

KENT MOUNTAIN CENTRE RISK BENEFIT ASSESSMENT:

Raftbuilding

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Benefits to Participants:

Improve teamwork and communication

Improve physical and mental wellbeing through activity and sharing common purpose with others

Develop leadership skills and initiative

Develop relationships with others

Acquire a skill

Improve confidence

Appreciate the natural environment

Develop resilience

Raise self-esteem

Enhance curriculum specific learning

Create transferable learning to improve outcomes in future at school and in work

Process/ Operation	Affecting	Potential Risk	Control process to manage	Residual risk	Risk Benefit Analysis
Slips Trips and Falls	All	Medium	Careful Briefing and Monitoring by Staff	LOW	Positive
Knocks	All	Medium	Briefing should include advice on careful carrying of equipment.	LOW	Positive
Manual Handling Injuries	All	LOW	Careful Briefing and Monitoring by Staff	LOW	Positive
Entrapment (Eg raft collapse)	All	LOW	Careful Briefing and Monitoring by Staff, a raft assessment when afloat	LOW	Positive
Cuts / Splinters Apparatus	All	LOW	On going maintenance of apparatus	LOW	Positive

Drowning	All	LOW	Suitable equipment, briefing and observation and monitoring	LOW	Positive
Hypothermia	Students/ Visiting Staff	LOW	Suitable equipment, briefing and observation and monitoring	LOW	Positive
DELIVERY:					
OPERATING PROCEDURES:	The operating procedure document is to be read with this assessment by instructors.				
This Assessment to be reviewed by (Date):	23/05/2018				