



BETTER RIDES
PROFESSIONAL FUNFAIR
HIRE & MANAGEMENT

COMPLETE SOLUTIONS

Better Rides offer such a wide variety of attractions and event accessories that we are able to offer a complete solution for your funfair needs. We provide modern thrill rides, spectacular aerial attractions, traditional fairground rides, family rides, children's rides, games, catering units, mobile stage, Bavarian bar, VIP toilets and more...

We are experienced in providing attractions for public events, private functions, corporate hospitality, television and film, traditional funfairs and more. We provide a full service including site surveys, funfair set-up, operation and management.

NATIONWIDE COVERAGE

We proudly offer our services across the whole of the UK, with bases in Manchester, Bournemouth, Bristol, Birmingham, Leeds and London. We have also taken our attractions into Europe and even as far as Hong Kong and Dubai.

EXPERIENCED & HARD WORKING

Better Rides aim to always be at the cutting edge of the industry with absolutely first-class modern equipment, but we also have a firm working background in traditional fun fairs. You will find our extensive first hand knowledge of providing such diverse rides and attractions at such a wide variety of events invaluable to the smooth running of your event. We're not agents sitting in an office, far removed from the job. We are out there hands-on every day working hard to fulfil our clients every need, so we know first-hand exactly what we're talking about and what will or will not work for you.

THE PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

We are a family run business with many generations of experience in the amusements industry and as such take a very "hands-on" approach to everything we do. We get to know each of our clients on a personal level and therefore understand their individual wants and needs. We are friendly and accommodating but also professional to the end. We carry each job through with sincere passion and pride.



HEALTH & SAFETY PRACTICES AND DOCUMENTATION

We work within regulations and guidelines set out by HSE (Health & Safety Executive) in "Fairgrounds & Amusement Parks - Guidance on Safe Practice HSG 175".

ADIPS

As well as the daily safety checks and maintenance carried out by our own experts, an ADIPS* engineer also carries out an annual thorough safety inspection before the attraction is passed as safe to operate. Copies of these safety certificates are available to clients upon request. (* Amusement Device Inspection Procedure Scheme)



Amusement Device Inspection
Procedures Scheme

DAILY INSPECTIONS

Every day before a ride is operated to the public, a general safety inspection takes place. Any defects or potential hazards are recorded reported to management. If a problem is found, it is rectified and the ride re-tested before opening to the public.



Health & Safety
Executive

PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE

Better Rides carry public liability Insurance in the amount of £10,000,000 (ten million) on all of our attractions. Not all operators are quite so well covered, so always check. You can rest assured that no ride, game, stall or catering unit would be supplied to you without adequate cover. Not only is it a requirement by law, but it gives you the peace of mind you deserve.

Copies of our public liability insurance certificates are available to clients upon request.

RISK ASSESSMENTS & METHOD STATEMENTS

A risk assessment is a document which identifies the following: potential hazards, who may be harmed by these hazards, what measures are taken to control these hazards. It is important that all staff members are aware of potential hazards and what part they play in keeping themselves and members of the public safe. For this reason, Better Rides carry risk assessment documents covering various tasks for each attraction we operate. Copies of risk assessments are available to clients upon request.

A method statement is a document which clearly details the way in which a task is to be carried out (i.e. "the Event"), outlining potential hazards and providing a step-by-step guide to how the task will be performed safely.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

When you hire attractions from Better Rides, our team will fully deliver, assemble, operate, dismantle and remove the attraction.

SITE SURVEYS

Where necessary, we will conduct a site survey to establish the suitability of the proposed event site or venue. If required, we can meet with you on-site to discuss the finer details in person and address any concerns you may have (such meetings may be subject to charge).

POWER SUPPLY

Attractions are supplied with generators, making it possible to operate in even the most remote locations. If your event is taking place indoors, it may be a requirement of the venue that attractions are connected to the mains power supply - please check with venue management. Details of each attraction's power requirements are available upon request.

LIGHTING AND MUSIC

Most of the medium to large rides are equipped with amplified music systems. Some of the smaller or vintage rides are not - please enquire if this is an important requirement. Similarly, if you would prefer not to have music playing, this is no problem either.

Attractions are supplied with lighting. This is for both aesthetic purposes and to ensure visibility during hours of darkness or reduced light.



RIDES, GAMES & EVENT EXTRAS

Better Rides offer an extensive range of attractions and accessories, including:

THRILL RIDES

- BUNGEE BALL SLINGSHOT
- ATMOSFEAR
- XTREME
- BOMBER

AERIAL ATTRACTIONS

- STAR FLYER (SKY SWING)
- GIANT WHEEL

FUNFAIR CLASSICS

- DODGEMS
- WALTZER
- TWISTER
- ROTOR (STICKY WALL)

FAMILY RIDES

- CAROUSEL
- WAVE SWINGER
- SIMULATOR

ROLLER COASTERS

- WILD MOUSE (LARGE)
- DRAGON COASTER
- APPLE COASTER
- MINI RUNAWAY TRAIN

CHILDREN'S RIDES

- TOY SET CAROUSEL
- CUPS N SAUCERS
- MINI JETS
- CONVOY
- MINI CHAIR-O-PLANE
- MINI MIAMI
- BOUNCY CASTLE / SLIDE

SIDESHOWS

- JUNGLE FUN HOUSE
- BAVARIAN FUN HOUSE
- MIRROR MAZE
- GHOST TRAIN



VINTAGE ATTRACTIONS

- FERRIS WHEEL
- HELTER SKELTER

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- BUNGEE TRAMPOLINES
- ZORB BALLS
- HANG BAR CHALLENGE
- WATER WALKERS
- BUMPER BOATS

GAMES

- HOOK-A-DUCK
- TIN CAN ALLEY
- COCONUT SHY
- SHOOTING GALLERY
- STRIKER (TEST OF STRENGTH)

CATERING & EVENT EXTRAS

- BAVARIAN BAR WITH INDOOR SEATING & BEER GARDEN
- MOBILE BAR (SMALLER VERSION)
- BRATWURST GERMAN SAUSAGE GRILL
- CREPE STALL
- CANDY FLOSS & CLASSIC SWEETS
- VIP EVENTS TOILETS
- MOBILE STAGE

... and pretty much everything else! If you are looking for something in particular that you do not see listed, please ask us - we are able to supply almost any attraction. Put us to the test!

THEMED EVENTS

Are you working within a particular theme? We are often asked to provide attractions for events based on a particular theme and are more than happy to suggest the most suitable items.



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