



7 TOP SAFETY TIPS FOR HAVING A BOUNCY CASTLE



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ADULT SUPERVISION AT ALL TIMES

It is important that all bouncy castles users are supervised at ALL times by a responsible adult 18 years and over to ensure that users stay off the walls, the castle doesn't exceed the maximum number of children allowed and that the pegs used to secure the castle remain in place. We can provide trained, friendly staff to supervise the castle at any time for \$25 per hour.



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NO SOMERSAULTS OR ROUGH PLAY

The most common cause of an accident using a bouncy castle is down to somersaulting, rough play, or wrestling. It is so important that users are informed before using the castle that this is not permitted and if the responsible adult notices that this begins to happen then it is stopped immediately.



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SIMILAR SIZE USERS ONLY

If hosting a family party or event where there is a range of different ages of children that will want to use the castle it is essential that ONLY children of similar size and age use the castle at the same time. The easiest way to operate this is to have a rota whereby for example children between 5-8yrs use the castle for 10 minutes and then children between 9-12yrs. use it for the next 10 minutes and so on.



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ACCEPTING LIABILITY

On the day of your booking you will be asked to sign a Terms & Conditions agreement which simply states that any incident or injuries which occur while the castle is on hire to you are not the responsibility of Kapiti Castles Limited and that you are accepting full liability should an incident occur. Therefore, it is important that you ensure users abide by the Terms & Conditions at all times.



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USER RESTRICTION

If you have hired a child's bouncy castle, adults and teenagers MUST keep off the castle, the material used to build a child's castle is typically much thinner and not as robust as that of an adult castle, that is why the castle is classified "not suitable for adults". You must also ensure that you do not exceed the maximum number of users the castle can take.



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WEATHER RESTRICTIONS

Do not risk using a castle during heavy Wind, Rain or Snow. The castle must not be used if the wind picks up above 36kmp. During times of heavy rain and snow it becomes dangerous to use the castle due to the rain and mud brought in by the users who hop on and off the castle making it slippery to use. Some castles include a rain cover which are suitable for light rain and showers, however during ongoing bad weather we advise that the unit is vacated, wiped down with a towel and turned off until the weather calms down before using again.

**If in any doubt at any time during your hire period,
please contact Kapiti Castles on (021) 099 0843 or (04) 298 9868.**