



# ORLANDO BALLOON RIDES, LLC ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PREFLIGHT BRIEFING

## PASSENGER PREFLIGHT INFORMATION

Please wait for instructions from your pilot or ground crew before helping at any time.

If you have had a recent operation, back/knee problems or you **ARE/OR MAY BE PREGNANT**, please advise us now.

For your safety and consideration of all guests, we ask that there be **NO SMOKING** prior, during or after your flight and on the launch and landing fields.

During the inflation process, please stay at least 10 feet away from the inflation fans.

When your pilot lights the specially built Hot Air Balloon Burners the noise and heat may startle you a little.

As you get into the basket be careful not to step on the tank or valves, find a corner pole and use it for support until you get comfortably in the basket.

For ease of climbing into the basket, use the built-in steps at either end of the basket.

## ONCE YOU ARE IN THE BASKET

Please do not get out of the basket at any time or for any reason, unless you are instructed to do so by your pilot.

Please do not touch any of the controls, ropes, valves, hoses or the RED LINES in the basket.

Take as many pictures as you like, or video your flight, but please note that **Orlando Balloon Rides** will **not accept any responsibility** for any damaged personal property for any reason.

At any time if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to ask the pilot or ground crew.

## WHAT ABOUT THE LANDING?

Landings are the most dangerous part of Hot Air Ballooning. Just before landing, please ensure that:

- All camera/video equipment and any personal items are safely stored and secure.
- You hold on tightly with both hands, to the rope handles provided.
- Your knees are slightly bent, and you are braced against the padded sides of basket.
- Heavier Passengers should be facing the direction of travel with Lighter Passengers behind them
- **DO NOT LET GO** until your pilot instructs you to do so. The balloon could bounce multiple times and may tip over depending upon wind speed.
- If weather conditions change during the flight, your pilot may give you additional instructions and we ask that you follow these to minimize problems if the landing is fast or bumpy.

Each passenger voluntarily assumes full responsibility for any and all risk involved in Hot Air Ballooning.

**BY MY SIGNATURE BELOW I ACKNOWLEDGE THIS PREFLIGHT BRIEFING**

Print Passenger Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Passenger Signature: \_\_\_\_\_