

"Every pleasure's got an edge of pain, pay your ticket and don't complain" — Bob Dylan

Tools and spares you should carry on your ride:

- 1. Decent multi-tool with Allen keys and chain splitter
- 2. Pair of pliers (thin nose) will remove thorns and split a powerlink
- 3. 1 pairs of powerlinks for your size chain (i.e. 9,10 or 11 speed)
- 4. A large paper clip to hold a chain while fitting a powerlink
- 5. Pump and/or CO₂ inflator
- **6.** Decent tyre levers, spare tube and self adhesive patches
- 7. Selection of cable ties
- 8. Small first aid kit, medication and emergency contact card
- 9. Mobile phone, cash, card, car keys

It is just as important to carry water, energy bars and rain-wear. :-)