

Funfair Hire For Any Event - Nationwide Service



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Choosing your funfair service provider

Just like with any other industry, there is a large variation amongst funfair operators. The best of the business can provide a funfair large or small to anywhere in the country, with uniformed staff, full risk assessments, method statements an £10 million public liability insurance for your complete peace of mind. They can do this whilst still keeping costs competitive to provide you with an all round excellent product.

The cowboys on the other hand tend to cut corners, they will be insured for much less, will have a skimpy few handwritten pages of 'safety documents' and will be unwilling to provide you with any references from previous events. The sad part of this is that this second rate service isn't even forced to be less expensive than the quality operators, and if you encounter any serious problems, it could end up costing you far more in the long run.

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So what can you do to ensure the quality of service you require to make your event a fun, enjoyable and above all SAFE pastime for everyone concerned.?

At the very least ask for copies of the following documents;

- Insurance Certificates
- Electrical Safety Certificates
- Mechanical Safety Certificates
- Risk Assessments
- Fire Risk Assessments
- Method Statements
- Staff Training Histories
- References From Previous Clients
- Written H & S Policy

All of the reputable operators will be more than happy to forward you copies of all of these documents. If they promise them but they never turn up, or they make excuses, then find someone else!

In addition to the documents mentioned above, we also have a written environmental policy document, and are currently working towards ISO9001:2000 accreditation. Our ethical purchasing policy commits us to purchasing Fairtrade products wherever they are available.

We don't just supply stalls and games. Thanks to our parent company JARM Amusements, we can supply everything from a stick of candy floss to a complete funfair

Choosing games for your event

With the vast array of games and stalls available how do you begin to choose what is suitable?

Age Range

What age are the games aimed at, children, adults, both? For instance our top of the range shooting gallery uses Anschutz bolt action rifles, a gun used to train the Hitler youth during the 1940's. Even though we have the gun reduced in power it is still too heavy, unwieldy and dangerous for very young children to use. Older children are fine if supervised but it is really aimed at adults. We have a number of shooting galleries that use guns firing cork projectiles which are perfectly safe even for toddlers to fire, whilst still entertaining enough for adults so this makes a good compromise.

Type Of Event

What is the event in aid of? Something promoting peace and harmony isn't really suitable for the aforementioned shooting gallery, perhaps hoopla or hook a duck would be more in keeping with the theme.

Are you promoting a product. If so something that dispenses a prize every time would work, or a football game would go down well at a football tournament. We can theme a game to fit in with whatever you are trying to achieve.

Other Considerations

Other things to consider are access, can we actually access the site with our shooting gallery that is built upon an 8 wheeled HGV, or is it in the lobby of a hotel and requires one of our Victorian stalls that can be dismantled and carried in?

Will the guests be drinking heavily? In which case corks are better than pellets for the shooting game, throwing games with soft balls will be a better option than something with hard wooden missiles to throw!

We have a vast amount of experience in what does and does not work, so tell us what you are hoping to achieve and we will happily put together some ideas and themes for you, at the end of the day we want your event to be a big success, after all we want your repeat business!



One of our Victorian style Espresso Carts

Traditional Victorian Side Stalls

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Our traditional range of side stalls have been designed to be suitable for use either indoor or outdoors. They come as standard with a front panel decorated in a traditional funfair style, although this can be changed for themed events.

Decorative lights and plush prizes complete the effect. These stalls are perfect for corporate events, parties, marketing use etc. They are especially effective when a number of stalls are lined up together, all with different games but with a common look and feel.

The units are supplied fully staffed and complete with prizes. For themed events such as Victorian Fayres, or wild west shoot outs are staff can be supplied in costume for the complete experience.

In addition to the stalls we have available, we can also supply catering carts with candy floss, popcorn and a range of espresso coffees. Bigger items such as children's rides and helter skelters mean we can supply a complete Victorian style fun fair.

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Cork Gun Shooting Gallery



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Using the world fanous Gat Gun firing small cork plugs, this is ideal for all ages, from small children through to grown men, this is fun for all.

Our standard targets are either the Krazy Klowns (clowns faces with small balls in the eyes, nose and mouth which you shoot out), or our knock down targets (hit them and they fall down). However we can produce customised targets easily and quickly to suit your event. If you are having a wild west theme, we can supply targets with cowboys and indians, pirates can come with blackbeard and co

For the ultimate laugh why not have your managing director to shoot at, or your sales team, for a private party we can produce targets with the birthday boy or girl featured

We can supply a mumber of stalls with shooting games, all with different types of targets, but still presenting a matching appearance that enhances the event and looks better than a rag bag jumble of different sized, shaped and coloured units that some suppliers send you.







the Can Can

The Can Can

A simple concept, throw the balls and knock all of the cans off the shelf. This one really gets the testosterone pumping, get a tea mof competative males together and they will spend hours trying to outdo each other and clear the shelf, its not as simple as it sounds!

For kids, or the fairer sex, the number of cans can be reduced, or the number of balls increased to give them more chance of winning.





This game tends to be suitable for larger prizes, indeed many corporate clients supply wine of champagne to use as prizes on the stall. This is more a test of strength and accuracy whereas some games such as the cork guns tend to be down to luck.

The positioning of the cans, number and amount of balls being used can all be adjusted to suit the age group you are expecting at the event.

Mini Crossbows



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A perfect complement to the shooting gallery, the mini crossbows are equally fun to play. Again utilising our customising service you can exchange the standard big game targets for something to fit in with your theme from pirates through to gangsters we have a large range of ready to use themes, or design your own, we produce targets with you mother in law featured prominently if that's what you would like.



Firing mini sucker tipped plastic darts, the mini crossbows are completely safe for use indoors and by any age group including children.



Coconut Shy



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One of the all time classic fairground games, the coconut shy harks back to the earliest days of fairground games.

Throw the wooden balls to knock the coconuts off the stand, not as easy as it looks requiring power with accuracy.



The throwing range can be adjusted to alter the difficulty level of the game.

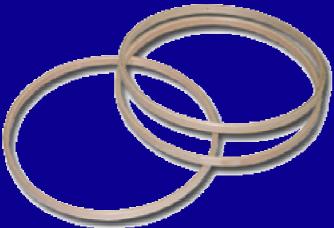


Hoopla



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Another game that looks easier than it is. Throw the ring over the block to win. This is another all time classic that people immediately associate with fairgrounds.



Our standard rings provide an easier game than you find at a traditional fairground. If you want to use more expensive prizes for a corporate promotion then we can supply slightly larger blocks to make it a little more difficult.



Gold Cup



The Sport Of Kings

A new variation on the traditional Kentucky Derby funfair game where you roll balls down a track and move your horse along the course. Here you sit astride a hobby horse and the faster you gallop, the faster your horse runs.



Suitable for use indoors, or outdoors with one of our free mini marquees.





Inflatable Horse Racing

The Sport Of Kings Part 2

This has to be seen to be believed, upto 4 riders mounted upon inflatable horses race around an inflatable race course complete with jumps, absolute mayhem usually ensues and it is as much fun for the spectators as for the riders.



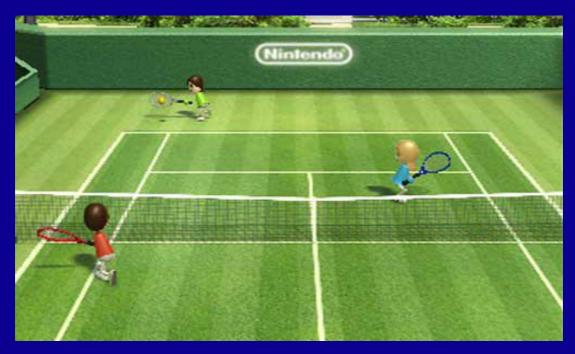
Wii Games COnsole



One of the most popular games consoles ever produced, the Wii is different in that it uses motion sensing to play the game, so instead of just sitting there pressing buttons, the players become interactive parts of the system. Available with a wide selection of games to ensure that there will be something suitable for any type of event.







Battle Tanks



Big boys toys, battle it out on our portable battlefield using radio controlled tanks firing infra red beams. You can command the famous M4 Sherman tank on the allied side, or the infamous Tiger 1. All played out on our portable battlefield with trees, buildings and automated anti tank guns which can disable your tank in an instant.



This can be run purely as a walk up and join in game, or it can be organised into teams with a number of different competative games possible.



Operation

Based on the old family favourite, only supersized, operation gives you 60 seconds and 3 lives to remove as many pieces from the patient as possible. A steady hand and nerves of steel are what you require to win.











Although it is primarily a single player game, it can be organised into a competition for team building etc.

Boom Blaster

A simple idea, yet highly competative and ideal for team based events. Each player has a pumping station, as they operate the pump it inflates a balloon in the busting station, once the balloon has reached maximum pressure it explodes. The first one to bust the balloon wins.









Crazy Golf

Crazy Golf is another of those old time favourites that can be played by people of any age. Available in 9, 14 or 18 hole courses these are equally suited to indoor or outdoor events.









Photo Booth

Our fully automated photo booth is an ideal addition to any event. Your guests step inside, select balck and white or colour and the system then takes 4 snaps before dispensing a print for them to keep. Using professional quality DSLR cameras and dye sublimation printers, this sytem will give you laboratory standard prints, as a bonus, all of the images are uploaded to our secure web server and your guests can download them in high resolution free of charge.

The system can also be set up to provide customised prints, this can have your corporate logo embedded, or the name and date of your wedding, the possibilities are endless.













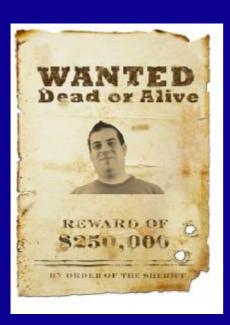
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Fun Photography

Hire one of our paparazzi photographers (or more than one if the mood takes you), dressed in the traditional rainmac and fedora, and armed with professional DSLR cameras, they will take unlimited snaps of your guests which are then uploaded to our secure website for your guests to retrieve free of charge.

We can supply a free red carpet and rope barrier prop to add that Hollywood touch, or how about our green screen system which will allow unlimited backdrops and special effects to be added to your photos.







Specialist Espresso Coffee Cart

For the more sophisticated clientele we have a range of espresso coffee carts based on our Victorian cart chassis. Dispensing not just Espresso, but tea and hot chocolate this is ideal for events or meetings where alcohol is not really suitable.

As a bonus all of our ingredients are Fairtrade so you can feel good about helping the less privileged and help meet your corporate responsibilities.





Candy Floss And Popcorn

Probably our most popular line is candy floss and popcorn. Available in combination on one of our Victorian carts, or with the popcorn separate on its own mini cart, everyone loves the taste of floss. Not only that but watching it being made is an event in itself, with the candy floss apparently appearing out of thin air.

As an added bonus we are the only funfair operator serving Fairtrade candy floss as standard.

French Crepe Cart

Serving Crepes (French pancakes) with a range of filings from sweet to savoury.

Where possible our ingredients such as bananas are Fairtrade so you can feel good about helping the less privileged and help meet your corporate responsibilities.





Hot Dogs

Another classic fast food. Jumbo hot dogs are served with a range of condiments. The trays, napkins and cutlery served with them are made from 100% biodegradable products so once again you can rest assured that your commitments to the environment are being met.

Mulled Wine

Perfect for those cold winter evenings (although it can be served at anytime of the year), our mulled wine cart dispenses steaming hot spiced wine.

Served from traditional style turines this makes a perfect compliment for our hot chestnut cart.





Roast Chestnuts

What would a crisp winters day be without the wonderful aroma of fresh roasting chestnuts? We have a range of traditional carts, serving freshly roasted chestnuts at any event. This is a traditional treat that has been popular since Dickensian times.

Soup Stall

A hot and refreshing soup stall is perfect for those cold winter events. A variety of flavours are available, with up to 3 being served on the the stall.

We have a choice of flavours available, or if you have a particular requirement let us know and we will source it for you.



Bar Services



Mobile Bar Service

We offer a complete bar service, with a full range of draught products, spirits, wines and soft drinks. This can range from a single lager dispenser mounted on our Victorian style cart, through to a full bar as pictured below.



Other Attractions

Water Lagoon is one of our newest attractions, available in a variety of sizes on long or short term hire, on its own or with any of our other range of attractions, games and catering.



Other Attractions

PURTABLE SKATING RINK



The World of Ice Skating. It's the attraction that makes your event spectacular. It's fun for young, old, the beginner and the professional Ice skater to participate in

This is a fully mobile rink and can be erected in various sizes to suit your venue. The "no fuss" benefits of this synthetic ice rink makes it ideal for all types of events from a corporate funday to a long term winter presentation.





Skate Spectacular can be tailored to meet your requirements plus sponsors can place their advertising material around the rink barriers to promote their chosen subject.

Standard Fairground Side Stalls

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Our range of standard fairground stalls is massive, we have access to dozens of variations of each type of stall. If you need something specific just ask we can source it for you.

The advantages of the standard range of stalls over our traditional victorian versions, are the fact that they tend to cater for larger numbers of players per stall, and in the right setting they can be more impressive, due in some part to the sheer size of some of the attractions.

The main disadvantage is that with a few exceptions, most of the stalls of this type cannot be used indoors, so they are not suitable for many corporate events.

In addition to the stalls we have available, we can also supply catering units with candy floss, popcorn, a range of espresso coffees and the ubiquitous burgers, hot dogs and French fries. Bigger items such as children's rides, helter skelters and all of the latest white knuckle rides, along with some long time favourites such as dodgems mean we can supply a complete fun fair for any event.

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Shooting Galleries



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We have a wide variety of shooting games available. These range from the small cork gun shooting stalls to the full sized bolt action repeating rifles.

Again a wide range of different targets can be supplied, ranging from games of skill such as 3 hearts (you have to shoot inside different sized hearts without touching the red lines) to something that is more pure luck (our 21 casino game is an example of this, knock the dice down and add the numbers up, different scores win different prizes).

Prizes are supplied as standard with each unit as well as fully trained operators risk assessments and £10 million public liability insurance.





Basketball

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Slam Dunk, basketball is a game almost anyone knows how to play. Again available in various sizes and options we are sure to have a basketball unit to suit your requirements.

Perfect for events with an American theme the game play can be adjusted to suit the prizes you wish to dispense, or to suit younger players.

Prizes are supplied as standard with each unit as well as fully trained operators risk assessments and £10 million public liability insurance.





Round Stalls

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The round stall is more of a games system than a game in itself. Hoopla, hook a duck, ring toss and more are all available in various types of round stall (some modern stalls are actually square but we put them in the same class as the traditional round version).

Some of the smaller examples are suited to indoor use and can be teamed up with our traditional side stalls.













Children's Rides





Children's Rides And Attractions

If you have youngsters at your event then you really need something tailored to them. There is a bewildering choice of rides available and you should really take advantage of our FREE advice to ascertain what would be best for the age group and expected numbers of children at your event.

As well as the rides we have other favourites including trampolines, Ghost Trains and fun houses.





Adult Rides

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Again there is a bewildering array of adult/teenage rides available countrywide. These can range from the old favourites such as dodgems and carousels, through to the latest white knuckle rides designed to turn you upside down and inside out in the name of entertainment.

Professionally advice is needed both to ascertain what is suitable for your event, and in some cases what will fit on your site.









Themed Games Units

Corporate Branding

We can work with you to produce one off custom branding of any of our stalls, for marketing promotions and exhibitions, product placement etc.

This branding can extend to sourcing branded prizes for use as handouts at exhibitions or prizes for company fundays. Our staff can wear your uniforms, and explain details of your products or promotion. Using state of the art digital printing techniques we can produce one off designs for a specific requirement, or theme a large number of stalls for a nationwide product launch. We can also provide a customised game for the stall, perhaps custom designed targets on a shooting gallery (your managing director makes a good target at a staff party, but make sure he has a sense of humour first!), or a special football game for the launch of a sporting product, the possibilities are endless and we are quite happy to discuss ideas with you with no obligation on your part

Following a brief from a creative agency we branded one of our shooting galleries for One True Saxon designer clothing company. Not only were large hi resolution panels produced with OTS imagery, we also installed a new shooting game. From being given the green light to operating the unit at the first of a number of music festivals took us under a week!

Side Stall Theming

Utilising the same technology that we employ for our corporate clients we can custom theme a single stall (or a number of stalls) for an event such as a birthday party or wedding. Our Victorian side stalls are ideal for this, the decorated front panel can be replaced with one depicting a wild west shoot out or a pirate theme for your party.

For the real wow factor, why not have the birthday boy depicted on the front panel, or a scene with the bride and groom at a wedding. We can provide a completely unique one off full colour front panel. Or try one of our existing themes these include wild west, outer space and pirates, Victorian theme is supplied as standard. Additionally we can supply our staff dressed in period costume or as pirates, cowboys etc. Contact Us for more details or choose one of the themes from the menu on the right.

Custom Targets

Certain games units such as the mini crossbows or cork gun shooting gallery can have custom themed targets. In the simplest version this may be simply requesting something with say a pirate theme on the crossbows instead of the standard Big Game target. However we can use images (png, jpeg, gif) to produce a completely customised target. This could have images of the birthday boy/girl on, or a games unit destined for a local conservative party function could have images of the Labour leadership to fire at (or vice versa). In short we can produce a target based on almost anything you can imagine.

Promotional Stalls

Promotional stalls are available for any event nationwide. Based on our highly successful range of Victorian styled side stalls and carts, we can assemble stalls in a bewildering array of sizes to fit in with product launches exhibitions etc.



Each stall can have a variety of different front and rear counters and shelves, suitable for creating product displays. Brackets can be added for product literature and we can even arrange for staff to be provided from a modeling agency that we work closely with.

As standard the stalls come supplied with a front panel decorated in a Victorian pattern, but we have other panels available with for example French, wild west and pirate themes. For a small additional charge we can supply fully custom printed panels with your own logo and images for a totally custom theme.



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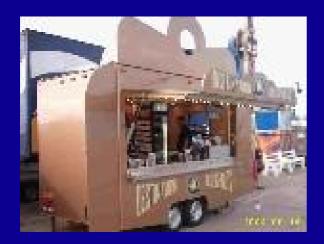






Each stall is supplied with electrical connections to suit your requirements. Tube lighting and decorative coloured lights come as standard to provide both ambient and decorative lighting, and music / PA systems can be installed..

Long Term Hire



Although we specialise in corporate events, we can supply attractions, rides, games, and catering units for medium and long term use.

If you need a catering unit to supply hot and cold food for a building site, football club, festival etc we can tailor a solution to your exact requirements.

We also have units available on short notice for emergency works etc.





We have a range of menus available, and we can comply with specialist requirements such as kosher and halal. We are also able to supply children's and adult rides on long term contracts, including staff, power generators and £10 million public liability insurance,.





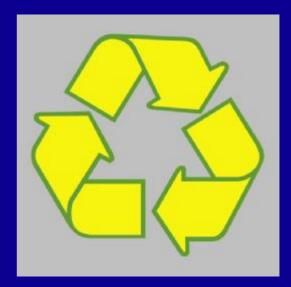


Environmental Policy

As part of the JARM Amusements Group, we take our corporate social responsibilities very seriously. We are committed to becoming the most environmentally friendly funfair operators in the U.K.

We are implementing a number of different strategies to help achieve this aim:

Recycling stations......we have constructed a number of recycling stations for use at our events, these are designed to separate the different waste streams generated at our events into items that can be recycled such as tin cans. These are collected and ultimately delivered to various waste recycling companies. The revenue generated from this waste is ring fenced and ploughed back into our recycling efforts.



Biodegradability.....we recognise that some of the waste we generate such as the polythene bags used to dispense candy floss, tends to be carried away from the event and back home with the customer where we have no control over the disposal method. To alleviate this we are switching our catering consumables over to biodegradable equivalents, so at least when they end up in landfill they decompose as quickly as possible instead of spending years rotting away as is the case with current packaging products.

Environmentally Friendly.....we are switching our cleaning products over to a new range of no toxic, environmentally friendly and fully biodegradable replacements. These are designed to cause no harm whatever to the natural environment.



Fairtrade......although not strictly speaking part of our environmental policy, we have switched our catering operations to Fairtrade, wherever a Fairtrade option exists. Our coffee and candy floss carts have been operating with Fairtrade only supplies since October 2007. We are also implementing plans at our larger events to require all other operators working with us to use Fairtrade products.

BioFuels......we have applied to change our fuel suppliers over to RIX Petroleum's new Green fuel card. This allows us to purchase fuel from a number of sites selling a B5 blend (5% bio fuel). If we do not have access to a bio fuel site, then we purchase normal diesel, but RIX offset this by putting an equivalent amount of B5 back into the fuel network, so in effect we are offsetting part of our fuel usage. Ultimately we hope to switch our generators and heavy transport equipment over to higher level blends and ultimately pure bio diesel, although this depends on the amount of conversion work necessary to our engines.

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organised in accordance with the principles of the nationally recognised "Greener Events" guide

Setting The Standard In Safety

Electrical Safety Announcement

We are proud to announce that from 1st February 2009, we are setting the standards in electrical safety within our industry.

We already comply with the stringent ADIPS (Amusement Device Inspection Procedure Scheme), which is the Health and Safety Executives recommended inspection scheme for funfair attractions, but from the start of February we are taking things a step further by combining the Portable Appliance Testing (commonly known as PAT) scheme with the ADIPS scheme.

We have had the majority of our equipment and power cables PAT tested for the last couple of years. However a desire to exceed the current safety requirements, and actually set the standard, has led to the purchase of our own electrical testing equipment, followed by training for key members of staff.

As a result we now have the procedures in place to test all of our equipment and power cables at least every six months, with a view to increasing the frequency of this testing as more members of staff are qualified to undertake PAT testing. Additionally we have purchased RCD testing equipment allowing us to regularly test the safety devices fitted to much of the equipment we operate.

As a final initiative, we have added a number of in line RCD devices to our equipment reserves, this will allow us to provide additional protection to our attractions when we are operating inside older buildings and events venues. Our portable generators are already fitted with protection devices of this type, which again will receive regular audited testing to ensure that we have no compromises when it comes to ensuring the safety of our equipment.

Glossary

ADIPS The Amusement Device Inspection procedure Scheme. A rigorous safety standard applied to the funfair industry in this country.

PAT Portable Appliance Testing A scheme widely used by other (non funfair) industries in the UK.

RCD Residual Current Device. An electrical safety device which disconnect the power in the event of someone receiving an electrical shock.