

TEAM ALAMEDA POLICY STATEMENT

MINOR RIDER POLICY:

Minor riders, under the age of 18, are welcome to ride with Team Alameda and participate in our rides and events under the following conditions:

1. That the Parent and/or Legal Guardian ⁽¹⁾ is an active, paid up, member in good standing of Team Alameda.
2. That the Minor Rider, after no more than one (1) guest ride, must become an active, paid up member in good standing of Team Alameda.
3. That the Parent and/or Legal Guardian ⁽¹⁾ has signed both the **RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AND PARENTAL CONSENT AGREEMENT** form and a notarized **MINOR RELEASE** form.
4. That the Parent and/or Legal Guardian ⁽¹⁾ is present and accompanying the minor rider at all times on each and every ride in which the minor rider participates.
5. That the Parent and/or Legal Guardian ⁽¹⁾ understand and accept the knowledge that on some Team Alameda outings alcoholic beverages may be present and consumed. It will be the parent's and/or Legal Guardian's responsibility to ensure that their minor rider does not participate in the consumption of these alcoholic beverages at any time he/she is participating in a Team Alameda ride.
6. That the Parent and/or Legal Guardian ⁽¹⁾ have in their possession, on any and all Team Alameda Rides, copies of the **RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AND PARENTAL CONSENT AGREEMENT** form and a notarized **MINOR RELEASE** form.
7. The Ride Leader, in all circumstances has final authority as to who may participate in their posted ride. It is understood that a Ride Leader's responsibilities are large enough and involve the safety and well being of the entire group of participating riders. If for any reason the Ride Leader should feel that group safety would be compromised as the result of the participation of any rider or group of riders, the Ride Leader has the responsibility and authority to inform the/those rider/s of concern that they may not participate in the posted ride. This policy applies to riders of all ages. There will be no arguing. The Ride Leader's opinion is final and must be respected.

⁽¹⁾ If the responsible adult of the minor rider is a Legal Guardian, a Notarized form of the **Guardianship Agreement** form must be presented to Team Alameda as part of the membership application process. A copy of this **Guardianship Agreement** must be in the possession of the Legal Guardian along with the forms mentioned above, on all rides in which the Guardian and his/her minor rider participates.