

Riding Volunteer Information

Role Overview

Role title	Riding Volunteer
Event dates	Saturday 25 th November – Sunday 3 rd December, 2023

The Event

The Great Vic Bike Ride is a rolling bike riding and camping festival that moves to a new town each day. The 2023 edition will take us from the Snowy to Sea, showcasing all the best parts of Gippsland. Starting in Orbost on Saturday 25th November, we'll travel through the beautiful towns of Buchan, Lakes Entrance, Paynesville, Sale, Port Albert and Fish Creek before ending in Wonthaggi on Sunday 3rd December. This event couldn't happen without the support of up to 300 volunteers. Volunteering is a great way to share your skills, learn new ones, meet likeminded people, support the bike riding community, explore the Victorian countryside and be a part of an iconic event. Join our team today!

What is a Riding Volunteer?

First and foremost, a Riding Volunteer is a rider – they purchase a ride entry and come event time, they head out each day and enjoy the on-road experience like any other rider. However, after their ride is over for the day, they also pitch in around campsite by volunteering for approximately 4 hours in the evenings. In exchange for their assistance, Riding Volunteers are eligible to receive up to a 30% refund on their ride entry, to be processed after the event has finished. Being a Riding Volunteer is a great way to experience the best of both worlds on the Great Vic!

Riding Volunteer roles include:

- Bar Team
- Campsite Services Team
- Campsite Team
- Catering Team
- Catering Equipment Team
- Eco Team

Please note that Riding Volunteer options are only available for the 9-day ride option.



How is the refund determined?

Team Leaders will assess each Riding Volunteer on their teamwork and behaviour. If there are any issues that will affect a Riding Volunteer's refund this will be discussed on event. Key things that Team Leaders look for are whether you turn up to your shift on time, are open to working with your team, follow their direction and perform the tasks assigned to you.

When will I get my money back?

Correct bank details must be provided before the event. Your refund will then be processed as soon as your Team Leader provides feedback on your performance. We attempt to collect all information and process all refunds by mid-January, however if we have incorrect bank or contact details this may hold up your payment.

Why become a Riding Volunteer?

- Experience the best of both worlds!
- Being a Riding Volunteer is a great way to get to know other people on the ride, especially if you're travelling solo.
- Receive a 30% refund on your ride entry.
- Boost your resume by gaining valuable work experience.
- Gain access to the volunteer support area and join our volunteer appreciation party.
- Receive a volunteer uniform, including polo shirt, hat and water bottle.
- Feel good knowing you're supporting up to 3,000 fellow riders enjoy an iconic event.

To Register

- **First-time volunteering with Bicycle Network?** Please follow this link to create a volunteer profile and sign up: https://bn.rosterfy.co/register
- Volunteered with Bicycle Network before? Please follow this link to login to your existing profile and sign up: https://bn.rosterfy.co/login

Without our amazing volunteers, this event wouldn't be possible – thanks for your interest in becoming a part of the team!