

## BASIC INFORMATION:

1. Each guest must have the ability to maintain riding posture and brace themselves throughout the course of the ride against potential forces created by the ride and/or other participants.
2. GUESTS with conditions such as pregnancy, back, neck or bone problems, cardio-vascular problems, high blood pressure, recent surgery or other health conditions that could be aggravated by bumping or jarring must exercise discretion in selecting rides.
3. **There is always a remote chance that a ride might need to be evacuated. Evacuations may be necessary due to such causes as a mechanical problem, weather conditions or power interruption. If an evacuation is required, you may be required to maneuver across catwalks, sometimes from the highest point on the ride, and walk down steeply inclined steps or catwalks or wait for an extended period of time in the ride vehicle. Note: Kennywood team members are not trained to lift or carry GUESTS.**
4. Any GUEST who rides a ride must be able: -to be seated properly in the required riding position -to have hands, arms, feet and legs inside the ride unit -to use all safety devices required in the operation of the ride.
5. Any GUEST whose size or build would affect the applicable safety restraints (seat belts, lap bars, harnesses, etc.) from functioning properly may not be permitted to ride.
6. For the purpose of this policy, a responsible person is one who physically and mentally meets all the requirements to ride the ride, is sixteen (16) years of age or older, and exhibits the maturity generally expected from one 16 years of age or older. In the case of immediate family members, the age for the responsible person may be waived at the sole discretion of Kennywood.
7. **ALL RIDE HEIGHT RESTRICTIONS APPLY.** Each ride is reviewed specifically to determine the size limits necessary to make safety restraints effective, and to meet the ride manufacturer's requirements. For more information regarding the Ride Admission Policy Slip, please visit the **Rider Safety Center** at the Main Entrance to the Park. Riders with casts below the elbow will have no restrictions on any rides or attractions, and therefore do not need to obtain a Ride Admission Policy Slip. If riders have casts above the elbow or knee, please visit the Rider Safety Center at the Main Gate.

# Kennywood

## RIDE ADMISSION POLICY FOR GUESTS WITH DISABILITIES.

Welcome to Kennywood. Our mission is to provide the finest in family fun and entertainment.

Our Ride admission policy has been developed with the help of a biodynamic engineer and recommendations of the ride manufacturers. Our policy is based on our past experience and our knowledge of the rides in both normal and emergency operating conditions. Our prime consideration is your ability to endure the dynamics of the ride without risk of injury to yourself, other guests or team members.

In the event of a power failure you may have to evacuate a ride from a position other than the loading station. We have considered this possibility in developing our ride admission policy.

This brochure contains information about the criteria required to ride safely. If any of these conditions apply, please stop at the Rider's Safety Center. An individual assessment will be done to determine the rides you can safely ride. This brief assessment will avoid any delays in boarding rides throughout the day.

Safety comes first at Kennywood. We are committed to providing you a safe and memorable experience. If you have any questions, comments or suggestions about this policy, please let us know by writing to the address below. Have a safe and enjoyable day.

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*The evaluation of each ride considered the following nine criteria, which may be required to safely ride a certain ride.*

1. **ABILITY TO EXHIBIT INDEPENDENT SEATED POSTURAL CONTROL UNDER THE DYNAMIC CONDITIONS OF THE RIDE.** Explanation: Most rides require that riders have the body and spinal control to sit upright without the aid of other people or devices and be able to maintain proper riding posture even during bumping or other characteristic movements of the ride.
2. **APPROPRIATE CENTER OF GRAVITY** Explanation: Certain rides require that a rider's body have the appropriate weight distribution for that ride's restraint system.
3. **CONTROL OF UPPER TORSO INCLUDING NECK AND HEAD.** Explanation: Most rides require that riders have sufficient muscle control to support his/her head, neck, and upper torso during the course of the ride.
4. **ABILITY TO HOLD ON WITH UPPER EXTREMITIES.** Explanation: Certain rides require that riders have either one or both functioning arms to hold on during the ride cycle. A functioning arm is an upper extremity or prosthesis exhibiting good grip control, the ability to brace, and the strength to allow the GUEST to maintain the proper riding position throughout the duration of the ride.
5. **ABILITY TO BRACE SELF WITH LOWER EXTREMITIES.** Explanation: Certain rides require that riders have one or both functioning legs to be used for bracing the body during the course of the ride. A functioning leg is a lower extremity or a prosthesis that can be used for bracing.
6. **MINIMUM OF TWO FUNCTIONING EXTREMITIES.** Explanation: Certain rides require that riders have a MINIMUM of two functioning extremities (two legs, two arms, or one arm and one leg) to brace themselves during the ride.

## 7. MINIMUM OF THREE FUNCTIONING EXTREMITIES.

Explanation: Certain rides require that riders have a MINIMUM of three functioning extremities (two legs and one arm OR two arms and one leg) to brace themselves during the ride. **ABILITY TO ENTER/EXIT THE RIDE WITHIN SPECIFIED PARAMETERS WITHOUT ENDANGERING SELF OR OTHERS.**

Explanation: GUESTS must be able to enter and exit the ride without jeopardizing themselves or others, and to assist with their own evacuation if necessary. This may include special arrangements such as entering through the exit or having someone in their party assist them in the boarding process. If a GUEST has to be lifted in and out of the ride unit, a responsible person who is accustomed in doing this must do so. Ride operators are not trained to lift or physically assist guests.

## 8. MENTAL CAPACITY TO BE AWARE OF HAZARDS TO SELF AND OTHERS; OR OF FAILURE TO RIDE IN PRESCRIBED MANNER.

Explanation: Most rides require that riders have sufficient awareness to understand the consequences of actions that may lead to injury to self and/or others.

In addition to the physical and mental requirements defined previously, each ride was evaluated relative to specific temporary conditions that may prevent a GUEST from riding a certain ride. Specific conditions evaluated were:

- \* CERVICAL COLLAR OR NECK BRACE
- \* BROKEN COLLAR BONE
- \* FULL ARM CAST
- \* BRACED ARM CAST
- \* FULL LEG CAST
- \* BILATERAL ABDUCTION CASTS (BRACE BETWEEN LEGS)
- \* THE SUITABILITY OF SAFELY CARRYING HAND-HELD INFANTS ON EACH RIDE.

## PENNSYLVANIA ACT NO. 1994-58 AMUSEMENT RIDER SAFETY AND LIABILITY ACT

*The Pennsylvania Amusement Rider Safety and Liability Act requires that rides must obey all warnings and directions regarding this ride and must behave in a manner that will not cause or contribute to injury to themselves or others. Failure to comply is cause for dismissal from the Park without a refund.*

Ride Name	Type	Ride Action	Ride Access
4-D Theatre	Interactive show	Mild	Queue line is accessible
Aero 360	Upside Down Rotation	Very Intense	Easy Via Exit
Auto Race	Car Ride	Moderate	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Bayern Kurve	Tilting/ Circular	Intense	Easy Via Exit
Black Widow	Circular High Speed	Very Intense	Easy via separate entrance
Cosmic Chaos	Circular High Speed	Intense	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Exterminator	Spinning Coaster	Very Intense	Easy Via Exit
Garfield's Nightmare	Ride Through Attraction	Mild	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Ghostwood Estate	Ride Through Attraction	Mild	Easy Via Separate Entrance/ Elevator. Transfer Vehicle Available
Gran Prix	Bumper Cars	Intense	Easy Via Exit
Jack Rabbit	High Speed Coaster	Intense	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Kangaroo	Flat/Circular	Moderate	Easy Via Exit
Kenny's Parkway	Ski Lift	Mild	Easy Via Entrance One Way Only
Merry-Go-Round	Flat/Circular	Mild	Easy Via Exit Ramp available
Musik Express	Circular High Speed	Very Intense	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Noah's Ark	Walk Through	Mild	Easy Via Entrance Accessible Path
Paddle Boats	Manually Operated	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Paratrooper	Tilting/ Circular	Moderate	Easy Via Exit
Phantom's Revenge	High Speed Coaster	Very Intense	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Pirate	Swinging	Moderate	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Pittsburg Plunge	Water Chute	Intense	Easy Via Separate Entrance Ramp
Racer	High Speed Coaster	Very Intense	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Raging Rapids	River Rapids Ride	Moderate	Difficulty with steps
Skycoaster	Free Fall Swinging	Very Intense	Difficulty with steps
Sky Rocket	High Speed Roller Coaster	Very Intense	Easy via exit ramp
SwingShot	Swinging	Very Intense	Easy Via Exit
Thunderbolt	High Speed Coaster	Very Intense	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Turtle	Flat Circular	Moderate	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Volcano	Upside Down Rotation	Very Intense	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Wave Swinger	Circular	Moderate	Easy Via Exit
Whip	Flat Circular	Mild	Easy Via Exit Ramp
<b>THOMAS TOWN</b>			
Journey with Thomas	Train Ride	Mild	Easy Via Entrance/Lift Available
Cranky's	Free Fall	Moderate	Easy Via Entrance
Diesel's Drivers	Car Ride	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Flynn's Firefighter	Flat Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Harold's Helicopter tour	Lifting Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
<b>KIDDIELAND</b>			
Crazy Trolley	Circular Rotation	Mild	Easy Via Entrance Ramp
Dizzy Dynamo	Tilting/Spinning	Moderate	Easy Via Entrance
Elephant Parade	Lifting Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Kenny's Karousel	Flat Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Lil'Phantom	Roller Coaster	Moderate	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Orbiter	Tilting Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Pounce Bounce	Free Fall	Moderate	Easy Via Entrance
Red Baron	Lifting Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
SS Kenny	Circular	Moderate	Easy Via Exit Ramp
Steel City Choppers	Flat Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Turtle Chase	Flat Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Wacky Wheel	Slow Rotation	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Whippersnapper	Flat Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance
Whirlwind	Flat Circular	Mild	Easy Via Entrance

#### Intensity Ratings:

##### VERY INTENSE

Very Intense thrill and/or high speed ride with quick, sudden and very aggressive ride action causing strenuous and abrupt bodily movements. Requires vigorous rider control and superior physical conditioning. Riders should not have any health limitations.

##### INTENSE:

High thrill and or fast-paced with considerable ride action which may cause vigorous bodily movement. Requires vigorous rider control. Riders should be in excellent

##### MODERATE:

Moderate thrill and/or average speed ride with normal rider control required. May cause limited bodily movement

##### MILD:

Minimum thrill ride and/or low speed ride with slight ride action and bodily movements.