OUR HISTORY

The Pennsylvania Amusement Parks Association was formed in the early 1930's by a group of amusement park owners and managers. It's purpose was and is to promote the amusement park industry by gathering and disseminating information, secure the interchange of knowledge among members relating to better management and methods of doing business, upholding a good public image and by united action exert influence upon legislation to promote the best interest of our industry.

An annual spring membership meeting offers an opportunity to meet and discuss common problems and challenges within the industry, as well as to hear speakers on topics of vital interest to all members. In addition, a summer meeting held at a member facility affords a chance to meet fellow members in a relaxed setting.





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OUR PURPOSE

- To maintain a high standard of integrity and efficiency
- 2. Foster and promote a feeling of fraternity and goodwill among its members
- 3. Promote harmonious relations with allied industries
- 4. Assist in the enactment and enforcement of local, state and federal legislation of benefit to the public and industry
- 5. Protect against legislation that may harm our industry
- 6. Assist and advise members of any condition that may arise in business difficulties



PROGRAMS

Membership in PAPA provides:

- A Lobbyist in Harrisburg
- A good rapport with Senators and Representatives so as to constantly be alert to legislation, which could be harmful to you
- A voice in the industry for protection against unrealistic laws thus protecting your profits
- A liaison with the PA Tourism
 Office and the Governor's Travel
 & Tourism Partnership Board
- Long standing alliance with IAAPA (International Association of Amusement Parks and Attractions)
- Representation on the Advisory Board for Amusement Ride Safety
- An annual publication listing Members and Sponsors

Many adversities are being directed at our industry today. PAPA offers hope in overcoming these problems and strives to put the amusement industry here in Pennsylvania back on the road to success.



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(We invite you to join)

Name	
Name (of Business
Busine	ss Address
City/Si	ate/Zip
Busine	ss Phone
Home I	Phone
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Park	/Attraction
Check	Your Park/Attraction Employment Range:
	_Up to 50 Employees
	_51 - 100 Employees _101 - 250 Employees
	_101 - 250 Employees _251 - 500 Employees
	_Over 500 Employees
Conc	essionaire

Annual Membership Cost will be based upon your business structure. All Applications will be reviewed and a PAPA Representative will contact you concerning membership.

Completed Applications can be mailed to: Richard L. Knoebel - PAPA Secretary/Treasurer PO Box 317 - Elysburg, Pennsylvania 17824