



Risk Assessment: Boulders

Event/Activity (brief description): Boulders					Date: 01/04/26	
Benefits of the Event						
<p>Children Enable participants to experience a new and adventurous activity, overcoming potential fears and developing muscle strength, perseverance and body coordination.</p> <p>Adults Enable participants to experience a new and adventurous activity, overcoming potential fears and developing muscle strength, perseverance and body coordination.</p>						
Hazards <i>What could cause harm or damage?</i>	Who or what is at risk of being affected and how?	What are you already doing? <i>How have you reduced the risk already?</i>	Likelihood of Risk Occurring (L / M / H)	Severity of Risk (L / M / H)	Are further controls necessary? <i>What else needs to happen to reduce the risk to an acceptable level?</i>	Action by: name & date
BOULDERS Falling from boulder	Adults & Children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Surrounding area surfaced with playgrade woodchip to a depth of 200mm to 2m. 	L	L		
BOULDERS Falling onto someone	Adults & Children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maximum 6 people climbing on Challenger and 4 people on Adventurer at a time. Users not to jump off but instead to down climb. 	L	L		

¹ Adults refers to adult volunteers who are part of the team delivering the event or activity

BOULDERS Boulders rolls/falls over	Adults & Children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warden to check bolts once a month, Tighten if necessary. • Boulders anchored to ground by x4 450mm x 450mm x 300mm (minimum) concrete padstones. 	L	H		
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