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How to bleed your disc brakes

1. Use a jar and a hose or a bleeding kit from a motor accessory shop
2. Place a small piece of clear flexible hose over the end of the bleeder screw and place the other end of the hose in the jar
3. Fill the jar with brake fluid (Dot 3 or 4) to cover the end of the hose.
4. Loosen the screw while someone is pressing the brake pedal and tighten before pedal is released. Ask your assistant to release the pedal and ask them to say "Up", checking the fluid level in the master cylinder all the time. Do not allow the master cylinder to empty!
5. Repeat this procedure, loosening the screw and tightening it again and again until no more air bubbles come out with the fluid.
6. Repeat this process with each brake until the air is out of each brake line.
7. Don't forget to add brake fluid to the master cylinder after you bleed each brake.
8. After you bring the brake fluid level in the master cylinder back to the "full" level (about 1/4 " from top) for the last time, the brake pedal should no longer feel spongy when you press down. If it does, check the master cylinder again to be sure that its full and try bleeding the brake one more time.
9. We recommend you carry your dedicated kit to horse shows too, as a back up

Please call a member of the Bennington Team, if you require any further assistance.