

The Motorcycle Challenge

The **J&J Motorcycle Safety Course** – <u>www.jjmotorcyclesafety.com</u> was established in 1992, with the intent to offer rider training to anyone who wishes to enjoy the sport of motorcycling.

Motorcycling can be a challenge – not just in learning the mechanical controls, but also in establishing safe, real-world riding skills for riding here, in the Green Mountains of Vermont. The Basic Rider Course and the Experienced Rider Courses are explained in this brochure.

Basic Rider Course

The **Basic Rider Course (BRC)** covers the fundamentals for developing safe and responsible motorcycle riding skills. Classoom sessions will coach ways to minimize risk as well as handle specific riding situations.

Range sessions will initially coach you on developing the basic motor skills of control including: straight-line riding, stopping, turning, and shifting. You can then move on to more advanced skills of stopping in a straight line or in a corner quickly, cornering, surmounting obstacles, slow speed maneuvering, and swerving.

Prior to entering this course, you should be able to balance a bicycle; driving a standard shift automobile can also be helpful. You must be at least 16 years of age, hold a valid Motor Vehicle Operator's License.

You do not need to ride your own motorcycle for this course as Motorcycle ARE provided. However, with prior approval you may be allowed to use your own motorcycle.

Appropriate riding gear is required for participation in the range exercises: over-the-ankle footwear; long, sturdy pants; long-sleeved shirt or jacket; full-fingered gloves; protective eyewear; and a DOT or SNELL approved helmet.

BRC Fees

\$260 per student (6/7 students max/course) **\$500** per student for a Semi-Private lessons (2 students max/course) **\$1000** Private Lesson is also offered.

Successful completion of the BRC and you may <u>ride away with your motorcycle</u> <u>license</u>. Taking the course and successful completion of the knowledge test and not the skills evaluation you <u>may be eligible for a motorcycle permit</u>.

BRC Schedule

Classes are conducted on weekends, starting 6pm – approx 9pm. Classes continue on Saturday and Sunday from 8am to approx. 5pm. Ending times vary.

EXPERIENCED RIDER COURSE

The **Experienced Rider Course Skills Practice (ERCSP)** is designed for riders who have successfully completed the BRC or possess basic operational skills. A Motorcycle Permit is required. Cost \$80.

The **Experienced Rider Course License Waiver (ERCLW**) is designed for riders who have a Motorcycle permit, are experienced, but donot yet possess a Motorcycle Operator License. Students use their own motorcycles. Successful completion of the ERCLW and you may be able to <u>ride away with your Motorcycle License</u>. Cost \$100.

The **Experienced Rider Course Skills Plus (ERC+)** is for riders with valid Motorcycle Operator Licenses. Students will use their own motorcycles. Cost \$100.

For all ERC courses listed above the range sessions will cover advanced skills for stopping in a straight line or in a corner quickly, cornering, surmounting obstacles, slow speed maneuvering, and swerving. Appropriate riding gear is the same as that required for the BRC.

All ERC classes are conducted either on a Saturday, or Sunday, times vary.

To Register

To request an information packet, VT residents can **call 1-800-987-4461**. **Out of or In State, call 1-802-827-6681.** Please speak clearly, leaving your

name, address and telephone number. Your package will include course information, various site locations, course dates, and a registration form. Available via Email or stop by our office on 12 Fairfield Hill Road in St Albans, Vermont 1-6pm on Tues – Fri. Take Exit 19 then right on 104 then right on 36 east and we are 50' from the 4 way on the right.

Upon receipt of your registration form and course payment, you will be sent a confirmation letter and a Rider Handbook. You will also receive a pre-course assignment to be completed prior to your course date.

Classes are being offered on weekends. **Advanced registration is required**, as classes fill quickly – so register early!

A Big **THANK YOU** to Land Air for loaning motorcycles to use in the Basic Rider Course; also Green Mtn Harley for Shirts, and Wilkins Harley Davidson for Jackets to be used by the Instructors. THANKS !!! Rider Courses offered by:

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Rider Course Incentives

Here's some great news that makes taking this course even better!

- American Honda
- American Suzuki
- BMW
- Kawasaki Good Times Owners Club
- Harley Owners Group
- Buell Riders Adventure Group and,
- Yamaha

all offer course incentive programs designed to benefit Rider Course graduates. Contact these sponsors for information on possible discounts, course reimbursements, or merchandise.

Additionally, many insurance companies offer premium discounts to Rider Course graduates. Discounts can range from 5% to as much as 20%! When you combine this with the reimbursements/incentives available, it might be possible to **take a Rider Course at essentially NO COST!**

Special: Green Mtn Harley New Rider Cash \$100 Off Purchase of Motorcycle - \$25 Free Accessories with Motorcycle Purchase upon successful completion of the BRC.

Rider Coaches Wanted

If you have been riding for over 5 years with a clean driving record and have an interest in teaching motorcycling to others, please call to get the specifics.

"THE MORE YOU KNOW THE BETTER IT GETS"