

PRESEASON PREPARATION

Proper vehicle preparation is necessary after the summer months or when a vehicle has not been used for more than three months.

Procedures are detailed in *PERIODIC MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES* subsection.

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Inspect engine rubber mounts
Check exhaust system condition and check for leaks
Tighten exhaust manifold screws or nuts to specified torque (E-TEC)
Inspect cooling system cap, hoses and clamps (E-TEC)
Check coolant density
Inspect crankshaft PTO seal
Inspect fuel lines and connections
Clean and inspect throttle body (E-TEC)
Clean, inspect and adjust carburetors (600 and 800R Power TEK)
Adjust oil injection pump (600 and 800R Power TEK)
Inspect throttle cable
Replace spark plugs (600 and 800R Power TEK) after starting the engine with the old spark plugs to burn the excess of storage oil
Inspect drive belt (adjust at every drive belt replacement)
Clean and visually inspect drive pulley
Clean and inspect driven pulley
Inspect, adjust and align track
Adjust drive chain
Change chaincase oil
Check brake fluid level
Inspect brake hose, pads and disk
Inspect steering mechanism
Inspect skis and runners
Inspect front suspension
Inspect rear suspension stopper strap
Charge battery (if so equipped)
Adjust headlight beam aiming