

Africa Race: Two Brothers Between Paris And Dakar

6 x 60'

EPISODIC BREAKDOWN

1. Episode 001

The time has come: Following a long period of preparation, the actor brothers Tobias Moretti and Gregor Bloéb are starting the Africa Race from Paris, which will lead them through Spain, Morocco and Mauritania into the capital of Senegal. In the first episode, we accompany the two excited hobby motorcyclists from the Eiffel Tower to the official start of the race in St. Cyprien, all the way to the ferry in Almeria, which brings them to Africa...

2. Episode 002

Having arrived in Africa, the events come thick and fast for the two race participants. After exiting the ferry and making final navigation preparations, Tobias and Gregor are already on the starting line of their first timed stage of the Africa Race. In their nervousness before the start, the brothers recall the first time they participated in a race, at the Erzberg Rodeo, in which winning a place was irrelevant. And then the starting gun at the toughest desert rally goes off...

3. Episode 003

After the first successfully completed kilometers through the sand and the steppes of Morocco, the brothers' ambitions have flared up. The stresses and strains of the many successive stages, everyday life in the bivouac, as well as the rankings lists suddenly play a role. Recollections of their training camp with rally champion Cyril Després, who taught them about all the perils and dangers, are becoming a reality.

4. Episode 004

While Gregor Bloéb can be celebrated in heroic fashion due to his good placing in the rally, Tobias Moretti—nine years older yet a technically better motorcyclist—is preoccupied with the physical stresses and strains. Only a few months earlier, he still had to battle a torn Achilles' tendon—an injury that very nearly meant the end of the whole undertaking. Yet Tobias fights his way back...

5. Episode 005

Endless kilometers through the softest sand and dunes several meters tall wear heavily at Tobias Moretti and Gregor Bloéb. While the memories of the final preparations for the great adventure are still fresh in their minds, the goal is approaching in large steps. Gregor is at the end of his rope, yet Tobias drags his brother along. Soon they are in Dakar, holding their wives Julia and Nina in their arms...

6. Episode 006