

ASSESSMENT OF RISK FOR

**BRAESIDE
EDUCATION
CENTRE**

Assessment of:
**History themed days - Braeside
Grounds**

Location: Braeside

Assessor (please print): Y R TABLEY

Date: Jan 2021

Review Date: Jan 2022

HAZARDS	WHO MIGHT BE HARMED?	IS THE RISK ADEQUATELY CONTROLLED?	WHAT FURTHER ACTION IN NECESSARY TO CONTROL THE RISK?
List Hazards here:	List specific groups of staff / other people that are risk, e.g. visitors, young people, expectant mothers etc:	List existing control measures / systems and state how individuals at risk are notified of the control measures / systems in place:	List the risks which are not adequately controlled and the action you will take where it is reasonably practicable to do more:
<p><u>Woodlands and grounds</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slippery ground • Using sticks and branches • Splinters • Fire – flint and steel • Tools – Loppers, Secateurs • Contaminated food • Getting hit by lead/plumbing line/weight • Getting hit by yardarm of sail • Slips, trips, falls in woodland • Paint spills / allergies • Weather conditions – heat / cold 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Braeside staff • Visiting staff • Students • Volunteers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good clear briefing, clear explanations of behaviour • Carefully controlled activities • Setting of stop line for invasion/battles, children to complete activity in controlled groups and to only start as instructed • Training for use of sharp tools • Easy access to emergency services and first aid • Allergies of food, drink, plants to be checked before session starts • Supervision when using plumb line. • Spears to be placed out of reach during free time. • Shield making area to be kept tidy, items not to be left on the floor. • Verbal warning before entering woodland – supervision • Supervision in controlled groups when using flint and steel. – Loose clothes to be secured. Demonstration to be conducted by adults. • Bucket of water, fire extinguisher and first aid kit to be in fire making area. • Correct clothing for weather 	

General

- Walking near traffic
- Possible contact with strangers
- Preparing food knives, graters, allergies
- Drama and dance, climbing on furniture
- Coppice crafts (see separate RA)
- Allergy to paints, scissor cuts, cuts from flora
- Lamb Inn stairs (uneven floors)
- Candle burns
- Cooking RA - ask school for their assessment for specific activity
- Jousting and Croquet – see relevant RA on file
- Team games – see separate team building RA
- See conference RA for use of classrooms during writing activities.
- St Mary's Tower (see separate RA)

- High staff ratio, small groups
- Verbal warning at start of session
- Warning of dangers of candles – use only tea lights and lanterns at banquet. Long hair to be tied up. Verbal warning of dangling clothes.
- Mobile phones / first aid kit for each group when in town
- Verbal warning of stairs in the lamb inn
- Demonstration of knife/grater use
- Checking with staff for allergies prior to session start
- Good maintenance of equipment – knives etc.
- Fire extinguishers in dining area
- Check story tellers and visitors are CRB checked as appropriate.
- When cooking only staff to enter kitchen area and use ovens.