Before each ride, it's important to inspect your motorcycle and make sure any problem you find is corrected. A pre-ride inspection is a must, not only for safety, but because having a breakdown, or even a flat tire, can be a major inconvenience.

## **A**WARNING

Improperly maintaining this motorcycle or failing to correct a problem before riding can cause a crash in which you can be seriously hurt or killed.

Always perform a pre-ride inspection before every ride and correct any problems.

## **Pre-ride Inspection**

Check the following items before you get on the motorcycle:

Tires &Look at the tires. If a tireWheelsappears low, use an air pressure<br/>gauge to check its pressure. Also<br/>look for signs of excessive wear<br/>(page 128 ) or damage to the<br/>tires and wheels.

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