

5th Dunstable ScoutGroup - Risk Assessment

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Hazard/Risk	To Whom	Controls	16/12/2022
			Changes which need controlling
Hazard -Badly tied knot. Risk - Injury to user of knot. Damage to equipment it is used on.	All	Brief participants on the proper way to tie the knot being taught. Show the correct way to tie the knot to each participant. After each participant has tied the knot check it until tied right, giving further instruction as required. Instructor to be qualified to tie knot being taught.	
Hazard - Behaviour. Risk - Participants playing about.	Young people	All leaders to stop the participants if they play about.	
Hazard - Inappropriate use of the knotting rope. Risk - Bodily damage or strangulation	Young people	Brief participants of the dangers of improper use of the rope by tying people up or placing ropes around their own or other peoples necks.	
		Leaders to keep a close watch on participants actions and immediately stop any inappropriate use of the ropes	

Considerations for Beavers			
Hazard/Risk	To Whom	Controls	Changes which need controlling
See above	See above	See above	

Considerations for Cubs			
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Considerations for Scouts			
Hazard/Risk	To Whom	Controls	Changes which need controlling