



GREAT VIC BIKE RIDE

Riding Marshals

Route Marshal Team

- Do you want to get out on the route and follow the rider's journey?
- Are you an enthusiastic people person with great communication skills?

THE BIG PICTURE

Bicycle Network is a not-for-profit out to solve the problem of physical inactivity: two-thirds of Australian's don't get enough exercise. So, we're on a mission to make bike riding easier for everyone. The Great Victorian Bike Ride is a fun, friendly and challenging camping holiday where people can enjoy time on the bike with likeminded people. For volunteers, it's the opportunity to spend a week in another world, joining our canvas community to help pull off an extraordinary event, all while exploring the beautiful Victorian countryside.

WHAT YOU'LL GET UP TO

As part of the riding marshal team you will be providing the eyes and ears out on the route. You'll be ensuring the riders follow the route, avoid any hazards, and safely navigate tricky intersections & turns. You will be up bright and early each day to ride to your designated marshal point ahead of the riders and remain on-point until the last rider comes through before being relieved and riding on.

On a daily basis you will be:

- Riding the Great Vic Bike Ride event route and directing riders
- Alerting riders to hazards that may be on the route
- Clearing any obstacles on the route
- Offering riders guidance whilst out on the road to ensure their safety
- Maintaining regular contact with event assistance & your team leader
- Attending nightly briefings with your team leader
- Help event participants have a great time on their holiday!

FINER DETAILS

Dates: Saturday 27 November – Sunday 5 December 2021

Reporting to: Route Marshal Team Leader

Work location: On the rider route, outside in all weather conditions including at crucial turning points, intersections to main roads and rest/lunch areas.

IS IT RIGHT FOR YOU?

- Are you able to follow directions from the Team Leader?
- Are you a capable cyclist familiar with Victorian Road Rules?
- Are you comfortable riding up to 100km a day for 9 consecutive days?
- Are you a strong communicator?
- Are you adaptable and flexible in the face of change?
- Do you have a proactive approach to assisting others?
- Are you comfortable standing for long periods of time?