

# **Storing Your Honda**

• Pour a tablespoon (15-20 cm<sup>3</sup>) of clean engine oil into the cylinder and cover the spark plug hole with a piece of cloth.

#### (TRX450ER)

- With the engine stop switch in the OFF ( ⋈ ) position, press the start button several times to crank the engine and distribute the oil. (TRX450R)
- With the engine stop switch in the OFF ( ⋈ ) position, depress the kickstarter several times to crank the engine and distribute the oil.
- Reinstall the spark plug and spark plug cap.

### 8. (TRX450ER only)

Remove the battery and charge it fully. Store it in an area protected from freezing temperatures and direct sunlight. Slow charge the battery (page 163) once a month.

## **AWARNING**

The battery gives off explosive hydrogen gas during normal operation.

A spark or flame can cause the battery to explode with enough force to kill or seriously hurt you.

Wear protective clothing and a face shield, or have a skilled mechanic do the battery maintenance.

- 9. Wash and dry your ATV. Wax all painted surfaces.
- 10. Lubricate the drive chain (page 157).
- 11. Inflate the tyres to their recommended pressures (page 145).
- 12. Store your ATV in an unheated area, free of dampness, away from sunlight, with a minimum of daily temperature variation.

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