

2. The type of tire

Many Pedal Cars made before WWII had tires that had a wire inside of them. The wire was crimped in such a way, that it held the tire onto the wheel. We do not offer that type of tire, but a one-piece molded tire is a suitable replacement. If you want to replace a tire that has a wire inside, you will need to un-crimp or cut the wire to remove the old tire. You can then replace it with a one-piece molded tire.

Most post war Pedal Cars use one-piece molded tires.

4. Installing tires

Tires need to be a tight fit on the rim, so you might find it difficult to stretch them onto the rim. If you do, it may be easier if you warm the tire to soften the rubber. You can warm up your tires in hot tap water for a few minutes (my preferred method), a microwave for a minute or two, or an oven at 200° for a few minutes.

Need more help?

There's also an installation video on our website:

<https://youtu.be/MacG1VqHr5U>

3. The style of the tire

We stock tires with a round cross section, like a motorcycle tire and also, in a flat style, like a car tire. Which style to use is a matter of personal preference.



Flat tread

Round tread

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Let us help

People often order the wrong size tires and have to return them. We will take them back and exchange them, but please keep in mind that there are shipping costs going both ways. If you are not sure of the size tire you need, please call us and let us help!

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Identify your Pedal Car

Knowing the brand and style of your Pedal Car is the key to finding the correct parts. If you're not sure of what Pedal Car you have, check the "Identify my car" page or parts pages on our website. You can also send us pictures of your Pedal Car and we will identify it for you! You can send them to the email below.

info@pedalcar.com



Restorations?? Yep! We do that too!
We would love to help you get your Pedal Car back on the sidewalk!
Check out our restoration page on our website:
www.pedalcar.com



We have a large selection of Pedal Cars, Pedal Car Parts, Scoot-a-long Cars, Model Cars, Model Airplanes and so much more!

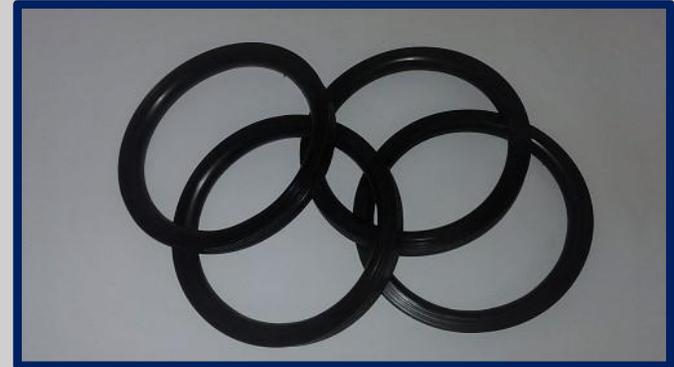
We hope this information has been helpful.
If you have any suggestions, please let us know.

Watch for more information about Pedal Cars, coming soon!

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A Buyers Guide for Pedal Car Tires

Pedal Car tires are made in different sizes and styles.
Here's what you need to know, in order to get the right tires for your Pedal Car.



1. The Size

Pedal Cars have been made with wheel sizes less than 6 inches in diameter, to more than 12 inches in diameter. Most postwar Pedal Cars use wheels that are 6 ½ or 7 ½ inches. This dimension refers to the wheel diameter, not including the tire. Other sizes can be made to suit. Just give us a call:

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Here are pictures of two common sized wheels that are used on Murray Pedal Cars.



6 ½" Wheel

7 ½" Wheel