

LBCC Bouncy Castle Policy for Hirers

Long Buckby Community Centre - Charity No. 271609

The following is the Long Buckby Community Centre bouncy castle policy and is based on guidance from our insurers regarding the use of bouncy castles by hirers at our venue.

Hires who set up and use a bouncy castle as part of their hiring of the centre are bound by the terms set out in this policy at the point of your booking being approved so please ensure you read this prior to the start of your booking.

As a hirer of our hall if you intend to bring in bouncy castles as part of a hiring, there are two elements of cover that need to be in place to ensure your full protection. The first is for the actual bouncy castle itself, this should be supplied by the owner/hiring company and is in place in case there is a fault with the bouncy castle that causes an injury or property damage.

The second element is cover for the supervisors of the bouncy castle. The party who is responsible for supervising the device is also responsible for insuring it, so if as hirer of the venue you are supervising the inflatable, you should have your own public liability insurance to cover its use. If this is an individual who is hiring the venue for a party, often you may be covered under your household policy, but you should call your insurer and get this confirmed in writing. If your household insurer does not cover your liability for this supervision, you would need to take out a one-off policy in respect of this, which could be obtained online. If the company from which the bouncy castle is being loaned is staying to supervise it, then they should have their own public liability insurance, you must check this is in place.

Please note that if the supervisor of the bouncy castle does not have adequate insurance, then in the event of a claim you as the hirer would become personally liable as set out in terms of this policy. The Trustees of the Hall will not, under any circumstances, be held liable, therefore we strongly recommend that you, as the hirer, have your own adequate valid insurance.

If a hirer does not have adequate insurance and a claim is made against the centre, the Community Centre insurers will provide no protection and you as the hirer will become fully liable for any claim in relation to your bouncy castle.