

HUMAN HUNGRY HIPPOS

RISK ASSESSMENT SHEET

Frequency of use Daily / AS REQUIRED

1. PEOPLE AT RISK (instructors, visitors, campers, schools)

Number of people involved 1 - 20

2. HAZARDS (Anything with the potential to cause harm)

- a) Wet surface, inappropriate footwear (slipping/loss of grip)
- b) Inappropriate use of electrical supply /fire/refuelling
- c) Failure to maintain equipment, lack of training
- d) Inclement weather
- e) Distractions by other site users
- f) Collision with others
- g) Over occupied activity
- h) Incorrect use of harness, failure to maintain
- i) Loose Anchors

3. ASSESSMENT OF RISK

- a) Medium
- b) Low
- c) Low
- d) Low
- e) Low
- f) Low
- g) Low
- h) Low
- i) Low

4. LIST MEASURES TAKEN TO CONTROL HAZARDS

- a) Groups always operate sensibly but stop using if becomes wet / dangerous to do so. Head and neck protection to be always worn.
- b) Ensure cables are kept away from users, covered where necessary and correct equipment used. Generators turned off when being filled. Blowers fenced off.
- c) Maintain and monitor in accordance with manufacturer's instructions / provide competent training
- d) Poor weather conditions (wet, damp) etc stop immediately.
- e) Check continually and ensure barrier is in place. Limit numbers coming into area to those in SoP
- f) Ensure correct instruction is given and appropriate harnesses always used, and they stay / run within their own sector. Ensure correct bungee is used for age groups.
- g) Discipline and management by leaders, pre activity briefing
- h) Check before each session the Velcro straps work and correct size is used for age groups.
- i) Ensure adequately secured in line with manufacturer's instructions

5. REMAINING RISK USING CONTROL MEASURES ABOVE

- a) Low
- b) Low
- c) Low
- d) Low
- e) Low
- f) Low
- g) Low
- h) Low
- i) Low

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