RULES GOVERNING THE SAFE OPERATION OF EQUIPMENT

The following list of rules and safety instructions is to be performed together in the presence of the Company Representative and the Renter/ Attendant/ Operator upon each installation and setup of each inflatable ride. You are encouraged to direct any questions you may have about the operation of the inflatable to your representative before you begin use of the equipment. Each Renter/ Attendant/ Operator is responsible for reading and understanding the following instructions; failure to do so could result in injury.

<u>Supervision:</u> The safety of the children depends on you. Adult <u>supervision is absolutely required at ALL times</u>. As the Renter of this inflatable unit, the safety of all riders is your responsibility. The adult attendant/operator is responsible for the following and complying with all rules, warnings, safety and operating instructions contained on the inflatable and those listed below:

- 1. The attendant should position himself/herself in close proximity to the entrance of the inflatable unit, where they may control access, be within view of the occupants, and be prepared to assist the riders when they enter/exit the inflatable.
- The attendant should watch the riders at all times, while the unit is in use. Activities such as SOMERSAULTS AND FLIPS, ETC. are
 NOT ALLOWED. Riders engaging in these activities must be removed. It is important that the attendant realize they control the
 operation of the unit and that removing riders who do not obey the rules is a safety measure designed to protect ALL riders.
- 3. The attendant must make all riders aware of safety rules prior to entering unit and enforce all written and posted safety rules.
- 4. Extra caution and supervision are required for children ages (3) and under.
- The attendant must NEVER LEAVE THE INFLATABLE UNIT UNATTENDED AT ANY TIME. If it must be left unattended it is required that the inflatable unit be deflated and the power removed from the unit.

Specific Safety Rules, Warnings, and Instructions: Most injuries occur when big and small riders play together.

1. Riders must be sorted by size. Only Riders of compatible age groups and sizes shall be allowed in/on the inflatable at the same time. Below are some guidelines, the rated capacity posted on each unit should never be exceeded.

Size	ages 5 and under	ages 6 - 8	ages 9 - 12	ages 13- 17	ages 18 and up
20 x 20	18 children	15 children	10 children	8 Teens	6 Teens
15 x 15	12 children	10 children	8 children	6 Teens	3 Teens
13 x 13	10 children	8 children	6 children	4 Teens	2 Teens
Slides	One person per sliding lane. Max riders on slide at one time = number of sliding lanes.				
Interactive	(Obstacle, Bungee Run, Joust, Etc.) All ages 2 to 4 riders, depending on the unit, at any time.				

- 2. All riders MUST REMOVE SHOES, ALL LOOSE or SHARP OBJECTS including EYEGLASSES and JEWELRY before entering.
- 3. To avoid neck and back injuries, FLIPS, SOMERSAULTS, WRESTLING, PILING, AND ROUGH PLAY ARE NOT ALLOWED.
- 4. Individuals with head, neck, back, other muscular-skeletal injures or disabilities, pregnant women, individuals with pre-existing injuries, small infants, and others susceptible to injury from falls, bumps or bouncing are not allowed in or on the unit at any time.
- All riders are required to wear all protective equipment provided to include but not limited to head gear, safety harness, etc.
- 6. Do not allow riders to hang on, pull, or climb on netting or columns, or climb on outside walls, sides or roof of inflatable.
- 7. Do not allow riders to play on the step or front apron of any inflatable unit.
- 8. NO animals are allowed in or on the inflatable.
- 9. Absolutely NO SILLY STRING OR CONFETTI is permitted to come in contact with the unit, it causes irreparable damage.
- 10. NO gum, candy, food, drinks, or other sticky substances allowed in or on the inflatable unit or a cleaning fee will be assessed.

For Rides with Climbs and Slides: Riders must go down the slide FEET FIRST only and only ONE rider per lane at a time down the slide. NO climbing up the slide the wrong way, and NO jumping on the slide or onto the slide area.

Set-up and Installation:

- 1. Unit must be operated on <u>smooth surfaces free of any sharp objects</u>. Acceptable surfaces are grass, asphalt, or concrete. Do NOT operate on surfaces such as MUD, ROCKS, DIRT, GRAVEL, BRICKS, LANDSCAPING MULCH, or JAGGED SURFACE.
- 2. Do not remove the inflatable unit from the area where it was installed.
- 3. If the inflatable unit moves, pull it by one of its corners back to its original location of installation and re-secure.
- 4. Do not let the inflatable unit rub up against any surface.
- 5. No alteration of or attachments to the inflatable unit are allowed.
- 6. Never place a water hose or water in general onto the inflatable, except for waterslides. Inflatables are very slippery and dangerous when wet. If it becomes wet, have an adult wipe down unit before riders return, never let riders enter a wet inflatable.

<u>Inclement Weather</u>: Once there is a threat of inclement weather, including strong winds (15mph or higher), thunderstorms (especially when lightening is present), or severe cold weather (below 40 degrees), children should <u>immediately exit the inflatable</u>.

- 1. Have them exit in an orderly fashion. Do not panic, it is important the riders see you remain calm so they do not panic themselves.
- 2. Once all riders have exited, turn off the blower to deflate the unit and unplug extension cord(s) to the blower(s) and outlets.
- 3. All units should be covered with a tarp to protect it from the rain. If no tarp is available fold the unit in half.
- 4. The blower should be adequately covered or placed under a protective area to prevent water damage.

______ Power Failure or Loss of Air: With an interruption of power or loss of air the unit will start to deflate, perform the following: Stay calm and have all riders exit the inflatable IMMEDIATELY, and then check for one of the following conditions.

- 1. If the motor has stopped, check the blower switch, plug and extension cord if used. Make sure all connections are made. Make sure outlet has no other appliances plugged in, and then check to see if the fuse/circuit breaker panel is on.
- 2. If the motor is still running, check for blockage of the air intake screen on the side of the blower unit, also check the air tube(s) on the back of the inflatable for snugness and tighten the ties if necessary. Make sure all Zippers, Flaps, and Velcro are closed.
- 3. If either of these steps corrects the problem, fully re-inflate the unit prior to permitting anyone to use the unit.
 - ***** Never allow riders in or on a partially inflated unit. ***** Many units have an Emergency Exit on the Roof. *****
- 4. If no power still exists, unplug the blower from its power source and contact the office immediately.

<u>Damages:</u> Should the inflatable become damaged while in operation, calmly have the riders exit IMMEDIATELY, then turn the blower off, then Contact the on call Manager at 469-338-1796.

Receipt / Inspection of Rental Equipment: Customer hires the Rental Equipment on an "as is" basis. Customer acknowledges receipt of all items listed in the Rental Agreement, and that they are clean, undamaged, and in good working order.

I have been instructed in and understand the Operator/Attendant Safety Rules and Emergency Procedures listed above.

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Operator/Attendant	Date	Representative