

Bouncer Rentals 4 You

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BOUNCER SAFETY & INSPECTION CHECKLISTS

Before You Bounce

Bouncers are by nature inherently safe. Your children will be jumping on cushions of air, contained by soft colorful walls with mesh panels that allow you to observe at all times. However, accidents do happen and are almost always a result of inattention or poor planning. Here are some important tips to keep your event running smoothly and accident-free.

Before Set Up

You probably already know where your inflatable bouncer, slide, or game will go. Walk around that area with this checklist:

- Your area must be flat. Your inflatable cannot be set up on a slope.
- You will need at least 5 feet of space on all sides of the inflatable.
- Make sure there are no overhanging branches or power lines that would be too close to the inflatable.
- Do you have a sprinkler system? If so, make sure you know exactly where the sprinkler lines are and mark them. Upon installation we will need to tether your inflatable by staking it into the ground with stakes as long as 40 inches.
- Find out where any underground gas, water, or power lines are located and have the locations marked.
- If you don't know where your sprinkler lines are, or gas, water, or power lines, let us know in advance so we can bring the appropriate amount of weighted sandbags to secure the inflatable.
- Clear the entire event area of debris, including sticks, bush branches, rocks, toys, and animal waste.
- Do you have accessible power? Verify how many blowers your inflatables will use. You should have a separate 20-amp circuit available for each blower (we will provide appropriate extension cords). If you don't, let us know and you'll be able to rent a generator to power the blowers.

Weather

Bouncers, slides, and other inflatables cannot be used in inclement weather. In addition to rain, inflatables are not safe to use if the winds exceed 25 miles per hour. There's nothing we can do if the weather gets bad so make sure you check the forecast and read through our cancellation policies.

During Your Event

Once things are under way you should have a yard or park filled with cheering, screaming children having the time of their lives. Here are a few things to keep in mind during the event:

- **Sunscreen:** the kids will be bouncing and playing for hours and probably won't want to go inside ever again. Make sure they have sunscreen!
- **Follow the rules:** your inflatable will have a sign built onto it near the entrance posting the rules created by the manufacturer of the inflatable. Know them and follow them.
- **No shoes, jewelry, food or drink:** anyone entering your bouncer must remove their shoes, jewelry, watches, etc. This includes sharp object like keys from pockets. Anything that could fall out and scratch the inflatable. It's safer all around, and you don't want a repair cost deducted from your deposit! Likewise food, drinks, and gum should be kept out.
- **Split kids by size:** most significant injuries on bouncers come from having large kids mixed in with smaller ones. Bouncers are, well, bouncy. Regardless of temperament or intent, the kids will be bumping and falling into each other. Make sure that only children of about the same size are in the bouncer at any one time. Rotate them in and out in shifts by size.
- **Getting out:** the step leading out of a bouncer is inflatable and bouncy too, and getting out is awkward. This is the most common area for scraped knees and elbows. Make sure an adult is available to help people out of the bouncer.
- **Supervise:** jumping and sliding and climbing are great fun, but you want to make sure things don't get out of hand. A responsible adult should be observing each of your inflatables at all times to make sure things stay under control.

The following checklist is to be completed together with Bouncer Rentals 4 You and the renter upon each installation and setup of each inflatable bounce house and/or bouncy slide rental. Failure to read, understand, and follow these rules could result in injury.

Attendant/Renter Responsibilities

- Supervision by an adult is required at all times.
- The attendant should make all riders aware of rules posted on the inflatable.
- The bounce house and/or slide must be securely anchored at all times.
- Entry into the inflatable device should be done in an orderly and controlled manner.
- Riders should be of similar age, weight and height range. Adults and older children should not bounce with younger children of differing size.
- Persons under the influence of any “Intoxicating” substances are not permitted in the bounce house.
- No shoes, eyeglasses, jewelry, or sharp objects.
- No somersaults, diving, wrestling, flips, rough play, and hanging on the net are allowed in the inflatable.
- No food, drinks, gum, pets, silly string, or confetti is allowed in the inflatable.
- Do not use the bouncy house and/or slide if wind conditions exceed 15 mph.
- Do not allow anyone to bounce if the bounce house is wet.
- Keep everyone away from blower at all times.
- The rental shall not be moved from the location of installation.

Emergency Procedures

In the unlikely event of a Severe Weather Alert, Power Failure, or Medical Emergency, the following procedures should be followed.

- Call the appropriate emergency responders if necessary.
- Exit riders in an orderly fashion away from the inflatable.
- Turn off blower and unplug from outlet.
- Keep riders away from the inflatable device.
- Contact Bouncer Rentals 4 You – (888) 407- 4189

Inspection Checklist

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Make sure inflatable is prepared to be inflated or deflated. Check ride and surrounding area for debris or anything that might puncture or damage the ride		
Check to make sure blower is securely attached and that all zippers & tubes are closed.		
Check all stakes, tie downs, ropes, or clips.		
Check electrical cords for damage & proper connection.		
Check the blower for proper guards or shields.		
Make sure everyone is clear of the ride.		
Turn on/off the blower.		
When the unit is fully inflated check for rips, tears, as well as signs of aging or cracking.		
Inside must be checked for rips, tears, moisture, and debris.		
Make sure the warning sign is in good condition, clearly legible and visible to riders.		