

2004-Current Yamaha YFZ 450

Air filter installation & maintenance

- ❑ Remove all of the stock air filter and its components.
- ❑ Drill out the stock rivets that hold the air filter bezel into the air box and remove the bezel.
- ❑ Thoroughly clean the air box and air boot. Dirt is your motors number one enemy.
- ❑ Place the Sparks Air Supercharger ring onto the front of the air box so that the words on the ring are facing toward the front of the quad.
- ❑ Use the screws provided and insert them from the inside of the air box so that they thread into the Sparks Air Supercharger ring. Make sure to get the screws tight.
- ❑ Oil your clean air filter with a good pour on type oil, we recommend Twin Air filter oil.
- ❑ Pour a liberal amount of oil all over foam and massage the oil into filter and squeeze out any extra oil.
- ❑ Slide the filter over the air supercharger ring until it butts up against the front of the air box.
- ❑ Tighten the clamp and you are ready to go.
- ❑ It is important to clean and oil the filter whenever it gets dirty.
- ❑ To clean it, we recommend using filter cleaner like Twin Air. Other options would be kerosene or mineral spirits and then a good degreaser like Simple Green, 409, or even a good dishwashing soap.
- ❑ **DO NOT** use gasoline to clean your filter. It can significantly shorten the life of the foam and loosen the glue.
- ❑ The goal is to get all of the old oil and dirt out of the filter. Rinse well and dry before re-applying the oil.
- ❑ Reinstall the air filter as per installation instructions.