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Safe Inflatable Usage Guide

Once the inflatable is up and running, it is very important to always keep safety in mind. To help keep you and your party goers safe, we have put together a list of safety checks to always keep in mind during the operation of your inflatable. We list our top safety tips first however, all of the following safety protocols should be acknowledged and followed.

IF THERE IS AN EMERGENCY DO NOT HESITATE TO CALL 911!

Top Safety Tips

- **Pay attention to wind speeds.** If they are too strong, follow the steps that are provided in the attached wind-safety guidelines from the CPS.
- Be sure to plan accordingly to inclement weather.
- UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES UNSTRAP OR REMOVE THE GUY WIRES, STRAPS OR STAKES!
- DO NOT TURN OFF THE BLOWER WHEN PEOPLE ARE IN THE INFLATABLE.
- Do not bring the listed prohibited items on or in the inflatable.
- No fire, smoking, or open flame within 50 feet of the inflatable.
- The inflatable and its users should have adult supervision at all times.



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1. Wind and Weather Mitigation

- **Pay attention to wind speeds.** If they are too strong, follow the steps that are provided in the attached wind-safety guidelines from the CPS.
- If it begins to rain, evacuate the inflatable and turn off the blower.
- If there is thunder and/or lightning in the area, evacuate the inflatable and shut off the blower.
- On hot days, make sure the party users of the inflatable are staying hydrated. Many of our inflatables are enclosed and temperatures inside the inflatables can get high.
- Be sure to plan accordingly to inclement weather.

2. Inflatable Operation

- Adhere to the labeled user limit and weight limit of the inflatable.
- Be sure to keep checking that the guy wires and stakes are secure and attached. If they seem loose, unsafe or missing evacuate and deflate the inflatable and contact us. **UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES UNSTRAP OR REMOVE THE GUY WIRES, STRAPS OR STAKES!**
- Make sure the safety cones remain covering the stakes.
- Watch the inflatable to make sure that it is inflating properly. If the blower is on and the inflatable or slide seems to be deflating or overinflated, evacuate and deflate the inflatable and contact us.

3. Blower Operation

- Keep the blower out of the way of main foot traffic.
- **DO NOT TURN OFF THE BLOWER WHEN PEOPLE ARE IN THE INFLATABLE!**
- Make sure the blower is in a dry environment.
- Listen as to whether the blower is operating normally. If it is making unusual sounds, evacuate the inflatable and shut down the blower.
- If the blower or attached cords begin smoking, evacuate the inflatable and remove the power.



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4. Prohibited Items

- Shoes, jewelry, glasses.
- Please do not bring objects of any kind into or onto our inflatables.
- Knives or other sharp objects such as pens or scissors.
- Food, candy, sugary drinks, and sticky substances of all kinds.
- **“Silly String,”** paints, glitter or any other sprays or foams.
- Cleaning chemicals or solutions such as bleach, soaps or disinfectants. This is because many of these products can destroy or damage the equipment. We use specialized cleaners and disinfectants for this reason.

5. General Safety

- Jewelry and glasses should be removed before use.
- The inflatable and its users should have adult supervision at all times.
- When in doubt, evacuate and deflate the inflatable.
- Make sure the users are playing in a safe manner.
- Do not climb or use the inflatable in a way that was not intended.
- **No fire, smoking, or open flame within 50 feet of the inflatable.**
- The biggest risk children have in an inflatable is each other. Be sure to pay attention and make sure the children are playing safe and that there isn't too large of a weight or age gap between them. All children using the inflatable must be similar in height, weight, and age. We will not be responsible for users are varying ages, weights, or heights injuring each other.



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6. CPS Wind Safety Table

Adapted Beaufort Wind Scale (Estimated wind speeds) ³		
Wind speeds (mph)	Description	Land conditions
0-3	Calm, Light Air	Calm. Wind not felt on skin. No wind visible in trees.
4-7	Light breeze	Wind felt on exposed skin. Leaves rustle.
8-12	Gentle breeze	Leaves and smaller twigs in constant motion.
13-18	Moderate breeze	Dust and loose paper is raised. Small branches begin to move. - <i>Immediately evacuate and deflate any inflatables not designed for use in wind speeds above 15mph. Check your owner's manual for more information.</i>
19-24	Fresh breeze	Smaller trees sway. - <i>Immediately evacuate and deflate any inflatables not designed for use in wind speeds of up to 25mph. Check your owner's manual for more information.</i>
25-31	Strong breeze	Large branches in motion. Whistling heard in overhead wires. Umbrella use becomes difficult. - <i>Immediately evacuate and deflate <u>any</u> inflatable amusement device.</i>