

EVOLUTION MAIN EVENT

Year: 2024

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Hazard	Who Might Be Harmed	Is the Risk Adequately Controlled, or is More Needed	Review and Revision
Trip	Everyone	Team members will be supervised at all times during activities at checkpoints, and can be stopped at any time. Leaders will pick appropriate clearings for activities. If blindfolded the area chosen will be appropriate and cleared of obvious trip hazards.	
Lost of Navigation issues	Everyone	Teams will each have to carry a map as part of their team kit list. The site has been chosen as it has relatively easy to navigate 'rides'. Participants will also be briefed regarding the site boundaries. Clear markers will be set out indiciating 'out of bounds' at the edge of the Play Area. Leaders and helpers will be available during the main event to help guide participants if lost.	
Dehydration	Everyone	Water is supplied at the start of the event and at Hubs around the Main event. Participants are briefed to carry appropriate water reserves before setting out. In the event of hot weather all participants can be supplied with a 500ml resusable bottle of water. Participants should be regularly reminded to keep hydrated.	
Fatigue	Everyone	The event is voluntary and participants are briefed to go at whatever speed they wish to and rest frequently and often. There is plenty of shade and rest space in the main Play Area.	
Cold / Wet	Everyone	The Participants Kit list ensures they are suitable dressed with warm clothing and wet weather gear. This kit is checked at the Main briefing. Leaders with concerns can stop and ask any participant whether they have appropriate clothing.	
Blisters	Everyone	Participants are advised to wear appropriate footwear to include sturdy shoes or hiking boots with socks. This should prevent minor ankle injuries and prevent blisters.	
Falling Limbs of Trees	All	Bases will be sited away from tree canopy where possible, if not possible, any trees in the immediate vicinity will be assessed by the teams qualified tree surgeon.	
Intra and Inter-Team Conflict	Participants	Participants are grouped by their own group leaders and are put into groups that compliment their personalitities. At the event brief teams are reminded about scouting values and that although a competition, civility is paramount. Leaders are also on had at each checkpoint to help resolve any conflict.	
Bosterous behaviour	All	Participants will be supervised at all times during activities. Where activities may stimulate overexcitement, a competitive nature or evoke such other responses, a warning will be given at the beeginning of the activity. They will be reminded of the perarmeters for completing it safely and that they will be removed from the activity should the instructor feel they are unsafe to carry it out.	
Scrapes	All	It's recognised that minor scrapes are likely to occur during activities. Instructors will ensure that participants are safely monitored and any obvious scrape hazards are removed. Where they exist by cannot be removed the instructor will brief participants at the beginning of the activity.	