

## **BATTERY**

(Refer to the maintenance precautions on page 75).

It is not necessary to check the battery electrolyte level or add distilled water, as the battery is a maintenance-free (sealed) type. If your battery seems weak and/or is leaking electrolyte (causing hard starting or other electrical troubles), contact your Honda dealer.

### **CAUTION**

- **Removing the battery cap strip can damage the cap strip and result in leaks and eventual battery damage.**
- **When the scooter is to be stored for an extended period of time, remove the battery from the scooter and charge it fully.**
- **Then store it in a cool, dry place. If the battery is to be left in the scooter, disconnect the negative cable from the battery terminal.**

### **▲ WARNING**

- **The battery gives off explosive gases; keep sparks, flames and cigarettes away. Provide adequate ventilation when charging or using the battery in an enclosed space.**
- **The battery contains sulfuric acid (electrolyte). Contact with skin or eyes may cause severe burns. Wear protective clothing and a face shield.**
- **If electrolyte gets on your skin, flush with water.**
- **If electrolyte gets in your eyes, flush with water for at least 15 minutes and call a physician immediately.**
- **Electrolyte is poisonous.**
- **If swallowed, drink large quantities of water or milk of magnesium or vegetable oil and call a doctor.**
- **KEEP OUT OF CHILDREN'S REACH.**