

RISKASSESSMENT-AxeThrowing

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BJ's Bouncy Castles

Hazard	Risk	Existing Controls	Likelihood 1 - 5	Severity 1 - 5	Risk Score 1 - 5	Further Action
Axe Throwing	Over enthusiastic participants	Responsible person to supervise at all times. Remain stationary while throwing Velcro axes	2	1	1	If event has a large attendance more supervisors should be supplied to assist
Axe Throwing	Injury from Toy Axes	Responsible person to supervise at all times. Do not throw axes at other users or spectators – only in the enclosed area	3	2	1	Reinforce number of users and usage
Axe Throwing	Collision	This is a non-ride on game	-	-	-	N/A
Axe Throwing	Adverse weather	Equipment not to be used in high winds over 24mph (includes gusts) and during heavy rain	2	1	1	Quarantine unit from use or deflate until conditions improve
Axe Throwing	Injuries from poor supervision	Responsible person to supervise at all times Do not use without adequate supervisors present	1	2	2	If event has a large attendance more supervisors should be supplied to assist
Axe Throwing	Tripping over anchor points / auxiliary equipment	Anchor points installed to manufactures guidance. Additional equipment stored away. Power cables to be positioned /covered appropriately	1	1	2	None
Axe Throwing	Injury through incorrect positioning	Equipment installed correctly in a safe position. Never attempt to reposition the unit	1	1	1	None
Axe Throwing	Third party injury	Throw axes only at the inflatable target	2	1	1	None
Axe Throwing	Inflation with combustion engine/gennie	No Smoking. Spare fuel to be located in a locked store. Fencing installed around plant area. Fire extinguisher is advisable	1	2	1	None
Axe Throwing	Emergency	In the event of a serious injury do not move the individual and call First Aid / dial 999	1	2	1	None