediately round a sharp left bend, drive through Hawling, then bear right (right fork) opposite a church.	14.1m
12		Turn right at the next T-junction (un-signposted).	14.4m
13		Take the next left , signposted Brockhampton 1¼, Andoversford 4. ** Narrow single track road. Note signpost is overgrown** Question 3: What is the name on the gates on the right as you drive down the hill?	14.9m
14		Take the next right , signposted Brockhampton 1¼. ** Narrow single track road **	15.5m
15		The lane will bring you into Brockhampton. On entering the village, bear left around a sharp bend.	16.4m
16		Turn right at the next T-junction, signposted Andoversford 2½, Winchcombe 4¾ , and continue to drive through the village. Question 4: What is the age of The Craven Arms pub (on the right as you drive through the village)?	16.5m
17		At the crossroads opposite a gateway to <i>Deer Park</i> , turn left , signposted Sevenhampton ½, Andoversford 2.	16.8m
18		At the next T-junction turn left as you enter Syreford, signposted on the left to Andoversford and Stow on the Wold ** Note - sign is overgrown **	18.0m
19		You will shortly come to another junction. Bear right downhill, signposted Andoversford ½.	18.2m
20		Drive under the old <i>Banbury & Cheltenham Railway</i> bridge and turn right at the next T-junction, signposted Cheltenham A436. Question 5: What height is the bridge?	18.5m
21		You will quickly come to a traffic-lighted T-junction with the A40. Turn left at the lights and then turn almost immediately right across the dual carriageway, signposted Andoversford Village Only.	18.8m
22		Drive through Andoversford and uphill out of the village. Turn left at the small crossroads signposted Withington 2¼.	19.5m

23		At the next crossroads head straight on , signposted Withington 2 .	19.7m
24		Continue to Withington. Enter the village around a right-hand bend, with a church on your left and primary school right. Take the right turn immediately past the school into the short village high street, signposted Chedworth 3¼, Cirencester 9 .	21.8m
25		At the end of the high street, bear sharp left , signposted Chedworth 3¼, Cirencester 9 .	21.9m
26		You will eventually come to a junction: turn left (actually straight on, as the main road bears right here), signed Chedworth 1, Foss Cross Industrial Estate .	24.2m
27		Continue towards Chedworth. Just past the Chedworth village sign on your left, bear left , signposted Chedworth ½, Yanworth 3½ .	24.7m
28		Drive downhill to a split in the road – take the left-hand lane (<u>not signposted</u>). At the bottom of the hill bear right towards Lower Chedworth and Calmsden . You will see the <i>Seven Tuns</i> pub on the left below the road.	25.1m
29		Just past a red phone box on your right, turn right signposted Calmsden 2, School, Village Hall .	25.3m
30		On leaving the village, you will immediately come to a crossroads – turn left , signposted Fossebridge 2¼, Bibury 5½, Foss Cross Industrial Estate .	25.4m
31		Continue for a mile or so, to arrive at a T-junction with the A429 Fosse Way . Turn right , signposted Cirencester A429 . ** Take care at the junction – fast road **	26.9m
32		Take the next left past the speed camera, with <i>The Stump</i> pub on your right, signed to Coln Rogers and Bibury (a single-track road).	27.5m
33		Head down this lane for 3 miles, passing over two minor crossroads until you come to a T-junction with the B4425 . Turn left onto the B4425, heading through the 40mph and Bibury village signs. ** Caution – potholes ** Question 6: After the second crossroads, before the junction, what is the name of the barn, signposted on the right?	30.5m
34		Continue along the B4425 and into Bibury . In the centre of Bibury, bear right at the 90-degree bend opposite <i>The Swan Hotel</i> , with the	31.3m

		<i>River Coln</i> and famous <i>Arlington Row</i> cottages over to your right.	
35		Bear left around another sharp bend and proceed up the hill.	31.5m
36		After a short distance, turn right where signposted to Coln St.Aldwyns, Quenington and Hatherop and brown-signed <i>The New Inn at Coln</i> . ** Care here – traffic coming round a blind bend to your left **	31.6m
37		Continue along the lane towards Coln St. Aldwyns. Just before entering the village, the road will bear right and arrive at a wide T-junction – turn right , signposted Coln St. Aldwyns, Fairford 4 . Question 7: Just after the junction, what is the name of the farm on the left?	33.7m
38		Drive into Coln St. Aldwyns to a crossroads with a post office directly opposite you. Turn left , signposted Hatherop 1 and Lechlade 6½ .	33.7m
39		Proceed out of the village and on into Hatherop. In Hatherop you will come to a T-junction with a bus shelter opposite. Turn left , signposted Westwell 5½, Burford 8½ .	34.6m
40		Drive out of Hatherop, with the walls of <i>Williamstrip Park</i> to your left. After a couple of miles there is a fork in the road – bear left signposted Westwell 3, Burford 5 .	36.9m
41		After short distance you will come to a T-junction. Turn left , signposted Westwell 2¾, Burford 6 .	37.1m
42		Continue straight ahead along the lane. At the second crossroads you come to, with a Give Way sign, head straight on signposted Westwell 1, Burford 3 . ** Narrow road after junction and rough surface in places **	38.5m
43		Drive into Westwell, passing a large memorial stone on your left. Just after the road bears sharp right out of the village, and by the de-restriction speed signs, take the left turn signposted to Burford . Question 8: Just after the memorial stone, what is the name of the house on the right (name plate by gates)?	40.1m
44		Stay with the road until you come to the T-junction with the A40 . Turn right , signposted Oxford, Burford A40 . ** Take care at the junction – fast road **	41.7m

45		After a short distance, take the next left (just before the Burford name sign), signposted Tanners Lane . ** Sign is on the right, partially obscured **	41.9m
46		Drive down Tanners Lane and you will come to a T-junction as you enter Burford. Turn right and head straight on, into the town centre. Question 9: What is the name of the pub on the left just after you turn right?	42.2m
47		You will shortly reach a T-junction with <i>Burford High Street</i> . Turn left and drive out of the town, over the traffic-lighted bridge crossing the <i>River Windrush</i> .	42.3m
48		Just after the bridge, there is a mini-roundabout. Turn left signposted Stow A424, Taynton .	42.7m
49		After a short distance, where the A424 bears sharp right, turn left (straight on) signposted Barringtons, Taynton .	42.8m
50		Drive straight through Taynton and 3 miles on to Great Barrington . On driving into the latter you will arrive at a T-junction and War Memorial. Turn right , and head out of the village towards Upper Rissington, eventually passing the former <i>RAF Little Rissington</i> airfield on your right.	45.8m
51	 	Drive through Upper Rissington, straight over a mini-roundabout. Where the road bears sharp right, there is a junction. Turn left , signposted Little Rissington, Bourton-On-The-Water and then immediately right , signposted Stow-On-The-Wold . Question 10: What is the name of the business on the left as you drive out of the village of Wyck Beacon?	49.7m
52		At the bottom of a hill, you will arrive at a crossroads with the A424 . Head straight on (single-track lane, signed Unsuitable for HGV's).	50.7m
53		Head down the lane, past the right turn into Icomb village, and shortly afterwards bear right , signposted on your left to Bledington, Kingham, Kingham Station , and continue down the hill.	51.8m
54		Follow the road left at the next junction, signposted Bledington 2, Stow-On-The-Wold 3½ .	51.9m
55		Take the next right , signposted Bledington 2, Kingham 3 .	52.4m
56		Stay with this road, passing through two 90-degree bends, until you come to a T-junction with the B4450. Turn right , signposted	53.8m

		Bledington ½, Kingham Station 1½.	
57		Drive into Bledington. Just past <i>The Kings Head</i> pub on your right, bear left around the village green, signposted Kingham Station 1, Chipping Norton 6, B4450 .	53.9m
58		Bear right at the next 90-degree bend, signposted Kingham Station 1, Chipping Norton 6, B4450 .	54.5m
59		Drive out of Bledington and bear left at another 90-degree bend, signposted Chipping Norton 5, Kingham 1, B4450 .	54.9m
60		A long straight road will take you past  <i>Kingham Railway Station</i> on your left to a junction. Turn left here, signposted Kingham, Wild Rabbit .	55.8m
61		Drive into Kingham and bear right around a sharp bend. Question 11: What is the name on the sign on the right as you drive into Kingham?	56.1m
62		Drive straight through the village, the road bearing sharp left, sharp right and then passing <i>The Wild Rabbit</i> and <i>Kingham Plough</i> pubs on your left. On leaving Kingham, take the left turn just past the de-restricted speed limit signs, signposted Daylesford 1½, Stow-On-The-Wold 5 . Question 12: What is the name of the church on the right as you drive through Kingham?	57.0m
63		Continue along the road, passing <i>Daylesford Organic Farm Shop</i> on your left to arrive at a T-junction. Turn right , signposted Chipping Norton A436 .	58.6m
64		Drive up the hill, past the junction for Adlestrop/Evenlode, until you come to some brown signs for <i>Chastleton House</i> . Turn left here, signposted Chastleton 1½ (a single-track road).	60.3m
65		Stay on this lane for 3 miles, through various sharp bends and passing <i>Chastleton House</i> on your right. At the T-junction with the A44, turn left , signposted Moreton, Evesham A44 . Question 13: What is the name on the white sign on the right after you have driven through Chastleton?	63.2m
66		Continue along the A44 and drive into Moreton-In-Marsh. Just after crossing the railway bridge, you will come to a mini-roundabout. Turn left , signposted Cirencester A429, Evesham A44 .	65.5m

67		<p>You will quickly come to another mini-roundabout. Turn right onto the A44, brown-signed to Batsford Arboretum (and various other local attractions) with <i>The Swan</i> pub on the corner.</p> <p>Question 14: What is the name of the attraction on the left just before the '40' sign as you leave Moreton-in-Marsh?</p>	65.6m
68		<p>Continue along the A44. Just before entering Bourton-On-The-Hill, you will see 40mph signs. Turn right here into Batsford Arboretum.</p>	67.0m
The End	Well Done, You Made It !!!		



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