



Toro Mower Safety Tips

- Read and understand the operator's manual before using your machine, and make sure those operating know how to use it and understand the warnings.
- Do not put your hands or feet near moving components on the machine.
- Keep clear of any discharge opening.
- For gasoline-powered models, add fuel to the tank outdoors before starting the machine. Do not add gasoline to a running or hot engine and never leave the machine running in an enclosed area.
- As with other power tools and equipment, do not operate a lawn mower when consuming or under the influence of alcohol, or when ill or tired.
- Wear appropriate clothing including substantial footwear, eye and hearing protection.
- Pick up stones, toys and other debris from the lawn to prevent injuries and damage from flying objects.
- Never allow children to operate mowing equipment or be passengers on ride-on mowers.
- Keep children and pets at a safe distance from the area you are mowing, and use extreme care near blind corners and around objects that may block you from seeing a child.
- Do not operate without the grass catcher, discharge chute, or other safety devices in place and working.
- Be careful when mowing slopes or operating in wet conditions. Never mow in reverse unless absolutely necessary, and carefully look for others behind you when you do.
- Turn off the mower and wait for blade(s) to stop completely before leaving the mower, removing the grass catcher, picking up debris, or crossing gravel roads or paths.
- Let the mower cool before refueling, cleaning and storing.
- Follow all directions - including turning off the engine and disconnecting the spark plug or electric cord - before working on the mower or trying to unclog the discharge chute.