Great Riders Club 2023

Waiver and Release

Please read carefully. This is a contract with legal consequences.

Bicycle riding involves risk. I understand the risk of injury or even death may be caused by other riders, motorists, weather, or road conditions, my own inabilities, as well as other unforeseen events. In joining with cyclists that embark on Great Riders Club rides from Great Northern Bicycle Co., I understand and accept all risks associated with bicycle riding. I also understand that the rides listed in Great Rides 2023 Schedule of Events are simply a listing of some of the bicycle rides in which Great Northern Bicycle Co. staff members and customers partake. I know that these rides are not supported in any way and that I alone hold full responsibility for my equipment and for my safe return. I will ride in a safe manner and within the limits of my own abilities, my equipment, and the riding conditions. I will ride in a manner within the best of my abilities to limit danger myself and to others.

I understand that joining a Great Riders Club ride from Great Northern Bicycle Co. scheduled ride is free of charge. I further understand that these rides take place on public lands, trails, and roadways, and that no member of the riding group is acting in a role having jurisdiction over the use of these public lands, trails, and roadways. I accept that riders may require that I wear an approved bicycle helmet while riding in their presence and that failure to comply may result in members of the group refusing to ride with me.

Should the ride in which I intend to participate involve using motorized transportation to take riders to the ride site, I fully accept all of the risks involved in joining with others in a carpooling fashion. These risks include, but are not limited to, injuries or even death caused by car accidents, other unforeseen accidents, property damage caused by failed or improperly secured bicycle rack systems, or property damage caused to my bicycle or vehicle by other cyclists.

I further agree to indemnify and hold Great Rides Inc., Great Northern Bicycle Co. and its parent company, Island Park Cycles, a North Dakota corporation, its shareholders, its staff members, and its representatives harmless from any and all losses, damages, claims, and expenses, including attorney's fees, incurred by myself or others, arising from or relating to, in any respect, my participation in any Great Riders Club rides departing from Great Northern Bicycle Co. I understand that this waiver and release remain in effect throughout the 2023 riding season.

If I am a minor, under the age of 18 years, my parent or legal guardian is also signing on my behalf and we both agree to be bound by the terms of this agreement, waiver, and release.

I have read and understand all of the terms of this agreement, waiver, and release.

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Name of participant (please print) **Signature of participant** **Date**

_____ _____

Signature of parent or legal guardian of participant if under 18 years of age Date

Street Address: _____ **City/State/Zip Code:** _____

Phone: _____ **T-shirt size:** S M L XL XXL ☐ **I'm a new Great Rider** ☐ **I need a new card**

Email: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ **Emergency Phone:** _____

I would like to make a donation to Great Rides!

Completed by Great Rides Staff:
Great Rider # _____

☐ **$10** ☐ **$20** ☐ **$50** ☐ **Other**

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