

Tristan Time Race

Right after the Seoul to Seoul Timed Race, in which the best time to run was a few hours after the race opened, I thought it was unlikely that in the Tristan Race the same thing could happen.

In view of this I had agreed to take my family to an art exhibition the day that the Tristan Race started.

While the family was getting ready to go I went to have a look into the race and, to my surprise, the conditions to start seemed to be perfect right at that moment, so I started without thinking it twice.

Cancelling the art exhibition appointment was out of the question, so I persuaded the family that we should take a taxi instead of driving because parking would be difficult.

We took the taxi with my laptop so I was able to steer my boat. The art exhibition was big enough to get lost to be able to steer the boat around Tristan Island, and the rest of the race was quite easy to do.

I was surprised to be in the podium in such emergency condition.

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PD1. I enjoy art but obviously also SOL, and I am happy I could combine both this time.

PD2. It happened to be true that parking was indeed a problem, so family forgave.