

ARCHERY RISK ASSESSMENT

HAZARD	RISK	PERSON AT RISK	SEVERITY	PROBABILIT Y	RATING	ACTIONS	RATING AFTER
FAULTY EQUIPMENT	BUISES, CUTS AND ABRASIONS	STAFF AND PARTICIPANTS	3	2	6	ALL EQUIPMENT INSPECTED BEFORE EACH USE	3
INCORRECT TECHNIQUE	SPRAINS, STRAINS, GRAZES TO FINGERS	PARTICIPANTS	3	3	6	CLEAR DEMONSTRATION AND INSTRUCTION ON-GOING MONITORING AND ADVICE	2
ARROW COLLECTION	EYE INJURY, TORSO INJURY, DEATH	STAFF AND PARTICIPANTS	3	3	9	CLEAR INSTRUCTION AND SUPERVISION APPROACH BOSS FROM THE SIDE ,CHECK THERE IS NOBODY CLOSE BY, PULL OUT ARROW NO RUNNING IN THE AREA DEMONSTRATION OF HOW TO CARRY ARROWS ENSURE ALL PARTICIPANTS HAVE FINISHED SHOOTING BEFORE COLLECTING ARROWS TAKE ANY UNSHOT ARROWS DOWN THE RANGE FOR COLLECTION	3
BOW STRING	ABRAISION, BRUISING TO ARM, FACIAL INJURY	PARTICIPANTS	2	3	9	ARM GUARDS TO BE WORN LONG HAIR TIED BACK LONG SLEEVES MAY BE WORN ANY LOOSE CLOTHING TUCKED AWAY DEMONSTRATION TO BE PROVIDED INSTRUCTOR TO MONITOR CLOSELY	2
ARROWS FALLING OFF BOW	SERIOUS INJURY FROM ARROW COMING INTO CONTACT WITH HAND	PARTICIPANTS	3	3	9	OVERSIZED ARROWS USED FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS	3
CATCHING NET COLLAPSE	SERIOUS INJURY	STAFF AND PARTICIPANTS	3	2	6	GUY LINES TO BE SECURELY TIED TO STAKES, STAKES TO BE SECURELY FIXED AT 45 DEGREE FROM UPRIGHTS. DAILY CHECKS CARRIED OUT	3

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OVERSHOT ARROWS	DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY	PARTICIPANTS, SPECTATORS, INSTRUCTORS, PUBLIC	4	3	12	SIGNS TO BE USED THERE SHOULD BE CLEAR OVERSHOOT AREA OF 100MS FROM BEHIND TARGETS OR A SOLID BARRIER SUCH AS A WALL WITH NET RANGE SET UP WITH GUIDELINES	4
STRAY ARROWS	DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY	PARTICIPANTS, SPECTATORS, STAFF	4	2	8	INSTRUCTOR TO SUPERVISE WITH VIGILANCE TARGETS TO BE SET UP 10M AWAY FROM THE SHOOTING LINE ARROWS MUST ALWAYS POINT TOWARD THE TARGET RANGE MUST BE SET UP POINTING AWAY FROM THE PUBLIC AND TO COMPANY GUIDELINES	4
UNCOLLECTE D ARROWS	PEOPLE INJURING THEMSELVES HAVING FOOND ARROWS	PUBLIC	3	3	9	ARROWS MUST BE COUNTED IN AT THE END OF THE DAY AND ANY MISSING ARROWS FOUND BEFORE DEPARTURE OF THE SITE (OR VENUE NOTIFIED) ARCHERY MUST NOT TAKE PLACE IN LONG GRASS OR IN SNOW	3
FALLING TARGET	CRUSH INJURIES OR INJURIES FROM ARROWS	STAFF AND PARTICIPANTS	3	2	6	TARGET SECURED IN HIGH WINDS CORRECT RETRIEVAL TECHNIQUE	3
INSTRUCTOR S BEING HIT AT CLOSE RANGE	DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY	STAFF	4	2	8	ALWAYS WALK BEHIND ANY ACTIVE SHOOTERS (THOSE WITH ARROWS WHEN MOVING BETWEEN PARTICIPANTS) NEVER WALK IN FRONT OF AN ARCHER WITH ARROWS	1
SOFT ARCHERY	POOR SUPERVISION	STAFF AND PARTICIPANTS	2	2	4	AN ADULT TO ATTENTIVELY SUPERVISE SOFT ARCHERY AT AL TIMES AND TRO BE MADE AWARE OF RULES	3
UNSUPERVIS ED ACCESS	DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY	PUBLIC	4	3	12	ARROWS MUST BE REMOVED FROM THE RANGE WHEN LEFT UNSUPERVISED	4
WEATHER	SUNBURN, HEAT, EXHAUSTION	STAFF AND PARTICIPANTS	3	2	6	ENSURE A SHADED AREA IS AVAILABLE DURING HOT WEATHER ENCOURAGE THE USE OF SUNCREAM AND HATS	3
LIGHTNING	PARTICIPANTS BEING STRUCK	STAFF AND PARTICIPANTS	4	1	4	ARCHERT MUST NOT BE DONE OUTDOORS IN A LIGHTNING STORM	4