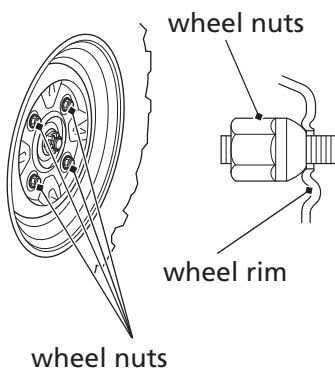


# If You Have a Flat Tire

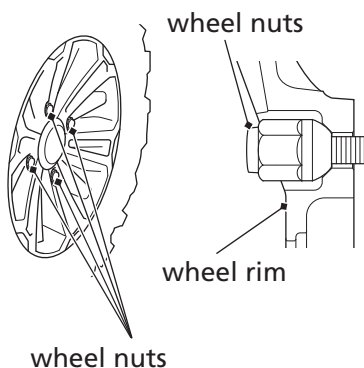
## Emergency Wheel Removal/Installation

Refer to *Safety Precautions* on page 123.

SXS1000M3/M3P/M5P  
(Steel wheel model)



SXS1000M5D/M3L/M5D/M5L  
(Aluminum wheel model)



### Removal

1. Park your Honda SXS on a firm, level surface.
2. Loosen — but do not remove — the wheel nuts.
3. Raise the front (or rear) wheels off the ground (page 144).
4. Remove the wheel nuts.
5. Remove the wheel.
  - Avoid getting grease, oil, or dirt on the disc or pad surfaces when removing and installing each wheel. Any contamination can cause poor brake performance or rapid pad wear after reassembly.