

AMESBURY WALKERS

WALK EVENT RISK ASSESSMENT – Series Events

<u>GENERAL RISKS</u>						
Activity Description:		<i>Non-competitive walking event</i>	Risk Assessment Owner(s):		<i>Amesbury Walkers</i>	
Keyword	Hazard(s)	Risk Reduction Measures	Person(s) at Risk	Risk Likelihood	Risk Severity	Residual Risk Acceptable?
Route	Injury	Careful route selection, walked by WO, test walked by a CM.	EW	LO	MED	Y
Route	Obstacles	Warning on Route Instrs, verbal warning to EW at Start.	EW	LO	MED	Y
Vehicle	Collision	Route instructions indicate areas for extra care.	EW	LO	HI	Y
Person	Injury/Health	Instructions at Start, Phone Nos, Start/Finish name tally, route check.	EW	LO	MED	Y
Person	Loss of Way	Each EW has opportunity to have instructions/map, walkers on route.	EW	LO	LO	Y
Instructions	Poor Quality	Standard AW template, routes test walked by CM.	WO	LO	LO	Y
Weather	Effects	WO to monitor, warning to EW at Start, hot/cold drinks avail at venue.	EW	LO	LO	Y
Animal	Injury/Harassment	Routes test walked close to event date, warning to EW at Start.	EW	LO	LO	Y
Route	Roadworks	Routes/diversions test-walked, verbal warning to EW at Start	EW	LO	LO	Y

Legend:

Persons at Risk: **AW** – Amesbury Walkers, **CM** – Club Member(s), **WO** – Walk Organiser(s), **EW** – Event Walker(s), **MP** – Members of the Public

Risk Likelihood: **HI** – High, **MED** – Medium, **LO** - Low

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Obstacles: Electric fences, barbed wire, rabbit holes, broken stiles,

Acceptability: Y – Yes, N – No

slippery stiles/steps, slippery/muddy surfaces etc.

EVENT RISKS			Risk Assessment Owner(s):		<i>Amesbury Walkers</i>	
Event Name:		<i>Amesbury Walkers Series Events</i>	Date of Event:		<i>2011 Season</i>	
Keyword	Hazard(s)	Risk Reduction Measures	Person(s) at Risk	Risk Likelihood	Risk Severity	Residual Risk Acceptable?
Water	Accident	Use of marked footpaths at water hazards, warning on Route Instrs.	EW	LO	MED	Y
Railway	Collision	Route Instructions indicate areas for extra care.	EW	LO	HI	Y
Paintball	Shooting	Additional route marking near hazard area, warning on Route Instrs.	EW	LO	LO	Y
Shotgun/ Rifle	Shooting	Route Instructions, routes not near known areas, warning at start.	EW	LO	MED	Y
Weather	Conditions	Event cancellation/postponement	All	LO	HI	N/A
Amendment Signature:			Date:			
Committee Member Signature:			Date:		08 January 2011	

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Acceptability: **Y** – Yes, **N** – No