

## Risk assessment

Name of activity, event, and location	Mountain Boarding (Leader Led) Willesley Scout Campsite (With Covid 19 restrictions included)	Date of risk assessment	26 <sup>th</sup> March 2021	Name of person doing this risk assessment	Peter Bailey
		Date of next review	26 <sup>th</sup> March 2022		

What hazard have you identified? What are the risks from it?	Who is at risk?	How the risks already controlled? What extra controls are needed?	What has changed that needs to be thought about and controlled?
<b>Hitting other campers</b>	Staff, campers and spectators	Cones at end and down side of run and ensure that nobody within area before starting each run.	
<b>Damaged Equipment</b>	Participants	Mountain boards to be checked before each session. Associated PPE to be checked and replaced and discarded if damaged	
<b>Falling off boards</b>	Participants	Suitable training of all participants by member of staff of how to fall off and use of PPE to protect elbows and knees.	
<b>Mountain board running away</b>	Staff, campers and spectators	A leash with padding is put over one of the participants ankles so that if they fall off the mountain board it is retained.	
<b>Hitting fixed obstacles</b>	Participants	Participants shown how to steer mountain board so as not to.	
<b>Colliding with another Mountain Board</b>	Participants	Mountain boards should be started at different times or at least 2m apart after instruction in how to steer them.	
<b>Injury</b>	Participants	Stand on board with slightly bent knees. If lose control should jump off in a controlled manner. Participants should not sit on the boards as hands and feet could be run over. Supervisor should look out for any problems with either the participants or mountain boards at all times	
<b>Covid 19</b>	Participants, staff and campers	Hand sanitizer to be used before start of session then washed after. Mountain Boards to be cleaned down before and after each session. PPE to be limited to one wear and to be sanitizes and left to dry	

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		Helmets to be wiped down with a sanitizer after each use. Wear gloves when carrying out. Perhaps limit number of sessions in a day	
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