Periodic Checks

You should also perform other periodic maintenance checks at least once a month regardless of how often you ride, or more often if you ride frequently.

Also, check the odometer reading against the Maintenance Schedule and perform all maintenance that is due. ▶ P. 140

Tires and wheels	Check the air pressure (■ P. 150), examine tread for wear and damage (■ P. 150), and check the wheels for damage.
Fluid levels	Check the engine oil level (► P. 158), engine coolant level (► P. 162), clutch fluid level (► P. 168), final drive oil level (► P. 163) and brake fluid level (► P. 164).
Lights	Check that the headlight, brake light, taillight, turn signals and license plate light are working properly.
Controls	Check the freeplay of the throttle grip (♠ P. 169). Check the clutch lever (♠ P. 171), front brake lever (♠ P. 171), rear brake pedal, and parking brake (♠ GL1800BD/D/DA) (♠ P. 166) operate properly.
Fuses	Check that you have a full supply of spare fuses.
Nuts & bolts	Check the major nuts and bolts, and tighten as needed.