

## TEAVIGO DUATHLON SERIES APRIL - JULY 2007

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The TEAVIGO DUATHLON SERIES is one of the richest in the history of the sport with a total prize pool of more than R 300 000.

Between April and July, four duathlons will take place in Maropeng, Bela Bela, Vanderbijlpark and Pretoria, making up the 2007 series. It is the intention to increase the number of events next year and to take this series to Kwazulu Natal and the Western Cape.

Apart from the individual **men's and ladies races** which start at 10.00, there is also a juniors race, a **kiddies race at 12h00**, and a **family race, a corporate and a schools relay race at 13h30**, **ALL with great prize money**.

The distances that participants have to compete in are relatively short which makes this an ideal event for anyone with a bit of fitness. The first leg is a 5 km run followed by a 20 km cycle ride and finishing off with another 2,5 km run.

DSM is one of the world's leading life science product companies, dedicated to identifying and producing new scientifically formulated ingredients which, when added to food and pharmaceutical products, have a positive impact on wellness, performance and recovery.

TEAVIGO®, the main health component of Green Tea leaves, is Pure and Active EGCG, a powerful antioxidant, and is one of these unique and exciting ingredients. As an antioxidant, TEAVIGO® is 4.8 times stronger than vitamin C and is found in Clover Manhattan Ice Tea, Revite Vit-T-Go and Bokomo Quick Break Lite Cereal Bars.

It is a privilege to be able to support both this event, this series, as well as the growing sport of duathlons. Additionally it is our intention to grow this series over the next 3 years, with not only financial sponsorship, but also with new products which contain TEAVIGO® and other state of the art ingredients from the DSM portfolio. May Duathlons and the Duathletes that participate grow from strength to strength!

**TEAVIGO Duathlon Series 2007**  
Pure and Active with Powerful Antioxidant™

Teams and Individuals  
5km Run | 20km Bike | 2.5km Run

Kiddies U/11  
1,25km Run | 5km Bike | 1.25km Run

**Total Series Prize Money R275 000**

**Race Venues and Dates**

Johannesburg	21 April 2007
Bela Bela	5 May 2007
Vanderbijlpark	9 June 2007
Pretoria	7 July 2007

**Start Times**

Open & Age Groups Individual Mens	10h00
Open & Age Groups Individual Ladies	10h00
Kiddies Race	12h00
Teams	13h30

**Grand Prix Prize Money for Total Series (Individuals Only)**

Open Mens and Ladies	R 10000.00
40-49 Mens and Ladies	R 4000.00
50+ Mens and Ladies	R 4000.00
Juniors 12-19 Boys and Girls	R 4000.00

**Grand Prix Point System**  
1st Place 20 Points – 20th Place 1 Point

**TSA ITU Rules Apply**  
To qualify for the series prize money, athletes must compete in 3 events, with the final event compulsory.

Online entries on [www.cyclelab.co.za](http://www.cyclelab.co.za) - (011) 707 2800

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**Prize Money for each event**

Open Mens and Ladies	
1st	R 5000.00
2nd	R 3000.00
3rd	R 2000.00
4th	R 1500.00
5th	R 1000.00
Teams: (1 Runner and 1 Cyclist)	
1st	R 5000.00
2nd	R 3000.00
3rd	R 2000.00
4th	R 1500.00
5th	R 1000.00
Vets 40-49 Mens and Ladies	
1st	R 1000.00
2nd	R 750.00
3rd	R 500.00
Vets 50+ Mens and Ladies	
1st	R 1000.00
2nd	R 750.00
3rd	R 500.00
Juniors 12-19 Boys and Girls	
1st	R 1000.00
2nd	R 750.00
3rd	R 500.00
Kiddies Race	
1st	R 500.00
2nd	R 300.00
3rd	R 200.00
Family (one household)	
1st	R 1000.00
2nd	R 750.00
3rd	R 500.00
Schools	
1st	R 1000.00
2nd	R 750.00
3rd	R 500.00
Corporate	
1st	R 5000.00
2nd	R 3000.00
3rd	R 2000.00
4th	R 1500.00
5th	R 1000.00

**Registration and Entry Fees**  
Online entries close Wednesday prior to each event. [www.cyclelab.co.za](http://www.cyclelab.co.za)

**Pre Entries**

- **Open Race** (5km / 20km / 2.5km) R 120.00
- **Late Entries** R 150.00
- **Kiddies Race** (1.25km / 5km / 1.25km) R 70.00
- **Late Entries** R 100.00
- **Team Race** (5km / 20km / 2.5km) R 200.00
- **Late Entries** R 250.00

**Total Series Prize Money R275 000**

All entries will receive a goodie bag.

## About DSM Nutritional Products

DSM Nutritional Products is the world's leading supplier of vitamins, carotenoids and other fine chemicals to the feed, food, pharmaceutical and personal care industries. The business has sales of about EUR 2 billion and a long tradition as a pioneer in the discovery of new products, new formulations and attractive applications for all industry segments. For further company information please visit [www.dsmnutritionalproducts.com](http://www.dsmnutritionalproducts.com)

## About DSM

DSM is active worldwide in nutritional and pharma ingredients, performance materials and industrial chemicals. The company develops, produces and sells innovative products and services that help improve the quality of life. DSM's products are used in a wide range of end-markets and applications, such as human and animal nutrition and health, personal care, pharmaceuticals, automotive and transport, coatings and paint, housing and electrics & electronics (E&E). DSM's strategy, named Vision 2010 – Building on Strengths, focuses on accelerating profitable and innovative growth of the company's specialties portfolio. The key drivers of this strategy are market-driven growth and innovation plus an increased presence in emerging economies. The group has annual sales of over €8 billion and employs some 22,000 people worldwide. DSM ranks among the global leaders in many of its fields. The company is headquartered in the Netherlands, with locations in Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and the Americas. More information about DSM can be found at [www.dsm.com](http://www.dsm.com)

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