

THE COMMANDER LEADS ON DAY 6 IN THE DURANGO Day 6 Zacatecas - Durango

DURANGO, 21 OCTOBER.- The 70th Anniversary of La Carrera Panamericana would not be complete without returning the essence of the Golden Era of this competition, the original routes of the Panamericana Route.

On Wednesday, the participants visited 19 municipalities in Durango, as they did in its early years, among them are Canatlán, Nuevo Ideal, Tepehuanes, San Pedro del Gallo, Nazas and Gómez Palacios, thus honoring the history that has undoubtedly gone hand in hand with the 33 new editions by its Honorary President, Eduardo León and his working group.

Day 6 of competition is one of the most important for the all the participants since it became one of the longest stages, getting in one piece to the finish line arch became one of the main missions after leaving the state of Zacatecas.

As everyone expected, came the one that is considered along with Mil Cumbres, the queen test of La Carrera Panamericana: El Espinazo del Diablo, the speed stage with the highest number of kilometers to travel. This took place at 13:46 p.m., being the fourth test of the day. There, without a doubt, the running pace, the performance of the brakes, rims and motors, should work perfectly in motion to beat the stopwatch.

The experience and strategies of the different teams were marking the positions on the timetable at the end of the afternoon. On the next to last day, Ricardo Cordero and Marco Hernández handed the victory to Hilaire and Laura Damiron, who celebrated with El Commander, the second triumph of this edition. Just nine seconds apart from Tuesday's stopwatch came El Malditillo, which continues step by step to secure its triple crown.

Gabriel Pérez and Angelica Fuentes' Studebaker did not complete the evening stages because their car suffered mechanical problems and had to be taken to the service area for repairs. This opened the door for Diego Cándano to again obtain, for the second day in a row, the third best time of the competition.

Tomorrow, we will be closing La Carrera Panamericana in style with the so-called "Stage of Legends", this when the teams leave Durango towards Torreón, Coahuila, by road number 45, which was part of the original route of this competition and in which they filmed great legends such as Hersel McGriff, Juan Manuel Fangio and Felice Bonetto, among others.

Lastly, the winners of La Carrera Panamericana will be crowned at the Plaza Mayor de La Comarca Lagunera for the first time ever.



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About La Carrera Panamericana

La Carrera Panamericana is the most important and most traveled road rally speed car event in the world. It has been compared as a mix with Mile Miglia, Italy's Targa Florio and Tripoli's Grand Prix. Pilots from all over the world compete together for seven intense days traveling more than 3,000 km in grueling conditions. Its history is divided into two eras, the golden era that took place from 1950 to 1954 and the modern era from 1988 to date with 32 uninterrupted editions.

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