

Volunteer Bike Patrol Training: Session 1
April 11 or April 18, 2007
Acadia National Park Headquarters Training Trailer

Intent: To serve as an introduction to basic bike operation, mechanics, fit, and maintenance.

Subjects: The class will include skills on keeping the bike operational for field use and how to get fix common problems in the field. It will also address public contact and carriage road history.

Skills Objectives:

- Ability to properly adjust the bike for body size and personal comfort.
- Ability to complete minor adjustments to brakes, tires, and gears.
- Ability to complete a pre-patrol bike inspection.
- Knowledge of proper attire/uniform for bike patrol and equipment to carry while on duty. (proper helmet fitting)
- History of Carriage Road system.
- Ability to properly address visitor concerns (shuttle bus system, park fees, camping, restrooms, etc.).

Preparation time: 1 hour

Presentation time: 2 hours

Format: Lecture and practical