

MCC - Motorcyclists Confederation of Canada

Let's Watch Out For Each Other



“Whether you’re joining the sport for the first time or coming back to riding, we want riders to be aware of all the things they can do to increase their safety.”

This includes a few basics:

Get training. Practice your skills. Develop safe riding habits. Ride within your skill limits and according to conditions. These are the best ways to ensure you can safely enjoy the pleasures of riding. There are a number of excellent resources available to riders, many of which can be found on the MCC website (motorcycling.ca). Locate basic and advanced training from schools and certified instructors. Take time to familiarize yourself with your motorcycle.

2023 Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month

Before Every Ride

Run through your checklist:

- Current license
- Protective clothing
- DOT-compliant helmet
- Cell phone or other distractions are out of sight
- A clear, non-impaired mind to focus on your ride

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May is Motorcycle Safety Month

C.O.R.E.Y - keeping young riders safe

C.O.R.E.Y. - The Coalition of Riders Educating Youth (C.O.R.E.Y) was launched in 2005 by former Kinsmen Denville Lodge in memory of her son Corey who was killed in a motorcycle accident on Vancouver Island on March 3, 2005, when he was only 23. She launched C.O.R.E.Y. in an attempt to educate riders and to have regulations around motorcycle safety tightened, to prevent other families from having to go through what her family did. She sold her experience combined with Corey buying a high powered motorcycle a day after writing his motorcycle knowledge test, contributed to the accident. Since 2016, the campaign has been formalized into the CoreySafe Society, a non-profit society with members and directors which will also hold annual general meetings. Please visit www.coreysafe.com



<p>Safety Tips for Off-Road Riders</p>	<p>Make a plan, share the plan. Before you start a planned ride, make sure you have a plan. Share it with your riding partner. Make sure you have a plan for what to do if you get stuck or if you need to stop. Share it with your riding partner.</p>	<p>Ride with a buddy. Always ride with a buddy. A buddy can help you if you get stuck or if you need to stop. Share it with your riding partner.</p>	<p>Wear the right gear. Think about the weather and the terrain. Wear the right gear for the weather and the terrain. Share it with your riding partner.</p>	<p>Let an example when you ride. If you are a new rider, let an experienced rider show you the ropes. Share it with your riding partner.</p>	<p>Know your own limitations. Know your own limitations. Don't ride faster than you can control. Share it with your riding partner.</p>	<p>Start slow, stay alert. Start slow and stay alert. Don't get complacent. Share it with your riding partner.</p>
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<p>Safety Tips for On-Road Riders</p>	<p>Don't drink, don't drive. Don't drink and drive. Don't drink and ride. Share it with your riding partner.</p>	<p>Wear your seat belt. Wear your seat belt. Don't drink and drive. Don't drink and ride. Share it with your riding partner.</p>	<p>Watch for large trucks. Watch for large trucks. Don't drink and drive. Don't drink and ride. Share it with your riding partner.</p>	<p>Watch for large trucks. Watch for large trucks. Don't drink and drive. Don't drink and ride. Share it with your riding partner.</p>
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7 TIPS HOW TO SHARE THE ROAD WITH MOTORCYCLES

Half of motorcycle crashes are the fault of the other driver.

<p>Always check your blindspots</p> <p>Motorcycles are more likely to be in your blind spots. (This may be the number one reason for accidents)</p>	<p>Be cautious when passing</p> <p>Be sure you have enough room to pass. A motorcycle can change lanes to become a car or a truck. Don't pass until you are sure.</p>	<p>Motorcycles react more quickly than cars</p> <p>Be aware of the distance between you and a motorcycle. They can stop or change lanes quickly.</p>	<p>Weather can be tricky for motorcycles</p> <p>Wind and rain have a more drastic effect on Motorcycles than on cars.</p>	<p>Night riding can be treacherous for motorcycles</p> <p>Make sure your lights are on. Turn on your headlights when approaching a motorcycle.</p>	<p>Use your signals!!!</p> <p>You need to indicate your turn signal sooner than you normally would when there is a motorcycle behind you.</p>	<p>Look again on Left Turns - Intersections</p> <p>Motorcycles aren't always in your blind spots. Look twice when a rider is in your blind spot.</p>
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<p>Ride Safe, Ride Smart</p> <p>WE ARE THE NORTHWEST'S LARGEST POWDER SPORTS DEALER</p> <p>Call: 504-887-1111 Sun - Thurs - Park</p> <p>KEN'S MARINE</p>	<p>REMEMBER C.O.R.E.Y WHEN TAKING TO THE ROAD!</p> <p>KENTRON CONSTRUCTION</p> <p>ASPHALT PAVING READY MIX CONCRETE ROAD BUILDING SAND & GRAVEL</p> <p>300 HASTIA BLVD., KESWICK BC V2S 1A1</p> <p>250-639-9141</p>	<p>DRIVERS, ALWAYS CHECK YOUR BLIND SPOTS!</p> <p>MOTORCYCLES CAN BE DIFFICULT TO SPOT WHEN MERGING OR CHANGING LANES</p> <p>See Sentinel GORINOTOR Black Power Trucks</p>	<p>Sharing the Road Always With All Users</p> <p>WE'VE THOUGHT OF YOU AND YOUR MOTORCYCLE. WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED.</p> <p>Thank you for sharing the road with us. We'll be there for you.</p>
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