

## **Bicycle Adventure Club Rider Responsibilities**

1. Each rider brings his/her own bicycle on the ride. The bicycle should be in good condition and each rider is responsible for performing his or her own bike maintenance as necessary.
2. It is up to each participant to determine that he or she is able to do any ride for which they sign up. However, the ride leader makes the final determination as to who is accepted for each ride.
3. Maps and cue sheets are provided by the ride leader. We do not ride as a group so the ability to read maps and cue sheets is essential. Riders start in the morning at the time of their choosing, and each rider is responsible for getting himself or herself to the next destination on their own, rain or shine.
4. The luggage van is not a sag wagon, although it can be used for support in an emergency. Industry approved helmets are mandatory on all rides.
5. Riders are expected to have a positive attitude, be congenial with other tour participants, be flexible in those cases where things don't quite turn out as expected and cooperate with the ride leader and other riders in the course of the ride.
6. Riders may sometimes be required to share driving of the luggage van, host a social hour or otherwise contribute to the efficient conduct of the ride. Any participant whose conduct during the ride is unacceptable to the ride leader may be asked by the ride leader to leave the group.
7. Participants undertake rides at their own risk. Neither the BAC nor the ride leaders are responsible for participants' possessions or for any personal injury, death, property damage or other loss, whether arising from accident, cancellations, delay or any other reason.