



Tim in KY VaE Stage 1 is a 23-kilometer team time trial in downtown Utrecht. It is the first of three stages in the Netherlands. There are some technical corners but the profile is pan flat.

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Tim in KY <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1660847051-VaE%20Stage%201%20Map.jpg>

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Tim in KY <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1660847062-VaE%20Stage%201%20Profile.jpg>

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Tim in KY First team leaves the start house at 18:30 CEST, last team at 19:58. It is imagined that it will take 24 minutes to complete the course. Forecast is for the likelihood of wet roads early, temps in the low-20s.

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Tim in KY TTT start times: <https://www.cyclingstage.com/vuelta-2022/stage-1-start-times-spain-2022/>

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09:09:53 am



Tim in KY Be interesting who we get on Peacock. McCrossen and Roche or Roll and Horner.

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12:27:54 pm



Tim in KY So far, nobody despite the first team has already started.

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12:32:42 pm



Tim in KY It's Roll and CVV.

08-19-2022
12:33:06 pm



SFinAus Hello guys. I guess we just got our answer about announcers.

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12:34:47 pm



BikerAbe Wanty on the way

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12:35:48 pm



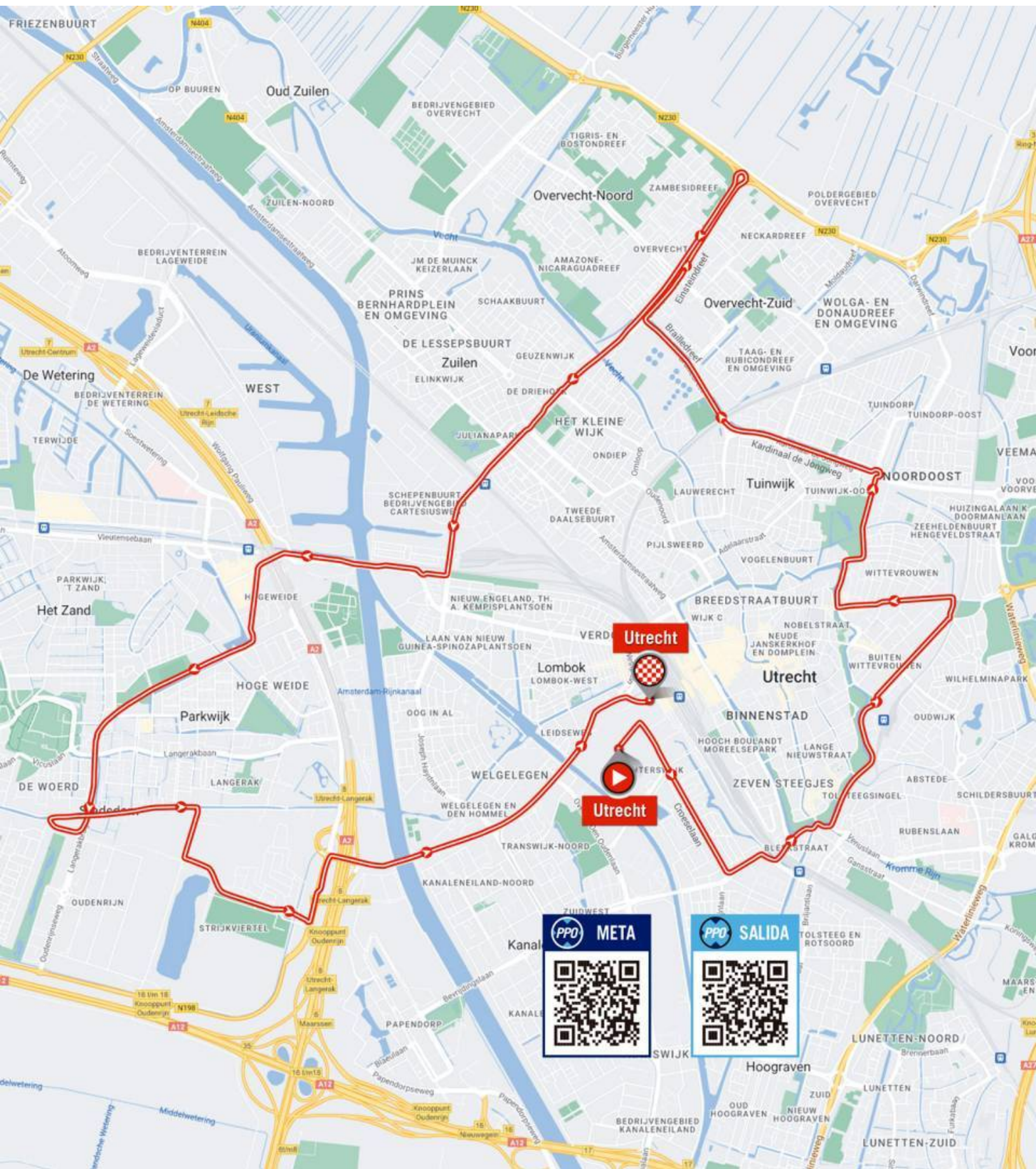
Tim in KY Lots of new jerseys for this race. Lots of white and fluorescent yellow. Which Wanty already was.

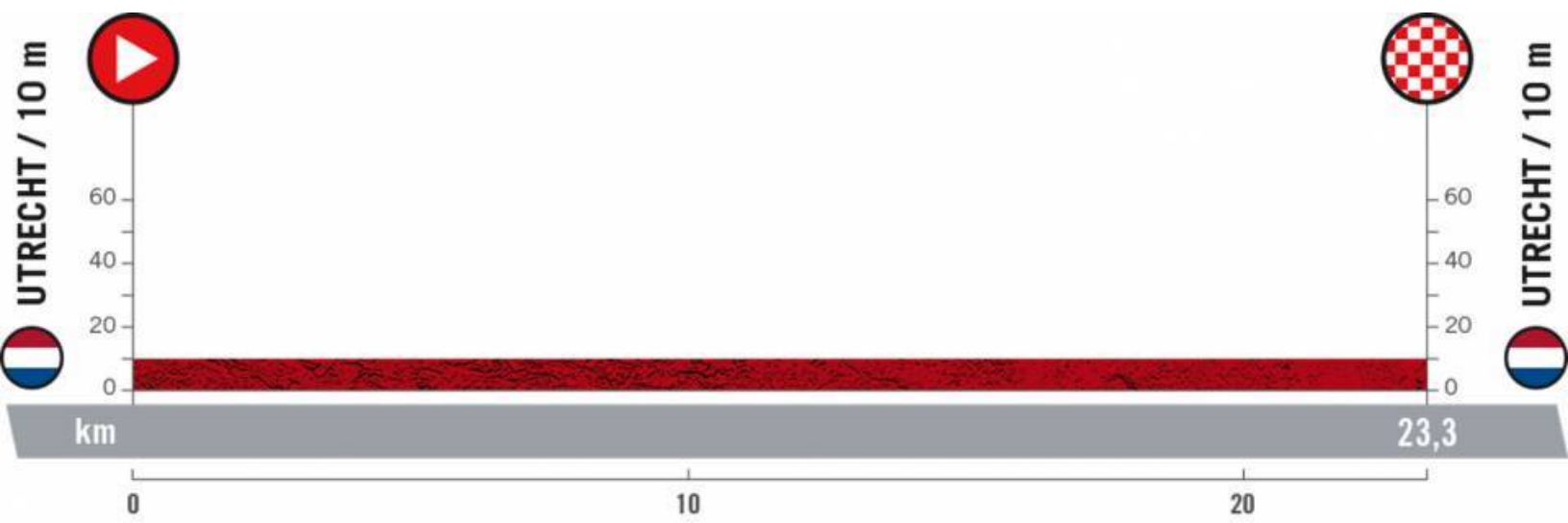
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Charlie in Tenn Who is winning?

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12:37:03 pm







Charlie in Tenn Oh, it just started. My bad.

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12:37:43 pm



SFinAus It's still tied.

08-19-2022
12:37:46 pm



SFinAus :)

08-19-2022
12:37:50 pm



Tim in KY Wait! there's not supposed to be ads on Peacock Premium.

08-19-2022
12:42:02 pm



SFinAus Yeah, I know!

08-19-2022
12:42:19 pm



SFinAus Ugh.

08-19-2022
12:42:26 pm



Tim in KY Lots of showers around on radar.

08-19-2022
12:43:11 pm



SFinAus A tight technical TTT in the rain.Â :S-

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12:44:47 pm



Tim in KY Wet roads for Burgos just now.

08-19-2022
12:44:50 pm



BikerAbe Arkea only have 7 withdrawal of Nairo

08-19-2022
12:47:05 pm



BikerAbe neon lime green jerseys

08-19-2022
12:47:40 pm



Tim in KY I wonder why they didn't sub someone in.

08-19-2022
12:47:54 pm



Trish in MA Greetings all. Hanging out in a cool hip cafe in Cambridge and in the Nut Pub with a cider and Peacock streaming. Â Life right now is good

08-19-2022
12:48:22 pm



BikerAbe too late?

08-19-2022
12:48:33 pm



Tim in KY Don't know.

08-19-2022
12:49:02 pm



Trish in MA That would be my guess. I donâ€™t recall seeing his name in Velogames

08-19-2022
12:49:31 pm



BikerAbe IPT fastest half way

08-19-2022
12:52:57 pm



Tim in KY For such a small course, the weather is really spotty.

08-19-2022
12:54:04 pm



Trish in MA Euskaltel on the road

08-19-2022
12:57:00 pm



Charlie in Tenn I will be back in about an hour. Keep chatting about fun and exciting things.

08-19-2022
12:59:34 pm



BikerAbe EF on the road

08-19-2022
12:59:43 pm



Trish in MA Burgos just finished in 26:38

08-19-2022
12:59:44 pm



BikerAbe BikeX on road

08-19-2022
01:03:52 pm



Trish in MA IPT just finished with best time. 25:44

08-19-2022
01:05:51 pm



BikerAbe FDJ fastest now

08-19-2022
01:08:41 pm



Trish in MA How do they decide the start order for a Stage 1 TTT? Â Names out of a hat?

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01:08:48 pm



BikerAbe last start last year winner JV

08-19-2022
01:09:25 pm



Tim in KY Yes, Trish, except for JV the order is by luck of the draw.

08-19-2022
01:11:03 pm



SFinAus That wet 180 in a tight traffic circle - with copious white paint - looks treacherous

08-19-2022
01:15:28 pm



Trish in MA I like TTTs. Something about seeing the team really work as a unit. Conflicted about its place in a GT where results are individual but still they are very cool. Maybe I'll plan a trip to Barcelona next year that "just happens" to coincide with the Vuelta

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01:15:48 pm



SFinAus I agree, Trish.

08-19-2022
01:16:24 pm



Trish in MA Wheel change on the start line for Lotto. And they are off

08-19-2022
01:17:56 pm



Tim in KY BEX fastest for now.

08-19-2022
01:28:40 pm



Tim in KY Some sunshine for Bora.

08-19-2022
01:32:23 pm



Trish in MA I have a few Boras on one of my teams, so go, guys, go!

08-19-2022
01:32:57 pm



Trish in MA Bora first check doing well.

08-19-2022
01:42:50 pm



Trish in MA 2 seconds faster than BikeX at first check

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01:43:52 pm



Trish in MA Innies on the road

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01:47:37 pm



Trish in MA Quick-Step on the road.

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01:52:26 pm



BikerAbe Movistar in white !

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01:53:38 pm



Trish in MA Bora down to 5 riders

08-19-2022
01:54:17 pm



Trish in MA MoviStar on road, with special jerseys celebrating Valverde

08-19-2022
01:55:45 pm



Tim in KY I'm not sure how a white jersey "celebrates" him.

08-19-2022
01:56:21 pm



Trish in MA Bora in 2nd, 10 seconds slower than BikeX

08-19-2022
01:56:45 pm



Tim in KY Bora slowed way down at the ends.

08-19-2022
01:56:49 pm



Trish in MA That's what happens when you lose guys

08-19-2022
01:57:38 pm



Trish in MA I was wrong. Â Bora in 3rd

08-19-2022
01:57:55 pm



Tim in KY Looks like they've dodged the rain today.

08-19-2022
01:58:38 pm



Trish in MA Movistar already shedding riders

08-19-2022
01:58:43 pm



Trish in MA JV on road

08-19-2022
01:59:12 pm



Tim in KY Last team on the road.

08-19-2022
01:59:16 pm



SFinAus Okay, I know it's early in a GT to start picking on commentators, buuut, why does Roll insist on saying "The Covid"?

08-19-2022
01:59:29 pm



BusterSci Snuck in to see the last team

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01:59:36 pm



SFinAus Timing is everything!

08-19-2022
02:00:01 pm



Trish in MA UAE in in 2nd spot

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02:00:44 pm



Trish in MA Quick Step has fastest time at mid-point

08-19-2022
02:04:08 pm



Trish in MA Astana finishes 6th

08-19-2022
02:04:51 pm



BikerAbe Astana also white

08-19-2022
02:04:56 pm



Trish in MA Innies still fast.

08-19-2022
02:06:36 pm



Trish in MA JV flying

08-19-2022
02:06:58 pm



Trish in MA Movis are 3rd through the mid-point, only 7 secs down on BikeX

08-19-2022
02:08:18 pm



BikerAbe looks like top teams will be separated by seconds

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02:08:48 pm



BusterSci That's good.

08-19-2022
02:08:59 pm



BusterSci Nobody with a prayer of GC contention should get practically eliminated in an opening TTT.

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02:09:44 pm



Trish in MA All the predictions were for carnage and minutes, and so far, those have not happened. Â Good

08-19-2022
02:09:46 pm



SFinAus Agreed.

08-19-2022
02:10:03 pm



Trish in MA JV still flying. Â Dennis driving. Â Kuss trying to stick to the group.

08-19-2022
02:10:47 pm



Trish in MA JV is 14 seconds faster than QS at mid point

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02:11:52 pm



BikerAbe Ineos 1st now

08-19-2022
02:12:25 pm



Trish in MA Innes in 1st at 24:53

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02:12:27 pm



BusterSci Lawson Craddock looks like a guy who should start sentences with "Gee willikers!" and call anyone over 25 "Mister"

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02:12:43 pm



Trish in MA I, clearly, am getting no work done.

08-19-2022
02:12:44 pm



SFinAus We won't tell.

08-19-2022
02:14:06 pm



Trish in MA QS down to 6, but flying

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02:15:48 pm



BusterSci Remco drops his team

08-19-2022
02:15:57 pm



Trish in MA QS slots into 2nd down 0.7 secs

08-19-2022
02:16:53 pm



Trish in MA JV still all together

08-19-2022
02:18:29 pm



Trish in MA Movi in 9th slot

08-19-2022
02:20:55 pm



Trish in MA Only JV on road

08-19-2022
02:21:47 pm



BusterSci 13 seconds for Gesink in red

08-19-2022
02:24:07 pm



BusterSci Always liked that guy. Â Great to give him the jersey.

08-19-2022
02:24:34 pm



BikerAbe Gesink will be in rojas

08-19-2022
02:24:37 pm



Trish in MA What a ride

08-19-2022
02:24:44 pm



SFinAus Yup.

08-19-2022
02:24:45 pm



Mikey Good afternoon...did I miss anything?

08-19-2022
02:28:44 pm



SFinAus Heh.Â An "imperious" performance by JV.

08-19-2022
02:29:30 pm



Trish in MA Only guys on bikes.

08-19-2022
02:29:34 pm



Mikey OGOB I like it Trish

08-19-2022
02:30:20 pm



Trish in MA It's a good Velogames name...too late.

08-19-2022
02:35:00 pm



KatieSan Good afternoon! I managed to get my Velogames team across the finish line about 15 minutes before the cut-off. Unfortunately, my regular pub username/password isn't working, despite resetting the password. Any ideas?

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02:44:56 pm



Trish in MA Each JV rider is getting a stuffed animal of some sort - which according to Bob Roll is the character on on the Ruta de Santiago Compostella. Â Plus watches.

08-19-2022
02:47:20 pm



Trish in MA Now, I gotta go do some work. Â See you tomorrow.

08-19-2022
02:49:23 pm



SFinAus Katie, my log in didn't work today either.Â I clicked on the "Forgot password" link, then email when prompted, and got a link that worked fine.Â Hope that helps.

08-19-2022
02:50:40 pm



KatieSan i'll try again. i did that .. i swear my fat fingers didn't get in the way, but who knows...

08-19-2022
02:53:30 pm



KatieSan ciao!

08-19-2022
02:54:28 pm



KatieSan i mean, adios!

08-19-2022
02:54:31 pm



SFinAus adios

08-19-2022
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