

## RECTANGULAR (Non-Folding) AND ROUND TRAMPOLINES

- Frames**
- Made of 11 & 12 gauge steel tubing
  - Feature 8-piece sleeve construction
  - NO HOLES in frame: springs hook on to ¼ round welded rod
  - Rectangular units have a gusset on the side rails for safety
  - Powder coat painted, baked on finish
  - Lifetime guarantee against material defects and workmanship

- Springs**
- 9" competition style
  - Tapered ends
  - Zinc plated
  - Made with hardened class 2 steel
  - 5 year guarantee against breakage

- Beds**
- Made with high quality all-weather polypropylene
  - Sunscreen webbing over the stitching
  - Recessed bed bars, reduces repair costs
  - 5 year guarantee against material defects and workmanship

- Pads**
- Closed cell polyethylene foam
  - Moisture repellent for durability
  - Covered in a laminated vinyl
  - 6 month guarantee against material defects and workmanship

- Covers**
- Provides protection from sun's harmful rays
  - Woven fabric drains water
  - Held in place with elastic and bungies

### **Round vs. Rectangular**

- Round trampolines pull to the center, which keeps you off balance
- Rectangular trampolines offer a straight rebound, providing better bounce and better simulates the action of a diving board
- You use 100% of the springs on a round, which limits your rebound
- You use 35 – 40% of the springs on a rectangular offering a higher rebound
- Round tramps pull multiple jumpers together (we recommend only 1 jumper at a time)

## Trampoline Information

**Frames** - The frames on the trampolines we sell are all made of domestic, structural grade, 11 & 12 gauge steel tubing. They are 8-piece sleeve construction. Any joint is a weak point, so the manufacturer suggests you avoid anything with more than 8 pieces; some units have as many as 20 pieces to the frame, and use as light as 18 gauge steel (the higher the number, the thinner the wall). Our manufacturer **DOES NOT** punch holes in the frames for the springs to hook to, putting holes in the frame weakens it, allows moisture to enter the frame, and as the springs wear on the frame, it tears the tubing. Our manufacturer uses a piece of ¼" round rod, sends it through a machine that zigzags it back and forth then welds it to the frame onto which the springs hook.

On the rectangular (non-folding) units, our manufacturer puts a gusset (piece of sheet metal) in the top of the side rails for safety, this eliminates an open area for someone to put an arm or leg through. There are several companies that make the V out side rail like this, but our manufacturer is the only company that puts in this gusset.

The frames are powder coat painted, which is a bake on finish, not just spray-painted. A baked finish is much harder and more durable.

The frames have a **LIFETIME GUARANTEE** against material defects and workmanship.

**Springs** – The springs on the non-folding rectangular and round trampolines are a true 9" competition style, tapered end, and zinc plated. They are made from hardened class 2 steel, providing maximum strength and recoil. Many trampoline manufacturers use a shorter spring, which does not give you as nice a bounce and will carry a much lower weight limit.

The springs on the trampolines we sell have a 5-year guarantee against breakage.

**Beds** – The beds on the rectangular non-folding and round trampolines we sell are made of an all weather polypropylene fabric -- the highest quality available. A sunscreen webbing is put over the top of the stitching to give it a longer life, and the bars are set back under the edge of the fabric to keep it shaded, cutting down on repair costs.

The beds carry a 5-year guarantee against material defects and workmanship.

All of trampolines that we sell are sold complete with pads, either *Frame Pads*, which cover the frame and a portion of the spring, or *Full Pads*, which cover the frame and entire spring. ASTM standards require all trampolines be sold with minimum frame pads.

**Pads** – The frame pads are made of polyethylene closed cell foam. It resists moisture absorption so it will not soak up water like a sponge. Some companies use an open cell foam, which is just like a sponge and is not very dense. To check the protection offered by a safety pad, squeeze it between you finger and thumb, if they meet you are getting very little protection. The frame pads on the trampolines we sell are covered in a laminated vinyl, which is a good outdoor material.

The pads have a 6-month guarantee against material defects and workmanship.

**Sizes** – Springboards and More sells three sizes of trampolines, 6 x 12 and 7 x 14 rectangular, and a 14' round. NOTE: When you refer to rectangular trampolines you are referring to the bed size, when you refer to round trampolines, you are referring to the bed diameter.