



South Tyneside Council

RISK ASSESSMENT

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| Department: Services for Young People, Children, Adults & Families | | Section: Thurston O.E.C. | | Assessment No: W2c | | | | | | | |
| Work Activity | Jetty Jumping / Swimming | | | | | | | | | | |
| | All hazards & control measures as for "Generic Assessment for all Outdoor Activities" plus additions below | | | | Risk rating, without controls <i>(see Matrix overleaf)</i> | | | | | | |
| Hazards | Cramp Drowning Cuts, impact & bumps Pulled under water by panicking swimmer Impact with person jumping from jetty Cold water shock reflex <div style="text-align: right;">Head injury</div> | | | | | <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;">High</td> <td style="text-align: center;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Medium</td> <td style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Low</td> <td style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> </table> | High | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> | Low |
| High | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | | | | |
| Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | | | | |
| Low | <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | | | | |
| Population Exposed | Employees: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Sub Contractors: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Public: | <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |
| | Young Persons: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Special Groups: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Children: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |
| Control Measures | Activity run in line with "Paddlesport - Operating Procedures" with control measures including: Briefing to include walking on jetty, acceptable jumps, end of slip way hazard & cold water shock reflex Buoyancy aids always worn Wetsuits available Advisable to get participants to fully submerge in shallow water before jumping from jetty Use of boundaries / restricted areas as required Water checked for depth, debris & blue green algae Safety craft available if required Continue on separate sheet, if necessary | | | | | | | | | | |
| Information Instruction Training Required | As stated in operating procedures | | | | | | | | | | |
| Personal Protective Measures (PPE) | As stated in operating procedures | | | | | | | | | | |

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| Implementation Plan | | By Whom | Target Date |
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| Risk Rating with Controls in place | <input type="checkbox"/> HIGH | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MEDIUM | <input type="checkbox"/> LOW |
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| Monitoring and Review | Review Date | By Whom | Target Date |
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| Action Identified From Review | None | By Whom | Target Date |
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Risk Matrix

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| Likelihood | | Worst Case Outcome | | |
| | | <i>Fatality</i> | <i>Major Injury</i> | <i>Minor Injury</i> |
| | <i>Probable</i> | HIGH | HIGH | MED. |
| | <i>Possible</i> | HIGH | MED | MED. |
| | <i>Improbable</i> | MED. | LOW | LOW |

Assessment conducted by: _____ **Signed:** _____ **Date:** _____

Revised: January 2018. AS, RC, MK, JS, JR, CN.