

# PLEASE NOTE

THIS DOCUMENT WILL ONLY BE VALID FOR 2020 AS THE DISTINGUISHED GENTLEMAN'S RIDE UPDATES THE OFFICIAL BRAND GUIDELINES AND IMAGERY ANNUALLY.

DGR 2020 BRAND GUIDELINES

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1.1 POSTER

## OFFICIAL 2020 DGR POSTER

The official DGR poster cannot be altered in any way. The text and colors cannot change, and parts of it cannot be cut out and used elsewhere.

If there is a need for an alternative date or having a local poster please contact DGR HQ and it can be created.













## SILVERSTEED LOGO

The Silversteed logo is the official registered DGR logo.

In 2019, the official DGR logo was updated. Please ensure the current logo is being used.

Changes are as follows:

- 1. Registered mark
- 2. White outline on helmet
- 3. No texture on the helmet

It can be used on light and dark backgrounds.

Any logos prior to the 2019 refresh are now redundant.





# SILVERSTEED LOGO SPACING

To maintain a safe space around the entire Silversteed logo, make sure that nothing encroaches within the marked area.

The safe space is half the width of Silversteed's face (X) around the widest & tallest point of the logo.

LOGO USAGE

## INCORRECT LOGO USAGE



DO NOT ALTER THE COLOR OF THE LOGO



DO NOT USE ONLY OUTLINES



DO NOT PLACE ON AN ANGLE



DO NOT IGNORE SPACE AROUND LOGO



DO NOT ALTER THE LOGO LOCK UP



DO NOT SQUASH OR DISTORT THE LOGO

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LOGO

### ANGLED + STRAIGHT TEXT





The angled DGR logo is another logo that remains the same year on year. It is available in both light and dark for varying background colors. This logo can also be straightened up so it sits horizontal.

The banner will always remain red, as do the stars, 'live tweed, ride dapper' text color can change to be either black or white, dependent on background.



## LOGO SAFE AREA



To maintain a safe space around the angled DGR text logo, make sure that nothing encroaches within the marked area.

The safe space is half the width of the red banner (X), around the widest & tallest point of the logo.

This also applies if the logo has been straightened out.



LOGO USAGE

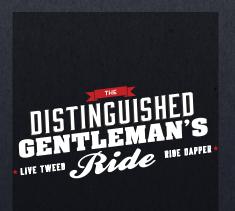
## INCORRECT LOGO USAGE



DO NOT ALTER THE COLOR OF THE LOGO



DO NOT MAKE THE LOGO OUTLINED



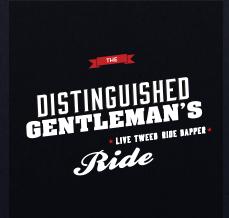
IGNORE SPACE AROUND LOGO



DO NOT ALTER ANGLE. EITHER ORIGINAL OR STRAIGHT ONLY



SQUASH OR DISTORT THE LOGO IN ANY WAY



DO NOT ALTER THE LOGO LOCK UP

## COLOR PALETTE

### PRIMARY GRADIENT SECONDARY

WHITE

**BLUE/BLACK** 

GOLD

In 2020 DGR is utilizing a gradient palette instead of select colors. The gradient is very similar to greyscale, however instead of a solid black it is a blue/black. Try to avoid 100% black as often as possible.

Gold is used as a pop color, and should be used in very small amounts. It contrasts highly and should be used in one focal point on each image. See poster for correct color usage examples.

These colors are a guide only, you can approximately match them as needed. White and black can be added to any color to create necessary shades.



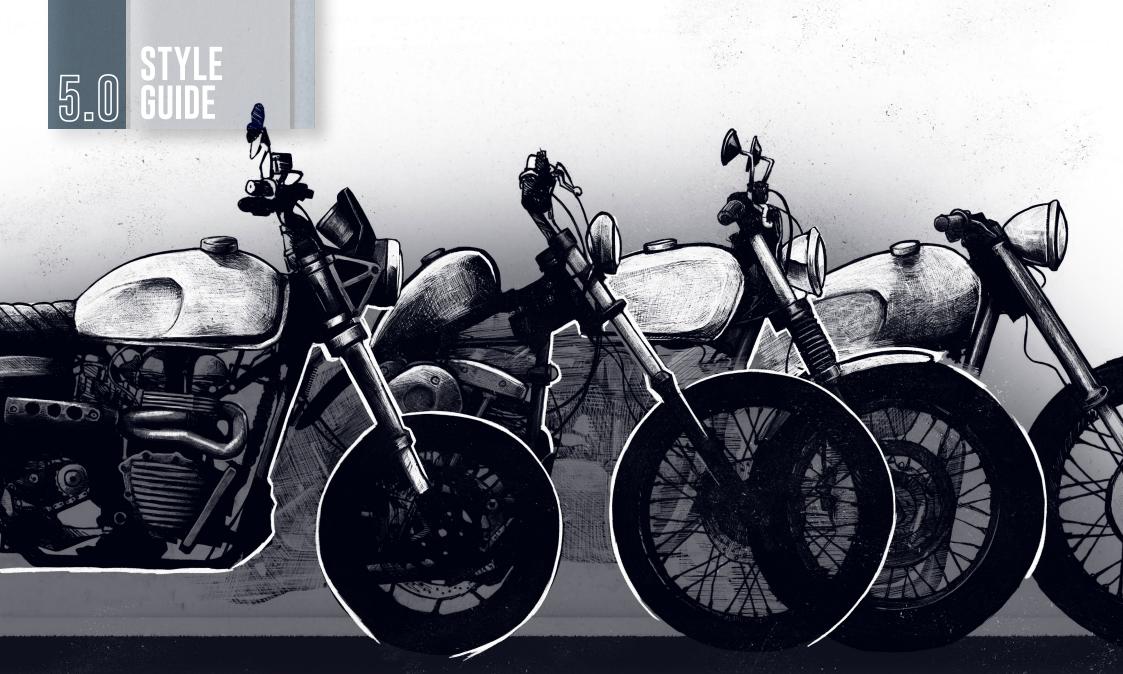
# PRIMARY - GOBOLD REGULAR ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

This font is used for using for headings. To be used only in upper case.

# SECONDARY - CENTURY GOTHIC ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

The regular weight of this font is used for body copy, using sentence case.





The Distinguished Gentleman's Ride is an event for classic and vintage styled motorcycles. It is important that only DGR appropriate bikes are featured when marketing this event.

See the complete style guide on our website or see our social posts for appropriately styled motorcycles.

## BRAND IDENTITY

The Distinguished Gentleman's Ride maintains a conversational, informative, and playful character voice throughout its communications. It does, however, vary slightly based on the context it is used in.

#### CHARACTER VOICE

The DGR character is Sir Remington Silversteed, a fictional character who represents the cause area's core demographic - middleaged men who are at-risk of prostate cancer and mental health issues.

He also represents the classic dress code and behavior of the event.

While Remington represents the men in our lives that we want to live happier and healthier lives, and he encourages all genders and cultures to get involved to support all men.

#### GENERAL WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA

Simple, playful & entertaining, using non-colloquial language to make translating easy.

We use globally recognized jargon to boost engagement. When using literary techniques including similes and metaphors, they often contain this jargon.

Responding to comments on social media directly to followers, we are always conversational, empathetic, and respectful to keep in-line with the expected behavior of the event.

### PROGRAMS AND MEN'S HEALTH

Formal and education tone to provide a clear and concise message.

We follow the lead of Movember, who are the professionals when it comes to men's health.

We do adapt our unique tone to general copy, however, we refer to them for messages relating to immediate mental health support, programs, and funding-related enquiries.

### **OUR COMMUNITY**

DGR is a heavily communityorientated event, comprising of vastly different cultures and all genders.

When referencing our collective audience, we use the term "Gentlefolk" rather than Gentlemen/ Gentlewomen.

The event name remains as The Distinguished Gentleman's Ride as it refers to fundraising for prostate cancer and men's mental health.





## **MEDIA**ASSETS

We have a number of assets available for download via the DGR Media Assets micro-site.

Please refer to the DGR Media Site to access the poster, marketing and social media assets, official logos, press release, and more

This year, there will be no mass-participation events for The Distinguished Gentleman's Ride. Instead, we will all be riding solo together, to raised funds and awareness of men's health. There will be no physical assets such as the media wall or donation cards, however, we will be introducing a number of digital assets to engage fundraisers and sponsors. These can be found at www.gentlemansride.com/downloads

If you have any specific requirements to customize your assets, please contact us directly.



