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Hazard/Activity	Risk Hazard	Personas at	Control measures	Comments/Actions	Residual Risk
Competence of camp leaders	Injury	All	All users to follow the guidelines of the organisation to which they belong. Use competent and experienced leaders. Training courses and codes of practice provided by TOES. User group has access to qualified first aid at all times.	Codes of practice given to all camp leaders contained in "Camp confirmation pack".	Low
Fire	Burns/injury	All	Adequate supervision by experienced qualified staff. Pre- camp training, codes of practice & procedure. Isolation of cooking tent/room. Provision of fire extinguishers and blankets. No smoking/no naked flame or appliance in other tents except cooking tent/room. First aider competent in burns treatment should always be available when cooking.	Codes of practice given to all camp leaders contained in "Camp confirmation pack".	Low/ Medium
Exposure to extreme weather	Illness	All	Advice from daily forecast/local knowledge Use of appropriate clothing & equipment.	Codes of practice given to all camp leaders contained in "Camp confirmation pack".	Low
Hygiene	Illness	All	Supervision by experienced staff. Food and hygiene guidelines in code of practice. Appropriate use of available fridge freezers. Availability and regular use of alcohol hand wash.	Codes of practice given to all camp leaders contained in "Camp confirmation pack".	Low
Equipment failure	Injury/discomfort	All	Annual repair and replacement maintenance schedule. Reporting procedures. Technical backup/24 hour communication link.	Codes of practice given to all camp leaders contained in "Camp confirmation pack".	Low

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Theft	Loss	All	Ensure that camp is left unattended as little as possible. Discourage expensive personal equipment on site. Consider insurance. Buildings locked and expensive items locked away/out of site when off site.	Codes of practice given to all camp leaders contained in "Camp confirmation pack".	Low
Emergency due to existing medical condition	Injury/illness	All	Obtain full medical information from parents/guardians. Have emergency procedure.	Codes of practice given to all camp leaders contained in "Camp confirmation pack".	Low/ Medium
Intruders/ security of site/campers walking off site	Injury/separation	All	Unfortunately every site has a potential risk of intrusion. Commercial sites tend to have a higher risk particularly at weekends. Groups should have a policy for dealing with casual intruders and should raise everybody's awareness to monitor and report any strangers immediately. Local police are informed of camps.	Codes of practice given to all camp leaders contained in "Camp confirmation pack". Campers briefed at start of camp re. Out of Bounds areas and reminded periodi- cally. Head count taken at mealtimes.	Low

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