

BAGGAGE DRIVER

Qualifications:

- Ability to drive up to, a 24' moving van.
- Physical lifting ability.
- Safe and courteous driving skills.

Responsibilities:

- Load, transport and unload baggage.
- Assist with rider "sweep" (transporting bikes/riders), as needed.
- Replenish ice, supplies and water (Gerry Cans or 65-Gallon receptacles) for SAG use, as directed by Ride Organizer.
- Make fresh water or other supplies available at Camp Sites for ride participants, morning and evening.
- Attend nightly dinner/rider or staff meetings if applicable.
- Other responsibilities as directed by individual Ride Organizers.
- Baggage truck must be open and ready to load each morning before riders leave town, and unloaded at camping and motel sites ahead of each rider at daily destinations.

Compensation:

- Meals and lodging while on a ride or tour.
- Fuel reimbursement for rented vehicle.
- GABA Bucks (determined by the number of day(s), and according to the GABA Buck Policy).

Daily Baggage Routines For Overnight Rides

It is preferable to open up the baggage truck early enough each morning so campers can load their own gear before riding.

Pick up the baggage at designated motel(s) by 9 AM (or as Ride Organizer determines), and get on the road as soon after that as possible.

If you are carrying extra ice chests with ice for the sag people, or an evening social hour at the campground, fill them before leaving town, and ice down sodas if applicable.

If you are carrying extra water containers for the sag people, fill them before leaving town.

Gas up your vehicle if needed.

Stop at each sag stop along the route to do the following:

- Fill ice chests as needed

- Fill or replace water containers as needed

- Gather up discarded clothing, which will be stored in plastic bags by the riders, The bags should be identified with the rider's name, for easier identification. Deliver clothing bags to the end of the route and set out near the luggage.

Drop off the motel luggage first, then go to the campground. Have the first riders in help you unload the camp gear and the remainder of the luggage.

Set out a "Lost and Found" box.

Set up a whiteboard to post any announcements, route instructions or changes and any campground information that may need to be known by all.

Fill the water container with a block of ice and water and set out some cups.

Fill the two Gerry cans and put them close for easy refills as needed.

If you are on an overnight ride, you will typically be responsible for setting out the snacks at the campground for the afternoon's "social hour". You should do that now.

Set out water and Gatorade at the campground each morning.