

Blair Atholl Scout Jamborette
Risk Assessment

Location	Target Park NQXXX XXX	Activity	Cirque de Blair
Team Leader	Alice Main	Staff present on Activity	Matthew Kerr
Nearest A&E	Perth Royal Infirmary		
<p>Verbal instruction & Demonstrations given to Scouts:</p> <p>Explanation of equipment and the correct use of equipment.</p> <p>Explanation of required space between everybody.</p> <p>State that when they are finished with, equipment should be returned to bags so that items are not damaged or become trip hazards.</p>	○	<p>Person in charge in the absence of Team Leader:</p> <p>Matthew Kerr</p>	

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The Hazard	Location of the Hazard	Who could be harmed?	Level of risk	Controls	Implementation/Monitoring
EXAMPLE Injury from fall	EXAMPLE Climbing wall	EXAMPLE Scouts Staff	EXAMPLE High	EXAMPLE Helmet Harness Competent Staff	EXAMPLE Team Leader
Ground conditions	Inside the Castle when wet and outside when dry	Scouts and Staff	Medium	Make sure the area being used is flat as possible i.e. no tree roots or holes - activity requires divided attention so participants may not be able to observe ground as they move.	All the Leaders in the Team
Not enough room leading to participants knocking into each other or walking in to obstacles	Inside the Castle when wet and outside when dry	Scouts and Leaders	Medium	<p>Check to make sure there is enough room for each of the circus skills disciplines as people will move around when doing certain disciplines - confirm allocated areas with any other activities sharing space.</p> <p>When people stop to watch others make sure they know to give the person enough space.</p> <p>Point out where possible obstacles are i.e. Tents, tents pegs, tent poles and trees</p> <p>Make sure they know to put equipment away when not using it so people don't trip on it.</p>	Leaders and participants

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Misuse of the equipment	Inside the Castle when wet and outside when dry	Scouts and Leaders	Medium	Participants will only be allowed access to the equipment once they have been shown the correct use of ALL the equipment. Ensure that they know to ask one of the leaders if they are unsure of the correct use of equipment.	Leaders
Weather conditions	Inside the Castle when wet and outside when dry	Scouts and Leaders	Medium	Make sure they have the appropriate clothing for the weather conditions expected for the duration of the activity. Ask them to take fluids with them as they will not be allowed back to their campsite during the activity. Also advise them they can stay inside the castle to protect from the sun	Leaders
Injuries	Inside the Castle when wet and outside when dry	Scouts and Leaders	Medium	Explain to the participants about the correct use of the equipment. What injuries occur when they are misused and also when you do not give yourself enough space	Leaders

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I have read and understood this risk assessment: