

Hautbois Risk Assessment

Activity: Pioneering	Assessor: Abbie Stewardson	Date: January 2019	Tech Advisor: Abbie Stewardson
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Description: Pioneering takes place on the House side of the site, and can include building catapults or structures to climb on or over. It involves building a structure out of wooden spars and rope. 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
Rope injury - whipping injury	Participants and Instructors - Pulling through the rope too quickly thus rope hitting other participants or Instructor; minor personal injuries	All clients warned about whipping injury in safety briefing. Taught good technique by instructor.	2	2	L
Poor Instruction (Structure Collapsing)	Participants - climbing on structure before it is ready, potential limb breakages if structure collapses.	Instructor to test structure before client's participation and adjust if necessary.	2	2	L
Equipment - Incorrect Use	Participants - standing on spars and rolling them, falling on floor, minor injuries. Using ropes against each other, minor injuries.	Operating Procedures adhered to. Correct instruction and supervision.	2	2	L
Manual Handling	Participants and Instructors - poor lifting of spars, back injuries, pulled muscles.	Clients taught good technique. Straight backs, share lifting.	2	2	L
Falling off Structure	Participants - slipping, unbalanced and falling. Potential limb breakages	Group leader and members to spot each other. Operating Procedure to be followed.	2	2	L

This Risk Assessment should work in conjunction with the generic risk assessment (RA-GEN19) and relevant activity's Safe Operating Procedure (SOP-).