

COFPORD CRICKET CLUB RISK ASSESSMENT

Club	Adult & Junior Cricket Matches & Training	Date Completed	7 th April, 2012
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Activity	NORMAL CLUB ACTIVITY	Aimed At	ALL
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Club Assessor	Mark Tonge	Position	Member
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Any areas that score 3 or over indicate an identified hazard

Score 1-5	3	1	3	3	1	2	1	4
	Group	Leader(s)	Equipment	Transport	First Aid *see below	Weather	Accommodation	Affected
1	Group at appropriate competency at and above level of activity	Leaders qualified at or above appropriate level for activity	No equipment or protective clothing required	Activity on site or local, no transport requirements for participants	First Aid available. Access to emergency support. Persons qualified at appropriate level	Change in weather will have no adverse effect on the group	No overnight stay	The staff/ employees at the venue
2	Highly experienced participants undertaking activity at a high level of performance. Participants are aware of risks involved and trained to deal with foreseeable problems	Leaders experienced in leadership role at or above level of activity	Minimal equipment or protective clothing required to undertake activity. Required for comfort or peace of mind.	Use of hired coach or public transport	First Aid not available. Access to emergency support. Persons qualified at appropriate level	Change in weather will have minimal effect on activity	Accommodation in Hotel, B&B, staffed Hostel or Private Residence	The public who are watching the event/ fixture
3	Group with appropriate competency to attempt level of activity with suitable leadership, but not necessarily practical experience	Leaders experienced and competent as a participant at level of activity. No leadership experience at this level	Some equipment or protective clothing required by participants. No training required for use, equipment failure may cause minor injury	Local or regional movement or participants or large/heavy items using self driven vehicles	First Aid available. Access to Emergency support. No, or insufficient persons qualified at appropriate level	Change in weather could cause problems if the group is not adequately prepared with training or equipment	Bunkhouse or recognized Campsite/self catering accommodation	The opposing team (if a sports team)
4	Group with some competency in activity. Some awareness of risks involved.	Leaders with some experience of activity but not at this level. No leadership experience	Complex, delicate or extensive equipment or protective clothing required for some or all of participants. Training on use of equipment required. Some reliance on equipment where failure may cause some injury.	National movement of participants Using self drive vehicles or including over night stay	First Aid not available. No access to Emergency support. Persons qualified at appropriate level OR First Aid not available Access to Emergency support. No, or insufficient persons qualified at appropriate level	Change in weather could rapidly lead to serious problems if the group is not adequately experienced or equipped	Overnight camping in wilderness area. Use of Mountain Hut or Refuge. Access to communication and/or shelter	Members of your club/ society who are participating in this trip/event
5	Absolute Novices with no or little experience of the activity at any level	No experience of activity as a participant or leader	Complex, delicate or extensive equipment and/or protective clothing required for all participants. Extensive training on use of equipment required. Direct reliance on equipment, failure is likely to cause serious injury	Transportation of heavy or large items and many people, use of minibuses and trailers or traveling abroad	First Aid not available. Persons not qualified at appropriate level. With or without access to Emergency support	Change in weather could have very serious repercussions for the group	Overnight camping in wilderness area. No access to communication or shelter	

*** Types of First Aid**

First Aid – Where a third party is qualified in first aid at an appropriate level, but not a member of an emergency service or your club eg. Coach

Access to Emergency Support – Where trained professionals would be able to be called to an incident within 45 minutes of and incident eg. Ambulance

Persons Qualified- Club members with First Aid Qualification a minimum of 4 hour First Aid Certificate for Societies, Pitch and Racket Sports, 8 hours or more for watersports, outdoor or hazardous activities (specialist certificates may be suitable)

HAZARD CONTROL ASSESSMENT

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING TABLE IN RESPECT OF EACH HAZARD YOU HAVE IDENTIFIED:

HAZARD	RISK IDENTIFIED	WHO AFFECTED	CURRENT HAZARD CONTROL	FURTHER ACTION	RESPONSIBILITY
A hard cricket ball	Risk of injury	Everyone	Use of nets indoors and out	Ensure that players never have their back to the ball Ensure appropriate protection equipment is always worn	All participants and spectators Coaches / Group leaders
A hard cricket ball	Risk of injury	Everyone	Use of nets indoors and out	Ensure that the netted area is cleared before next bowler bowls, ensure that waiting participants stand behind the bowlers point of delivery Ensure appropriate protection equipment is always worn	All participants and spectators Coaches / Group leaders
Hard cricket balls and soft or tennis balls through multiple simultaneous use of the cricket grounds	Risk of injury	Everyone	Use of nets, separation of group activities with safety zones in between	Dynamic checking and readjustment if necessary of the safety zones	Coaches / Group leaders
Weather conditions	Risk of injury	Individual	Wear appropriate footwear	Refrain from playing if weather gets too bad	Coaches / Group Leaders / Captains or Vice Captains
Gardening and Ground Maintenance (Volunteering)	Risk of injury	Everyone	Ensure the equipment is used properly	Do not mess around with this equipment. User to stop in the event of an obstruction in the direction of travel	Everyone Groundsman/Operator
Transport	Risk of injury	Everyone	Ensure road traffic act regulations are complied with and lifting weights are no greater than 15kg per person	Ensure vehicles are only used up to their safe passenger carrying capacity. Ensure that any heavy bags are lifted by 2 persons	Everyone, coaches and Group leaders