



Good Oil Team Position Description

Role Overview

Role title	Good Oil Volunteer
Event dates	Saturday 23 rd November to Sunday 1 st December, 2024
Reports to	Good Oil Team Leader and Bicycle Network Communications Coordinator.
Shift location	On event campsites, outside in all weather conditions.

The Event

[The Great Vic Bike Ride](#) is a rolling bike riding and camping festival that moves to a new town each day. In 2024, we are celebrating the 40th anniversary of the iconic event which started back in 1984. This year's ride takes us from Wodonga to Healesville, showcasing all the best parts of northeast Victoria. You can expect amazing scenery, charming host towns and of course, great company! This event couldn't happen without the support of more than 200 volunteers. Volunteering is a great way to share your skills, learn new ones, meet likeminded people, support the bike riding community, explore the Victorian countryside and be a part of an iconic event. Join our team today!

The Role

As part of the Good Oil Team, you will play an integral role in the flow of information throughout the event. The Good Oil is the daily newsletter distributed on the Great Vic and it is a focal point of each nightly meal. Of the 3-page document, 2 are pre-prepared before the event, but one is created each day on the event. Your role as part of the team is to help create that one double-sided page, by writing articles and creating content, and to assist in getting the printing, collating, and handing out of the paper completed. You'll be talking to riders and volunteers to gather stories, but you'll also be off to the printers and collating the pre-printed and newly printed sections. It's a varied role!

Your role will involve:

- Working closely with the Bicycle Network Communications team.
- Speaking to riders and volunteers, taking photos and writing a story per day.
- Thinking creatively to come up with new and interesting stories.
- Compiling, printing and distributing the newspaper each day.



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Is it right for you?

- Do you have strong written communication skills and experience writing stories?
- Are you comfortable to approach strangers and spark up a conversation?
- Are you comfortable working under pressure and to tight deadlines?
- Are you able to follow your team leader's directions?
- Do you have a driver's licence? (Not mandatory but we need two drivers in the team)

Why volunteer?

- Explore the Victorian countryside with meals, transport and use of a tent included.
- Support the bike riding community and help more than 2,000 riders enjoy an iconic event.
- Boost your resume by gaining valuable work experience.
- Meet new people and make connections with like-minded people.
- Enjoy the event entertainment and festivities, including a volunteer appreciation party.
- Receive a volunteer uniform, including polo shirt, hat and water bottle.

To Register

- **First-time volunteering with Bicycle Network?** Please follow this link to create a volunteer profile and sign up: <https://bn.rosterfy.co/register>
- **Volunteered with Bicycle Network before?** Please follow this link to login to your existing profile and sign up: <https://bn.rosterfy.co/login>

Without our amazing volunteers, this event wouldn't be possible – thanks for your interest in becoming a part of the team!