



WELTON WATERS ADVENTURE CENTRE RISK ASSESSMENT

Activity: JETTY JUMP		Location: ON SITE USING LAKE			
Hazard	Risk	Who	Risk Rating	Control Measure	Out Come
Arriving On Site	None	All	Medium	All participants MUST report to the main office upstairs on arrival to register. All participants MUST complete a booking form and MUST state any medical conditions and medication needed.	Low
First Aid Control	Accidents & Injuries	All	High	A First Aider MUST be on site at ALL times. First Aid kit MUST be available at ALL times containing foil blanket. Proximity of warm building. Accident procedure to be actioned, accident book MUST be completed and emergency procedure followed.	Low
Water	Drowning Hypothermia Illness	Users Staff	Medium	All participants must wear buoyancy aids at ALL times. All participants MUST be confident in water but not necessarily swimmers. Monitor water for any pollution. Suitably qualified staff with good group control. Safety boat must be available.	Low
Jetty	Personal Injury	Users staff	Medium	Participants MUST wear suitable footwear and buoyancy aid at ALL times. All participants age 16 and under must wear a helmet, helmets are optional for adults. Briefing of all participants on correct jumps and exit points i.e. no pencil jumps or back flips.	Low
Other Water Users	Personal Injury	Users	Low	Briefing of group regarding appropriate behaviour at start of activity. Instructor must observe group and other lake users whilst activity is taking place.	Low
Lake bottom	Cuts, Grazes & Entanglement	All	Medium	All participants MUST be aware of hazards on the lake bottom i.e. stones, debris, weed, reeds etc.	Low
Exiting the water	Slips, Trips & Falls	All	Medium	Participants to be aware of signage regarding slippery slipways and ramp, wet floors etc. Participants to be aware of changes in surfaces i.e. concrete, wood, tiles etc. Slipways MUST be checked for debris.	Low
Weather	Hypothermia Sunstroke	Users Staff	Medium	Correct clothing MUST be worn for weather and water conditions i.e. wetsuits / drysuits at the instructors discretion. Proximity of warm building. Adequate protection from sun. In the event of thunder and/or lightning ALL participants MUST evacuate the water. Evacuation procedure is 3 blasts of a fog horn or whistle. No return to water until 30 mins. after last thunder and 45 mins. after last lightning.	Low

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High Winds	Personal Injury	Users Staff	Medium	Sessions to only take place in appropriate conditions for ability and attitude of group.	Low
		Risk Assessment completed by: Print....Pete Blaney..... Sign.. 		Date of Risk Assessment: 1st March 2018 Risk Assessments to be continually revised	