

Risk Assessment Form

Activity: **Orienteering**

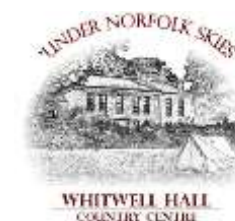
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Name of Assessor: **John McKean**

This activity comprises of moving around Whitwell Hall Country Centre's estate to find predetermined points & controls from one of two orienteering courses.

**Please refer to the Significant Infection Control Risk Assessment which runs alongside this document **

<i>Significant hazards that may result in serious harm or affect people or the group</i>	<i>Groups or people who are especially at risk from the hazards identified</i>	<i>Existing controls or notes where information may be found, e.g., information, instruction or procedures</i>	<i>Risks that are not adequately controlled & actions that are needed to reduce or eliminate the risks</i>
Refer to all sections of the general risk assessment document.			
There is a risk that participants could become lost.		<ul style="list-style-type: none">→ Each group is given an orienteering map &/or compass along with instructions on how to use them.→ Course difficulty should be decided by the group leader not WHCC staff. There is a choice of easy or difficult course to suit different age and ability of groups.→ The group leader should decide what size groups do what course & what level of supervision as they know	



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		<p>their group better than WHCC staff.</p> <p>→ After a set time period a pre-determined gong/whistle blow/s should be sounded to let participants know the activity is over – they can then head back towards the sound / pre-determined finish point.</p>	
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