

RISK ASSESSMENT: Crazy Golf

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What is the Hazard?	Who may be harmed?	How might people be harmed?	Risk Rating			Control Measures in Place	Remaining Risk		
			Probability	Severity	Risk		Probability	Severity	Risk
Slips, Trips and Falls	All	Cuts, bruises and grazes	2	2	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All equipment not being used is put away in the store. All participants are told to wear appropriate footwear when on activities. Participants warned about exposed tree roots and potential hazards. 	2	2	4
Exposure/ Hypothermia and Sunburn	All	Sunburn, high temperature and dehydration.	3	3	9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff and participants must make sure they have suitable clothing prior to the activity. Staff and participants to drink plenty of water. Sun cream to be applied when needed 	1	3	3
Group Behaviour	All	Loss of control of the group, participants being distracted/ not listening.	2	2	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group leaders are to ensure that the group is under control at all times. Group leader to stop the session if participant/group's behaviour is dangerous. 	1	2	2
Unauthorised Access	All	Misuse of the course and/or equipment and/or without supervision could result in injury.	3	2	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gate and shed to be locked when the activities are not in use. The area is constructed in an appropriate area for the nature of the activity. The course is completely fenced, with the only access through a gate next to the shed. 	1	2	2
Getting Struck by the Ball	All	Bruises and contusions. Concussion	3	3	9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group leader to monitor technique in order to minimize the chance of balls lifting off the ground. Low bounce balls used. 	1	3	3
Getting Struck by the Club	All	Bruises and contusions. Concussion	3	3	9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group leaders to monitor technique and advise, where required, that clubs should not go above knee height. Participants told not to stand directly behind the person taking a shot. 	1	3	3
Injury From Obstacles	All	Cuts, grazes, bruises and contusions.	2	3	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participants should not attempt shots from the obstacles. Group leader to make sure participants don't climb on the obstacles. 	1	3	3
Adverse weather	All	See 'Exposure'	2	3	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participants are advised to wear suitable clothing for the weather conditions Refer to 'Adverse Weather' policy 	1	3	3

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Equipment Failure	All	Cuts, Lacerations, Death	3	5	15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All equipment is inspected periodically and anything faulty is removed from use immediately, recorded and repaired or replaced. 	1	5	5

Level	Likelihood Factor	Severity Description
1	Very Unlikely	Insignificant – No injury or No First Aid required.
2	Unlikely	Minor – Minor injuries requiring first aid such as cuts, grazes, bruising.
3	Fairly Likely	Moderate – Injuries resulting in up to three days' absence from work.
4	Likely	Major – Injuries resulting in a week or more absence from work, for example broken bones, deep cut etc.
5	Very Likely	Catastrophic – Amputations or Death.

Remaining Risk Level	Description
1-5	Very low, minimal risk, control measures more than adequate
5-10	Low, control measures satisfactory
10-15	Medium, control measures adequate
15-20	High, control measures need further consideration
20-25	Very high, intolerable, stop Job