



## Spring cleaning refresher

Owner's manuals with cleaning instructions for every Ride product are available [online](#). Navigate to the page for your specific product, scroll down, then click on the Literature tab. There you'll find the document in .pdf form.

Good ideas to keep in mind while cleaning your mobility equipment, with tips related to coronavirus prevention, are [here](#).

## Pandemic accelerates accessibility changes

- "For many people with disabilities, options like remote working have been needed for years. Workplaces around the world have now made this shift. Are there other ways the world could become more accessible, too?" Read [Why coronavirus may make the world more accessible](#).
- Done well, this trend should enhance accessibility for all... "Cities are facing a new demand from their residents: creating safe spaces for residents to walk, run, bike, and get around while maintaining social distancing." Check out [Rethinking Sidewalks and Streets in the midst of COVID-19](#)

“When one door of happiness closes, another opens;  
but often we look so long at the closed door that we do not see the  
one which has been opened for us.”

— [Helen Keller](#)



## Heard about the softer Custom Cushion option?

The Ride Custom AccuSoft Cushion, introduced a year ago, has now become a staple in Ride's range of wheelchair seating solutions. A softer, more forgiving custom cushion option, learn all about it [here](#).

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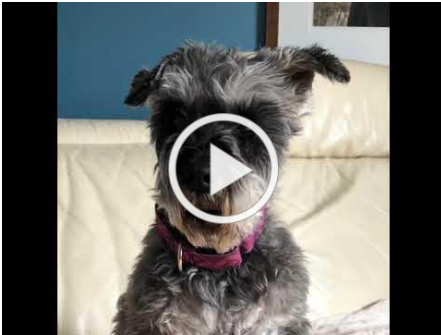
## Fun Finds / Resources

- There are so many interesting **online courses**, but this FREE offering seems timely: "In this course you will engage in a series of challenges designed to increase your own happiness and build more productive habits. As preparation for these tasks, Professor Laurie Santos reveals misconceptions about happiness, annoying features of the mind that lead us to think the way we do, and the research that can help us change." Check out [The Science of Well-Being](#) offered by Yale through Coursera.
- The ABCs of **things to do when you're stuck at home**.. a very quick animated [short film](#).



- **Listen in:** jazz to country to classical... a list of live virtual concerts to watch during the Coronavirus shutdown is [here](#). It's updated daily. Amazing how many are available!

Thanks for reading,  
Your friends at Ride Designs



**P.S.** If you somehow missed the last newsletter... the most-viewed item was about Pluto, the talkative miniature schnauzer, who broadcasts from the "Canadalands," -- it's definitely smile-inducing. Find more of Pluto on "the [YouTubes](#)."

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