

Code of E-Scootering/Scootering

- Give way at all times to other plantation users (dog walkers, horse riders, pedestrians and mountain bikers etc) – slow down and pull over to let them past.
- Always be prepared to stop.
- Be conscious that mountain bikes and e bikes that are unregulated may approach from behind at greater speed than the e-scooters are traveling at. Always try to pull over to allow the faster traveling vehicles to pass when safe.
- When not under power (freewheeling) do not allow the scooter to build up excessive unsafe speeds down hills.
- Be wary of horses, who may easily be startled due to the lack of noise from the electric motors. The tour guide has a bell fitted to alert attention particularly to horse riders if approaching from behind.
- Ride responsibly, taking care and paying attention to the guide's instructions.
- Always ride under control at a speed that is safe for you and those around you.
- Ride single file and leave a minimum of two scooter lengths (approximately three metres) between riders to allow for stopping distances and to provide a clear view of the track ahead.
- Be careful and considerate to other users of public areas and tracks.
- Follow the route of the guide/rider in front and not divert off the track.
- If you feel uneasy, unconfident, unwell or dizzy at any point, alert the guide and step
 off.
- Ensure you leave enough clearance for the platform and never allow to jump or allow the scooter to become airborne
- Be aware of terrain transitions and proceed slowly over unfamiliar terrain.
- Always wear a helmet that is correctly fitted with the chin strap in place.
- Keep both hands on the handlebars (no selfies or videos there will be photo opportunities along the way when it is safe to do so)
- Avoid puddles and thick muddy patches, instead slalom/weave to avoid and treat as an obstacle. In some instances where it is impossible to avoid, riders should adhere to the guide's instruction and either proceed slowly or walk the scooter through to avoid accident/injury to the participant or damage to the scooter.
- Alert the guide if you notice any potential problem/malfunction with the scooter and step off immediately.