

High Demand for Women V Cancer's New Kilimanjaro to Coast Adventure Adds Second 2026 Date

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Ten-day Tanzania challenge supports Breast Cancer Now and Ovarian Cancer Action

LONDON – Huge demand for Women V Cancer's brand-new *Kilimanjaro to Coast* cycling challenge has led to a second October 2026 departure being added. The 10-day Tanzania adventure supports Breast Cancer Now and Ovarian Cancer Action, with departures now confirmed for **1 and 8 October 2026**.

The first departure sold **36 places in weeks**, attracting women who often describe themselves as “not cyclists.” Over **60% of past Women V Cancer participants** had never taken on anything like this before, with ages ranging from **17 to 70**.

The Route

Covering 380km in five days, the route showcases rural Tanzania far from the typical tourist trail:

- **Days 1–2:** Fly from London to Moshi, bike fitting, acclimatisation
- **Days 3–7:** Cycle through villages, past **Lake Jipe** (home to hippos, crocodiles, and zebras), climb into the **Usambara Mountains**, and descend to the coast
- **Day 8:** Beach celebration in **Tanga**
- **Days 9–10:** Return to UK (with optional Zanzibar or Kilimanjaro climb extensions)

Medical support, expert local guides, and authentic, locally-owned accommodation are included throughout.

More Than a Cycling Challenge

Women take part for many reasons — some have been through cancer treatment, others ride in support of loved ones, and many join simply to prove something to themselves.

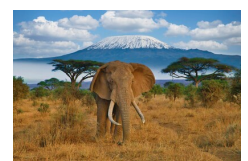
“Our challenges are designed for women of every fitness level,” says **Megan Wackett, Fundraising Manager**, Women V Cancer. “From your first pedal stroke in Moshi to dipping your wheels in the Indian Ocean, you’ll discover you’re capable of more than you imagined.”

Since its inception, **Women V Cancer** has raised **over £22 million** for its charity partners through events including the flagship *Ride the Night London* and international challenges in Kenya, Vietnam, India, and now Tanzania.

Key Facts

- **Departures:** 1 & 8 October 2026
- **Duration:** 10 days (5 cycling days)
- **Distance:** 380km
- **Cost:** £2,144 (includes £100 discount available until 05 September 2025)
- **Fundraising:** All sponsorship funds split equally between Breast Cancer Now and Ovarian Cancer Action
- **Support:** UK medical team, local guides, locally-owned accommodation
- **Optional extensions:** Zanzibar beach stay or Kilimanjaro climb

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About Women V Cancer

Women V Cancer is the women-only cycling brand operated by Dream Challenges, raising vital funds for Breast Cancer Now and Ovarian Cancer Action. Since launch, it has empowered thousands of women to take on life-changing adventures while supporting causes close to their hearts.

About Dream Challenges

Dream Challenges, part of the Specialist Journeys Group, has been operating charity challenge events worldwide for over 25 years. The company specialises in authentic, locally-focused adventures in 30+ destinations each year, working exclusively with local guides and accommodation providers. All trips are fully ABTA-protected.

Media Assets Available:

- High-resolution images from previous Tanzania challenges
- Past participant case studies
- Full itinerary and route maps
- B-roll footage from past events

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