

GIANTS CASTLE ROUTE

Tar route = 230 km

2014



Tar Route to Giants Castle in the Central Drakensberg

The Giants Castle Tar Route follows the foot of the magnificent Drakensberg Mountain Range to Breakfast at the Giants Castle Reserve (more at <http://www.giantscastle.info/>). An entrance fee to the park is payable at the gate. Breakfast is served at the camp, and if desired a range of establishments are available a short distance away for a delayed breakfast or brunch.

Turning left on to the R103 out of Midmar, you will pass the Mandela Capture Site on your right on route to Nottingham Road Fuel and numerous food venues. Turn left at Nottingham Road under the railway and proceed to Rosetta. At Rosetta turn left on to P164 and follow the road to Giants Castle Reserve.

The route back heads for Mooi River along the P19/P172 connecting with the R103.



The run down the R103 is both spectacular and a tourist paradise, with numerous attractions all the way back the Midmar for a total distance of 230 kilometers.

Food and fuel are available at Mooi River (Wimpy) or Nottingham Road at the 160 year old Notties Hotel. There are numerous places of interest to visit and to wet your whistle in this area. If your wife is with you – bring your wallet (and space in your panniers)

The views of the Drakensberg Mountains are spectacular, and the passing scene is a continuous new discovery at every vantage point (keep your eyes on the winding potholed road and stop to admire the scenery!) Read more at <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Drakensberg>

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