



Thorrington Scout Camp

slacklining

activity pack...

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- risk assessment (where applicable).
- activity sheets (where applicable).

Please be aware that risk assessments are provided in an advisory capacity only, and a full risk assessment should be undertaken by the group leader.

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Hazard	Initial Risk	Possible Actions	Actions Taken	Residual Risk	Review date, plan and sign
Weather	Medium	Appropriate footwear for wet weather Appropriate clothing for participants	Monitor the state of the slack line regularly and assess appropriateness of activity continuing in poor weather	Low	01/04/2024 C. Jay
Poor behaviour of waiting participants	Medium	Clear Instructions of expectations of behaviour Use of adult from group to manage those both on the activity and those awaiting their turn	Instruction given at start of session by warden to explain expectations to maintain safety. Leaders of group to manage participants both waiting and actively participating	Low	01/04/2024 C. Jay
Falling onto rough or not level ground below slack line		Ground check before and after activity	Area to be checked prior to and after each activity session. Bin available in proximity for removal of rubbish	Low	01/04/2024 C. Jay
Risk of fall Leading to injury including cuts and abrasions and head injuries	Med	Ensure safe level of slack line and support available Ensure safe technique modelled for participants	Briefing session at start of activity for all participants. With modelled technique using walker and support person. Never higher than premade support structures Any injuries to be assessed by an appropriate first aider at the time	Low	01/04/2024 C. Jay