

Risk Assessment Axe Throwing



Date assessment carried out May 2019

Date assessment to be reviewed May 2020

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Hazard	Possible Harm	Control Measure	Risk Rating	Further Action
Waiting Line	Students and staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All instructors qualified to manage and control the range. Range rules explained at start of session 	Low	Signage to show axe range in use.
Equipment Failure	Students and Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All equipment to be inspected before and after each session - Equipment log to be completed for each session 	Low	Spare handles readily available.
Entanglement	Students and Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Long hair should be tied back Long earrings should be removed 	Low	
Hit by axe	Students and staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Range rules Correct throwing demonstrated No axes must be fired in the air Target position Range layout Boundary set by the instructor prior to starting Soft wood targets 	Low	

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Over Shoot	Public/ Instructor	Make sure there is dead space or no mans land behind the rsnge. Ensure appropriate distance around range. Do not stand behind people throwing the axes.		

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