



Meru Eco Camp – Mountain Bike Hire Rules & Regulations

To ensure **safety, responsible use**, and **enjoyment** of our mountain biking facilities, all cyclists are required to observe the following rules when hiring and cycling our mountain bikes:

1. General Conditions of Hire

- ☒ Bikes are hired on a **hourly/half day/full day rate** as agreed at the reception.
- ☒ The hirer must provide a valid **identification document** (ID/Passport/Driving License).
- ☒ Full payment must be made before collecting the bicycle.
- ☒ The hirer is fully responsible for the bike during the rental period.

2. Safety Rules

- ☒ **Helmets are mandatory** at all times while riding (provided with the bike).
- ☒ Cyclists must wear appropriate shoes and clothing.
- ☒ Do not attempt stunts, reckless riding, or off-limit trails.
- ☒ Report any accident, injury, or damage immediately to Meru Eco Camp staff.

3. Use of the Bicycle

- ☒ Bikes must only be used on **designated trails** within the forest, and around the Camp.
- ☒ Do not ride in restricted forest areas, wildlife-sensitive zones, or private property without permission.
- ☒ Cyclists must obey all **eco camp signs, guides, and instructions**.
- ☒ No riding under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

4. Care of Equipment and Tools

- ☒ Hirers must check the bike before use and report any defects immediately.
- ☒ Bikes must be returned in the same condition as hired (reasonable wear expected).
- ☒ Any **loss, theft, or damage** caused by negligence will be charged to the hirer.
- ☒ Do not modify or repair the bike without permission from crew staff.

5. Environmental & Community Responsibility

- ☒ Respect nature: **do not litter**, pick plants, or disturb wildlife.
- ☒ Keep noise levels low to maintain the tranquility of the eco camp.
- ☒ Be respectful to local communities along the trails.

6. Return Policy

- ☒ Bikes must be returned by the agreed time. Late returns may incur extra charges.
- ☒ Meru Eco Camp staff/crew will inspect the bike upon return.
- ☒ Deposit/ID will be returned after final clearance.

Acknowledgment

All cyclists must sign a **hire agreement form** confirming they have read and understood these rules, and agree to ride at their own risk while following safety and environmental guidelines.

Customer/Cyclist

Signature.....

Name.....

Meru Eco Camp Staff/Crew

Signature.....

Name.....