Tractor Safety

**Safe Operation**
- Inspect the tractor each day before use
- Use 3 points of contact when mounting & dismounting

**Tractor Stability**
- Keep center of gravity within wheels
- Center of gravity changes with attachments & slopped turning

**PTO Entanglement**
- Stay clear of moving parts
- Ensure shields & guards are in place

**Runovers**
- Do not allow riders
- No by-pass starting
- Watch out for pedestrians

**Lighting & Marking**
- Use proper lighting for highway
- Properly mount & clean SMV

**Rollover**
- Avoid high speed turns
- Keep your distance from embankments
- Hitch to draw-bar or 3-point hitch
- Fasten seat belt & ensure the Roll Over Protective Structure (ROPS) is up

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