

Aria School
2 Day Trail Ride

Rules for Riders

Riders must read, understand and obey these rules. Rider to keep this form for information.

1. **Stay on the marked tracks.** Do not take shortcuts other than proper shortcuts marked by the event.
2. **Only use the trails within the hours specified.** Do not go out on the trails before the trails are open or after the trails are closed.
3. **Obey all markers.** 2 crossed markers indicate DANGER—SLOW DOWN. **Never ride backwards against the markers.**
4. No public roads will be closed for this event. **Road rules must be strictly adhered to!**
5. **Ride within your capabilities and vision.**
6. **Ride slowly in the base at 5 km per hour maximum.** Do not rip up grassy areas. No wheelies. No motorbikes to be used after 6.00pm, zero tolerance. No motorbikes to be ridden after the consumption of alcohol/drugs at any time.
7. **Wear the correct safety gear when riding** including helmet, boots that cover the ankle, long sleeved top and strong long trousers. (Gloves, goggles, knee pads, kidney belt and body armour are strongly recommended).
8. **All riders must read or understand the event rules** and sign the event indemnity of liability statement before riding.
9. **If you break down, push your bike off the trail to be safe, but stay near the trail.** Wait for event staff or ring the base for assistance (07 8777 734), or send another rider for help. A recovery vehicle will be despatched when possible. Once back at base, report to sign on to confirm that you and your bike are back.
10. **If injured, stay with your bike near the trail.** Try to make yourself safe and comfortable. Ring the base (07 8777 734) if you can or wait for help. **The next rider on the scene must stop and assist the injured rider.** Make sure that oncoming riders can not hit the injured person or yourself. Ring the base phone numbers if there is phone coverage. Next rider on the accident scene needs to get help. Ride until you get mobile phone coverage, or follow the track to base to get medical help. **Only use proper marked short cuts to get home faster.** If you think you may have been reported injured, but make it back to base, please report to sign on to say that you are back safe.
11. All riders must sign in at the end of each days riding.

Consequence: Non compliance to any of the rules may result in one or a combination of the following:

1. You could injure or kill someone.
2. You could get injured or killed.
3. You may be removed from this event.
4. You may be banned from all future Aria School trail rides.
5. You may be prosecuted by the NZ Police under New Zealand Law.
6. You may cause the loss of this venue and the end of this event and the end of all Aria School trail rides.

All minors (Under 17) are the responsibility of their parents/caregivers.

Aria School 2 Day Trail Ride General Information

Welcome

Welcome to the Aria 2 Day Trail Ride. This event has been organised to raise funds for Aria School and the St Helens Domain. We appreciate your support of our event, we hope you have a great ride and enjoy your weekend. If you have any feedback, good or bad, please let the registration team know.

You will be riding through the properties of 18 local farmers. Without these people this ride would not be possible. Please ride with **Respect** to the properties and **Consideration** for all riders. **Ride within your limits.**

Wear your helmet at all times, even on base. If you stop on the trail, then please park off the trail so you are not a hazard to oncoming riders. Only ride trails you are allowed to; eg. Kids on the Kids track. We have track marshals patrolling and we will remove your ride sticker if you break any of our rules, which have been designed to keep everyone safe. The track marshals are also there to help in case of injury/breakdown.

General

There is no mass verbal briefing.

Place your sign on event sticker on your helmet for easy and quick identification.

The trails are open from 9.30am-4pm on Saturday & 9am-3pm on Sunday. These times are subject to change at the track controllers discretion.

Help yourself to free tea and coffee in the domain building.

There will be a first responder (first aid) on base at all times in case of injury/emergency.

Tracks do have limited cellphone coverage. We recommend you take a mobile phone with you.

Remember the road is an open public road – Caution is needed.

Your children are your responsibility, don't leave them to their own devices.

No Goggle tear-offs allowed.

Please use the rubbish bins provided.

Base/Aria Domain

Emergency Contact Phone Number (07) 8777 734

Trail Information

3 main tracks	Each track is approximately 40km in length. For specific trail information, please see the noticeboard beside the registration desk.
Moto X Track	1.2 km. This is open to the children only on the hour for 20 minutes. Adults from 20 past to the hour.
Kids Track	This will be set up on part of the one of the tracks. For specific information please see the noticeboard beside the registration desk. We recommend an adult rides with the children.
Mini's Track	Approx 1.5km. Very good viewing point.