



Blackland Farm Risk Assessment

Activity being assessed	Abseiling
Assessor	Thomas Webb-Bowen
Date	12/01/2012
What is the hazard?	Falling off the abseiling tower
Who is at risk?	Staff and participants
How likely is an accident? 1 unlikely 2 possible 3 quite possible 4 likely 5 very likely	1
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	4
Current control measures	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Staff and participants are tied on when at the top of the tower.• All staff trained in safety procedures for abseiling.• Equipment is checked before use and weekly when busy, monthly when quite• Gate is locked shut when tower not in use.
Are these adequate?	Yes
What other measures are necessary?	None
What monitoring is needed?	Sessions checked for safety
Any additional information	To be reviewed in January 2013
Signature of Assessor	Thomas Webb-Bowen