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Variety Adventure Ride – Bike & Rider Requirements

The Bike

- All entrants need a roadworthy, registered “Adventure Bike”.
- Every bike must attend the pre-event bike inspection the day before the event leaves the Start Line.
- It is a condition of entry that your luggage is carried on the Baggage Truck each day, however you may carry necessary items like phone, wallet, water bottle, sunglasses, ear plugs, a visor cleaning kit and pocketknife in tank bags attached to your bike. A small bag on the rear rack can be used to carry a spare tube and basic tools.
- Hard or soft panniers and top boxes are not permitted on your bike during the event.

The Rider

- Must be a minimum of 18 years of age and hold a current motorcycle licence (no learners permits allowed).
- Your **helmet** should fit well, snug but not so tight it causes discomfort when worn for longer periods. You should have a tinted and clear visor, or a flip down tinted visor for varying light conditions. An anti-fog insert or treatment is recommended. Open face helmets are not acceptable on this event.
- You must wear a **Variety supplied fluoro vest** at all times whilst riding on the event.
- All riders must have appropriate riding gear including pants, jacket and gloves as essential items.
- **Jacket and pants** should be comfortable, weatherproof, abrasion resistant and have CE approved soft armour inserts fitted in key areas (knee, hip, elbow, shoulder and back). Multiple ventilation zips help for when conditions are warmer.
- **Boots** should be purpose built providing good shin and ankle protection and support.
- All riders must complete an indemnity form, have paid entry fees 7 days prior to departure and have paid provisions fees 7 days prior to departure.
- All participants must abide by road rules as prescribed by State Laws and Statutes.
- Motorcycle riding is a hazardous activity and we suggest you have the appropriate insurances in place before embarking on this event e.g. Domestic Travel Insurance, Motorcycle Insurance and possibly Road Side Assistance.