

A Day in the Life of Roller Coasters

Chapter 1

It was a chilly September day at Cedar Point with light crowds and no wait times over 30 minutes. It was just 10:00 in the morning. The the roller coasters were roaring, testing, and soon would open. Starting off the day, Gatekeeper started to get ready for riders. The riders that the trains awaited were walking towards the ride. The train filled with excitement when it started to go up the hill and noticed riders walking toward the light blue ride. In excitement, the train yelled, "Yay! More glorious riders to have a best day experience on me!" As the train cleared the hill, he glanced down. When he glanced down, he noticed that other trains were being woken up and ready for riders. As the ride went through the key holes, the riders screamed, "Ahhhhhhhh! Best ride ever!" The train noticed that riders started to swarm the other trains that were waiting in the station. As the train passed the key holes, the people waved at the riders under the ride who were taking pictures of the beautiful train. As the train went through the last area, you could see the last of the Halloweekends decorations prepared to be put out. When someone noticed them, they screamed, "Look! Halloweekends decorations are being prepared!" When the train noticed, it slightly turned it's eagle-like head to see the smiling riders. The riders screamed, "This was the best ride we've ever had on this ride! I'm gonna get back in line again!"

Meanwhile, another coaster, Blue Streak, the train quickly clicked and clacked up the hill. That train had just gotten a fresh set of riders who hopped on in the station. The train screamed and sang, "This is gonna be the best ride evaaa! I have the best set of riders I have ever seen!" As it trucked up the hill with excitement, he was super happy. The people were too. They cheered and chanted, "Almost at the top! We are almost to the best part of the ride!" The ride was a very fast ride this time and it made the people even happier and scream even louder. "This is one of the best rides I have ever had on this ride!" the people screamed. The train was happy as it went through the u-turn. People chanted as loud as could be, "Ahhhhhhh!" The people screamed so loud that the seagulls chanted all around them as if their favorite baseball team just scored a home run. As the train pulled into the station, it waved at it's brother. His brother started to jump up the hill with excitement. His brother said, "Are you excited brother???" and his brother said, "Of course I am! I have the bestest of the best riders!"

Once again, riders were heading to another ride, Raptor, and a train had just been loaded. "You guys are all clear and outta here! Enjoy your ride on Raptor!" the ride operator said as the train flew out of the station like a bird and clicked into the chain lift. Filled with more excitement than the train had ever had, it flew them up the hill even faster and up the loop, which made the train happier with the sounds of happy, "Ahhhhhhh!"s coming from the people cherishing the ride. As the photos were taken, the train shot a winning smile at the camera and said, "Man, I hope these people think my smile is nice and not creepy!" Hoping the photo looked nice, he glanced over at the Funnix area to see the smile. "My smile looks as bright as the sun! And the riders look so happy!" As it pulled into the station, the ride operator said, "Welcome back riders how was your ride?" The people screamed, "It was awesome!" so loud to respond that you could hear them in Frontier Town. "Huh, what is that screaming noise???" Somebody said who was in line for Steel Vengeance.

Going to another coaster, Valravn, the gold train, which is the happiest train was just getting a fresh load of people. When the people got buckled and checked by a ride operator, the train got a, "All

clear!" from the person in the booth. As the floor went away, the people cheered, "Wooooooo!" which made the train very happy and made the train cheer, "Oh yeah! This is going to be the best rider ever!" as the train left the station. As the train skipped happily up the hill, people chanted for it to go faster. And boy did that train listen. The train said, "If you want fast, you gotta chant louder and then I will give you fast!" That made the riders cheer, "Fast!" which made the train go up so fast it made Top Thrill Dragster look as slow as a snail. As the train stopped at the top, people got really excited, which made the train happier and scream, "Wooooooo!" with the riders. As the train dropped into the loop-de-loo, the people were really pumped up, which made them scream, "Oh yeah! This is definitely the best ride on Valravn ever!" As the train glided across the track, it was as happy as could be. And when the train pulled into the station, it was as pumped up as the people were for a new set of riders.

Going back to a previous ride, Gatekeeper, had a 30 minute wait for the wonderful ride, going to a different train, the previous train's sister, was very nervous as she never had riders on her train before. "I'm scared, big brother. What do I do when the people get on? Do I talk to them? Do I look at them?" She said frantically as her brother said, "Calm down, sis. Talk to them if you want but it is up to you." "Really?" she replied in pure shock. "Yes really. I talk to them all of the time. They're always super nice." said her brother. "Ok. Here goes nothing. Well, I guess it's something. So, here goes something." said the nervous yet excited train. As the nervous train got loaded, her brother gave her an encouraging, big smile to cheer his sister on. As the train got loaded, she felt her nervousness float away with the nice, cool breeze from the lake. "If you're ready can I get a Oh Yeah??" Said the ride operator. "Oh yeah!" said the passengers. "Oh yeah!" the train said under her breath. As the train left the station, the train felt a urge of excitement and started to go even faster, which made the people chant, "Wooooooo!!" As the train went down the hill, she closed her eyes, thinking it would be scarier than testing when really, it was better. As she went through the keyholes she screamed, "Wooooooo! This is so fun!" which made the seagulls scream as well. As the train took the u-turn and passed the keyholes, she smiled for the photos

that people took of her. As she passed the end of the Halloweekends decorations, she waved at the stone ogre, the huge ogre, and the sitting skeletons. The skeletons waved back politely, along with both ogres. While they waved, they all said, "Happy Halloween!!!" "Happy Halloween!!!" she said back happily. As she pulled into the station, the operator said, "Welcome back riders how was your ride??" "Awesome!" the riders and the train screamed.

Heading back to another previous ride, Blue Streak, riders swarmed as the previous train's brother was getting ready to head up the lift hill with a fresh set of riders. "Oh yeah! It was awesome!" the train happily yelled out as the train got an "All clear!" from the person in the booth. As he skipped up the hill with excitement, he heard the riders happily scream, "This is gonna be great!!!" As the train slowly hopped over the top, the riders screamed a happy, high-pitched, "Ahhhhhhh!" As the train made it to the u-turn, he screamed, "Woooooo!" and started to go faster and down the hill. As the ride slowly came to a stop, the riders cheered, "That was amazing!" Meanwhile at another previous ride, Raptor, the previous train's sister was super excited and happy about her first riders, and not the slightest bit of doubt came her way. "It's almost time!" she said happily. "Yes it is!" Said her brother encouragingly. As she rolled into the station, she had a smile as bright and big as the sun. When she got the first set of riders she ever had, that smile just grew bigger until she did a small squeal of excitement as the riders got locked into place. When the train got an, "All clear!", she got even more excited, which made her skip up the hill and glide down like a bird. As she glided across the green track, she noticed people on Cedar Downs, one was on a grey horse with a white and red polka dotted saddle, one was on a brown horse with a yellow and green striped saddle, another one was on a grey horse with a lighting bolt on it's saddle, and the last one was on a tan horse with a red and yellow plaid saddle, and they waved and yelled, "Hi!" and the riders happily yelled back, "Hi!" As she kept gliding, she noticed people in a blue car that had a 1401 license plate. The riders waved and yelled, "Hi!" to them as well and got a, "Hi!" back. As the train approached the camera, the train looked happily at the camera and gave someone bunny

ears. Wanting to see how the photo turned out, she glanced over at the Funnix stand and noticed how happy she and her riders were. As she finished the ride the riders clapped and cheered, "This was the bestest of the best ride on this and no other ride on this ride could be better!" which made the happy train even happier to know everyone had a good time. As her brother pulled in behind her, he asked, "How did you like your first set of riders, sis???" "I loved them!" she said back. "I couldn't of had any better riders for my first set! I will remember them forever and ever and ever and ever and ever!"

Going to the last previous ride, Valravv, riders were getting ready to hop on the train in the station as the previous train's brother was getting pumped up for his second set of riders. "I'm so pumped up!" he screamed so loud that you could hear him from Hawaii. "Huh..... What is that loud screaming noise???" said a citizen of Hawaii. As the train pulled into the station, ready for another great set of riders, he said, "Oh yeah!" just like the Kool-Aid Man. After the riders got buckled into the pumped-up train, he ran up the hill with all his might and smiled so bright, it looked like the sun and you would need sunglasses to look at him. As the train got into position to drop, the train noticed that people on the Cadillac Cars were waving and that they were saying, "Hi!" and the riders on his back were waving and saying, "Hi!" When he saw that the people stopped waving, they started vastly dropping down the hill, so he took out his bright smile and looked at the camera. As he went into the loop-de-loo, he noticed people snapping pictures of him, so he smiled for them too. As the train made it to the hill, someone screamed, "Wooooooooooooo! This is an AWESOME first ride on Valravv!" And that made the train super extra happy that the people were enjoying the ride. As the ride made it to the last section, it said, "Best. Ride. Ever!" As the train parked behind the train being loaded with a set of riders, he yelled, "That was a awesome group of riders, brother! I want them to ride again! Can I do that???" His brother yelled back, do whatever you want, brother! I don't care! Just make sure everyone wants to!" "Ok!" he said joyfully. "Does everyone want to ride again?????" the train yelled. "Yessss!" the riders yelled as loud as they could. "Ok. Then hang on and await the ride of your life!" The train said excitedly

as he skipped through the station. “Oh yeah! Wooooooo!” said the riders happily as the train left the station.