

OPERATION

PRE-RIDE INSPECTION

WARNING

- **If the Pre-ride Inspection is not performed, severe personal injury or vehicle damage may result.**

Inspect your motorcycle every day before you ride it. The items listed here will only take a few minutes to inspect, and in the long run they can save time, expense, and possibly your life.

1. Engine oil level - add engine oil if required (page 27). Check for leaks.
2. Fuel level - fill fuel tank when necessary (page 23). Check for leaks.
3. Coolant level - add coolant if required. Check for leaks (page 21-22).

4. Front and rear brakes - check operation; make sure there is no brake fluid leakage (page 15-18).
5. Tyres - check condition and pressure (page 29-31).
6. Drive chain - check condition and slack (page 69). Adjust and lubricate if necessary.
7. Throttle - check for smooth opening and full closing in all steering positions.
8. Lights and horn - check that headlight, tail/brake light, turn signals, indicators and horn function properly.
9. Engine stop switch - check for proper function (page 33).
10. Battery electrolyte - check the level and add if necessary (page 83).

Correct any discrepancy before you ride. Contact your authorized Honda dealer for assistance if you cannot correct the problem.