

NETHER WALLOP PARISH COUNCIL RISK ASSESSMENT	<b>CRICKET MATCH AT PLAYING FIELDS</b>	Version: Date:	<b>2</b> <b>Oct-21</b>	Adopted Date: Minute no.:	<b>11-Oct-21</b> <b>5847</b>	Review Date:	<b>Oct-22</b>
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The methodology used is a combination of quantitative risk assessment (numerically assessing probability & consequence) **Hazard Severity x Likelihood of Occurrence = RISK.**

Hazard Severity (Impact)			Likelihood of Occurrence (Odds)		
1	Nil	Trivial or insignificant harm to persons, property or business activities	1	Not likely	There is no real likelihood of it occurring.
2	Slight	Causing minor harm allowing work / activities to continue	2	Possible	Possible occurrence, but potential is minimal.
3	Moderate	More Serious, capable of resulting in 3 or more days off work for one or more individuals , or property damage resulting in a temporary interruption to business activities with some financial loss.	3	Quite Possible	Incident will only happen if several factors are present.
4	High	Possible fatality or serious injury to an individual. Longer term interruption to business and/or high financial costs.	4	Likely	Regular incidents occur, but no injury. May result in injury with additional factors introduced.
5	Very High	Multiple fatality and/or destruction to work environment. Long term or permanent business interruption and/or very high financial costs.	5	Very Likely	Almost 100% certainty that an incident will occur or it is a common occurrence.

A risk factor can be found using the equation, ranging from 1 (no severity and unlikely to happen) to 25 (just waiting to happen with potentially disastrous results. However it is important to judge both the severity and the likelihood independently. Having identified the numerical risk factor, the 'risk matrix' will help determine the urgency of the action.

**RISK ASSESSMENT MATRIX.**

Likelihood (ODDS)	Potential Severity (IMPACT)					1-5	Low Risk	Tolerable	Little or no action required				
	1	2	3	4	5					6-9	Medium Risk	Unacceptable	Some action required and monitor during event.
	2	4	6	8	10								
	3	6	9	12	15								
	4	8	12	16	20					10-25	High Risk	Unacceptable	Urgent action required. Stop process. Compensatory measures / new procedures must be put in place within 24hrs. Resolving the issue may take longer, but must be in hand. (People may need to be removed from the risk whilst it is assessed.)
	5	10	15	20	25								

Activity	Hazard / Risk	People at risk	Mitigation of Risk / control measures	Impact	Odds	Score	Action required	Target date and by whom
Game play	Being hit by cricket ball	Public and children using playground	Site the game as far from play area as possible.	3	2	6	Players to shout a warning	Team and spectators
		Spectators	Ensure that people are set well back from pitch area.	3	2	6	Players to shout a warning	Team and spectators
		Players	Advise players to keep alert at all times.	3	3	9	Team to be alert Protective equipment to be worn	Team and managers

Game play	Colliding with others	Spectators	Ensure that people are positioned well back from pitch area.	2	1	2	Players to shout a warning	Teams
Access for emergency vehicles	Not being able to reach a severely injured person	Anyone	Main gate to be open prior to match starting	4	2	8	Organisers to check prior to starting play	Prior to match, team.
Game play	Injury on pitch	Players	Check pitch is free from debris or other items prior to play starting Basic First Aid kit to be available.	2	3	6	Team to check pitch Teams to bring First aid kit.	Prior to match, team.
Game play	Injury on pitch	Players	Check pitch is suitable for play	2	2	4	Consideration to be given prior to match starting	Umpire and team captains.

Chairman's signature Date		Clerk's Signature Date	
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