

Water Rockets

Name of Section or Activity (and version number)	Waddecar Scout Activity Centre Water Rockets V2023-01	Date of risk assessment	4 th January 2023	Review Date	January 2024	Name and Role of who undertook this risk assessment	Damian King Centre Manager
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Hazard Identified? / Risks from it?	Who is at risk?	How are the risks already controlled? What extra controls are needed?
Hazard – something that may cause harm or damage. Risk – the chance of it happening.	Young people, Leaders, Visitors?	Controls – Ways of making the activity safer by removing or reducing the risk from it. For example - you might use a different piece of equipment, or you might change the way the activity is carried out.
Impact from bottle – hit by bottle	All	The activity is to be halted immediately if any person or animal strays in front of the shooting line. Participants to shoot from behind a designated shooting line. Spectators must remain seated in the waiting area or outside the range perimeter. Any suspected dangerous behaviour to be controlled immediately.
Equipment failure – injured by equipment	All	Equipment checked at regular intervals and recorded by a competent person. Equipment checked prior to every use. All damage reported to Waddecar Centre Management.
Unauthorised use – uninjured by equipment	All	Equipment is kept in a locked store when not in use. Equipment to be returned to the Activity Store at the end of each session.

Completed by	Name, Damian King Role / level: Waddecar Centre Manager Date; 4 th January 2023	Checked by Line Manager	Name, Role / level Date
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Additional information can be found in the Safety Checklist for Leaders and other information at scouts.org.uk/safety