

Beaumanor Park Risk Assessment Challenges

<i>Risk Assessment - Challenges</i>			
Hazard	People Harmed	Risk Control	Further Action
Specific Activity Human Cranes			
Falling onto ground	All participants	<p>Gym mat to be provided for the activity.</p> <p>Supervising staff to ensure that the immediate area is free from obstructions or dangers.</p> <p>No artificial aids may be used throughout the activity.</p> <p>Participants to have at least one foot on the ground.</p>	
Contact with other objects	All participants	<p>Activity to be sited in such a position that no fixed or loose object will come into play.</p> <p>Floor and surrounding area to be checked and kept free from dangerous sharp or blunt objects.</p>	
Damage to limbs	All participants	Staff to ensure the activity is supervised and carried out correctly.	
Specific Activity Swamp Stompers			
Damage to limbs	All participants	<p>Feet must be free and not secured to the stomper in any way.</p> <p>No other part of the body may be directly tied onto the</p>	

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		<p>stomper.</p> <p>Hands should not be wrapped into the cords to avoid limiting blood supply to the extremities.</p> <p>Feet must be on each stomper at all times to avoid swinging it and damaging the ankle.</p>	
Splinters	All participants	<p>Stompers to be inspected before each use, if found to be defective they will be withdrawn from service until repaired or scrapped.</p> <p>Regular inspection and maintenance of equipment.</p>	
Specific Activity Yellow Brick Road			
Falling from height	Participants	Lifting is not allowed, all participants must have at least one foot on the blocks during the balance.	
Contact with other objects	Participants	<p>Activity to be sited in such a position that no fixed or loose object will come into play.</p> <p>Floor and surrounding area to be checked and kept free from dangerous sharp or blunt objects.</p>	
Collapsing balance	Participants	<p>Supervising staff to be prepared to step in if necessary.</p> <p>Ensure an adequate safe area around the activity.</p>	

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Specific Activity Structures			
Falling from height	Participants	<p>All structures to be checked prior to participants getting on. Dangerous ones must not be allowed to proceed.</p> <p>Ensure safe grassed area around the structure.</p> <p>Half-meter height limit to be set to limit the height of the build.</p>	Check the location to be used prior to the session and remove any sharp or blunt objects.
Trapped fingers or limbs	All Participants	<p>All structures to be checked prior to testing. Participants warned to the dangers of entrapment especially during the testing and dismantling phases.</p> <p>Supervising staff to be aware of how participants intend to mount and dismount the structure.</p> <p>Limbs not to be wrapped around the structure. All participants must have an easy means of escape.</p>	
Broken poles / splinters	All participants	<p>Equipment checked prior to use, any dangerous or suspect equipment to be withdrawn from service until repaired or scrapped.</p> <p>Regular inspection and maintenance of equipment.</p>	
Collapsing structure	Participants	Structures to be checked by supervising staff prior to use. Anything obviously dangerous not to be used.	Staff to watch loading and unloading of the structure in particular.

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Specific Activity Conflict or Tyres and Planks			
Hit by flying planks	All participants	Planks must only be passed not thrown. Supervising staff to emphasise stepping onto the centre of the plank not its extreme end.	Staff supervision to ensure this.
Falling from tyres	All participants	Rules may be modified to suit prevailing weather conditions or physical ability of the group. Participants are not allowed to push each other off the tyres.	
Hit by tyre	All participants	Tyres must only be passed not thrown.	Staff supervision to ensure this.
Specific Activities Blindfold Boule / Sheep Pen / Perfect Square			
Contact with objects	Blindfolded participants	Supervising staff to ensure a safe working environment. Helmets to be worn by those carrying out the blindfold boule task. Running is not allowed. Supervising staff to be prepared to step in to prevent physical contact if necessary. Supervising staff to ensure that blindfold participants are not directed into dangerous areas and be prepared to stop them if necessary.	

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		<p>Sculptures to be protected by supervising staff for Sheep Pen.</p> <p>Parts of the “Trim Trail” to be protected for the Perfect Square.</p>	
Specific Activity Obstacles			
Falling from apparatus	All participants	<p>Supervising staff to ensure safe conduct on the apparatus. Staff to be ready to step in when necessary.</p> <p>During the practice session participants to be allowed to explore the apparatus to determine areas of weakness, to ask for help where necessary.</p> <p>Team members to help and support their colleagues as necessary throughout the activity.</p>	
Broken apparatus	All participants	<p>Apparatus checked prior to use any damage reported and those elements concerned designated out of bounds until repaired.</p> <p>Regular inspection and maintenance of the elements of the Adventure Playground.</p>	
Specific Activity Blondin’s Balance			
Falling from tightrope	Persons crossing	<p>Helmets to be worn by all participants throughout the activity.</p> <p>Team members to offer support by using the “cross rope”</p>	

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		<p>Activity to be sited in such a position that no fixed or loose object will come into play.</p> <p>Floor and surrounding area to be checked and kept free from dangerous sharp or blunt objects.</p> <p>Height of the rope to be determined by the physical size of the participants (up to .5m max).</p>	
Equipment failure	All participants	<p>All equipment checked prior to use, any damaged or suspect equipment to be withdrawn until repaired or scrapped.</p> <p>Regular checking and maintenance of the equipment used.</p>	
Specific Activity Spider's Web			
Falling from height	Those being lifted	<p>Supervising staff to be prepared to step in if necessary.</p> <p>All lifts to be head first.</p> <p>Unsafe lifts not to be allowed.</p> <p>Care to be taken in the event of an unsuccessful lift in returning the participant to the ground.</p> <p>Gym mats to be placed beneath the web.</p> <p>Floor and surrounding area to be checked and kept free from dangerous sharp or blunt objects.</p>	

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Specific Activity Lego Bridge		No specific hazards are associated with this activity.	
Specific Activity Pyramid		.No specific hazards are associated with this activity	
Specific Activity Doughnuts		.No specific hazards are associated with this activity	
Specific Activity Kim's Game		.No specific hazards are associated with this activity	
Specific Activity Team Juggle		.No specific hazards are associated with this activity	
Specific Activity Bomb Disposal		.No specific hazards are associated with this activity	
Specific Activity Logistica		.No specific hazards are associated with this activity	
Specific Activity Tangrams		.No specific hazards are associated with this activity	
Specific Activity MFI		.No specific hazards are associated with this activity	
Specific Activity Geometric Shapes		.No specific hazards are associated with this activity	

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Specific Activity Menai Bridge			
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