Braeside Education Centre - Activity Risk Assessment



Assessment of:		: .	Slackline		Braeside education centre –		
Assessor:		Jo	Josh Simons		January 2024	Review Date:	January 2025
ID	Hazards Identified le: what can	Persons at Risk le: who could be harmed by the	le: who could be harmed by the le: determine the level le: what actions to		o be Taken to Minin		New Risk Factor (High, medium or low) le: risk factor after
	cause harm?	hazard?	of risk			action taken to minimize the risk	
1	Equipment failure	Braeside StaffSchool StaffStudents	Medium	 Follow manufacturers guidelines and check for damage each time Follow usage guidelines Instructor / organiser to check equipment when setting up, i.e. before use 			Low
2	Setting up incorrectly	Braeside StaffSchool StaffStudents	Low	 Follow manufacturers guidelines and check for damage each time Appropriate training for person setting up Instructor / organiser to check equipment when setting up, i.e. before use. Follow instructions for setting up line and be careful with fingers and ratchet 			Low
3	Anchor failu	Braeside Staff School Staff Students	Medium	 Follow manufacturers guidelines and check for damage each time Follow usage guidelines Appropriate training for person setting up Anchor size is adequate and tested prior to use (visual or physical) Instructor / organiser to check equipment when setting up, i.e. before use 			Low
4	Finger/hand injury (setup		Low	Follow instruction and ratchet	ons for setting up line and ining for person setting up	-	Low
5	Falling/tripp from height	 Braeside Staff School Staff Students 	Medium	instructorClose to first aiVerbal warning slippery	upport techniques – guida d / emergency services s throughout the session ne assessed for age and a	when it's wet and	Low

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6	•	Falling less than a metre	Braeside StaffSchool StaffStudentsVolunteers	Medium	 Spotting and support techniques – guidance and advice given by instructor Close to first aid / emergency services Verbal warnings throughout the session when it's wet and slippery. Landing area check for debris before use. 	Low
8	•	Slippery surfaces, banks, grass Uneven surfaces	Braeside StaffSchool StaffStudentsVolunteers	Low	 Good supervision – 1 adult with each group Verbal warnings throughout the session when it's wet and slippery 	Low
10	•	Low branches	Braeside StaffSchool StaffStudentsVolunteers	Low	Instructors to check and clear area before start of activity	Low
15	•	General use of equipment – knocks, scrapes.	Braeside StaffSchool StaffStudentsVolunteers	Low	 Spotting and support techniques – guidance and advice given by instructor Close to first aid / emergency services Precise briefing for activity before starting, including safe supporting of equipment/participants 	low
17	•	Inexperienced participants / staff	Braeside StaffSchool StaffStudentsVolunteers	Medium	 Appropriate training Spotting and support techniques – guidance and advice given by instructor Involving groups in the risk assessment before starting Precise briefing for each activity before starting, including safe supporting of equipment/participants 	Low
18	•	Inappropriate clothing, jewellery etc.	Braeside StaffSchool StaffStudentsVolunteers	Low	 Group to be briefed on appropriate clothing before starting activity Jewellery to be removed and long hair tied back 	Low
19	•	Inappropriate behaviour	Braeside StaffSchool StaffStudentsVolunteers	Medium	 Follow usage guidelines Involving groups in the risk assessment before starting Precise briefing for each activity before starting, including safe supporting of equipment/participants 	low

Additional Control Measures:

• Challenge by choice