



South Tyneside Council

RISK ASSESSMENT

Department: Services for Young People, Children, Adults & Families		Section: Thurston O.E.C.		Assessment No: W5d		
Work Activity	Jetty Jumping / Swimming					
	All hazards & control measures as for "Generic Assessment for all Outdoor Activities" plus additions below				Risk rating, without controls <i>(see Matrix overleaf)</i>	
Hazards	Cramp Drowning Cuts, impact & bumps Pulled under water by panicking swimmer Impact with person jumping from jetty Cold water shock reflex <div style="text-align: right;">Head injury</div>					
Population Exposed	Employees:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sub Contractors:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Young Persons:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Special Groups:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Children:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Control Measures	Activity run in line with "Paddlesport - Operating Procedures" with control measures including: Briefing to include walking on jetty, acceptable jumps, end of slip way hazard & cold water shock reflex Buoyancy aids always worn Wetsuits available Advisable to get participants to fully submerge in shallow water before jumping from jetty Use of boundaries / restricted areas as required Water checked for depth, debris & blue green algae Safety craft available if required Continue on separate sheet, if necessary					
Information Instruction Training Required	As stated in operating procedures					
Personal Protective Measures (PPE)	As stated in operating procedures					

Implementation Plan		By Whom	Target Date
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Risk Rating with Controls in place	<input type="checkbox"/> HIGH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MEDIUM	<input type="checkbox"/> LOW
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Monitoring and Review	Review Date	By Whom	Target Date
	<i>Dec 2020</i>		<i>Jan 2022</i>

Action Identified From Review	None	By Whom	Target Date
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Risk Matrix				
Likelihood	Worst Case Outcome			
		<i>Fatality</i>	<i>Major Injury</i>	<i>Minor Injury</i>
	<i>Probable</i>	HIGH	HIGH	MED.
	<i>Possible</i>	HIGH	MED	MED.
	<i>Improbable</i>	MED.	LOW	LOW

Assessment conducted by: _____ **Signed:** _____ **Date:** _____
 Revised: Dec 2020 AS, RC, JS.