

## Hautbois Risk Assessment



<b>Activity:</b> Bushcraft	<b>Assessor:</b> Abbie Stewardson	<b>Date:</b> January 2018	<b>Tech Advisor:</b> Abbie Stewardson
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**Description:** Bushcraft site is located in the channel on Lime Pits. Groups learn how to build a small fire and cook dough sticks and other food substances. Ratio 1:12.

SR= Severity Rating; 5 (Catastrophic) 4 (Major) 3 (Moderate) 2 (Minor) 1 (None)

LH=Likelihood Rating 5 (Almost certain) 4 (Likely) 3 (Possible) 2 (Unlikely) 1 (Insignificant)

RR= Risk Rating; H (High) M (Medium) L (Low) I (Insignificant)

Significant Hazard	Who Might be Harmed and How	Existing Controls	Severity	Likelihood	Risk Rating
Fire - burns and scalds	Participants and Instructors - operating too close to the fire, over excitement of participants, potential for second degree burns	All fires built in the designated Fire Circle, no participants allowed in Fire Circle. All participants to sit or kneel in outer circle. Only one person at a time to add fuel to the fire, under supervision of Instructor.	4	1	L
Food poisoning	Participants - uncooked food, unclean hands	All participants to clean hands with antibacterial gel, prior to cooking. All dough sticks to be cleaned in the fire pre-cooking. All ingredients to be kept covered prior to cooking. Instructor must demonstrate what is cooked and how to ensure it is cooked correctly. Instructor to have received Food Safety Training (in house)	2	2	L
Lime Pits - falling down steep banks	Participants - trying to climb steep banks of Lime Pits area.	Clients taken in small groups and shown areas that are out of bounds. Instructor constantly vigilant that restricted areas are not entered.	2	2	L
Slips, trips falls- Cuts and bruises	Participants- catching on branches, uneven terrain	Clients reminded to be careful when searching for fire wood and to be vigilant of potential hazards.	2	2	L
Losing sight of group	Participants- getting lost or wandering into other activity areas e.g.: aerial runway.	Clients taken in small groups and shown areas that are out of bounds. Instructor constantly vigilant that restricted areas are not entered. Check that clients know where to return to before going off to collect wood.	2	2	L

This Risk Assessment should work in conjunction with the generic risk assessment (RA-GEN16) and relevant activity's Safe Operating Procedure (SOP-).