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Make Safety a Priority at Fall Fairs

LLR's Office of Elevators and Amusement Rides wants everyone to have a safe and fun time at this year's fall fairs in Columbia and around the state.

The following are some tips to ensure an amusing time for you and your family:

- Parents: insure ride is appropriate for your child based on age/weight/height.
- Obey the posted rules, warnings, and instructions for rides.
- Upon entry to and departure from the ride, please be attentive to avoid a trip or fall hazard.
- Use safety equipment, such as seat belts, lap bars, etc.
- Keep hands, arms, and legs inside the ride at all times.
- Stay seated until the ride comes to a complete stop.
- If you're frightened by a ride, get the attention of the ride operator to stop the ride.
- If the ride operator is inattentive, let a supervisor know.
- Call LLR at 803-896-7638 to report an unsafe condition.