

Blackland Farm risk assessment

Activity being assessed	Canoeing, kayaking
Assessor	Martin Robinson / Bryn Beach
Date	4/1/2010
What is the hazard?	Water and cold
Who is at risk?	Staff and customers
How likely is an accident? 1 unlikely 2 possible 3 quite possible 4 likely 5 very likely	2
If an accident occurs, what is the consequence? 1 no injury 2 slight injury 3 injury over a three day duration 4 death or serious injury 5 multiple death	4
Consequence x likelihood score.	8
Current control measures	Staff employed are qualified and trained in rescuing canoeists and first aid. Participants wear buoyancy aids tested for floatation. Boats have buoyancy in, equipment checked prior to use and weekly. Radio contact with office and staff are trained in sessions to obtain help in emergency. Correct ratio of instructors to pupils. Session stopped in high wind, thunder or lightning.
Are these adequate?	Yes
What other measures are necessary?	None
What monitoring is needed?	Sessions checked for safety
Any other information.	To Be Reviewed Jan 2011
Signature of assessor	Bryn Beach