

Rifle & Pistol Shooting Range

RISK	PERSONS AT RISK			Risk Before Mitigation			CONTROLS TAKEN TO MINIMISE RISKS	Likelihood	Severity	Score	Residual RISK
	Young persons	Visitors	Staff/leaders/Adults	Likelihood	Severity	Risk					
Injury to shoulder due to kick back	P		P	2	2	4	Training in correct technique and close supervision, clear briefing	1	2	2	Low Risk
Persons entering range hit by pellets		P		2	2	4	Area is protected by fence (checked regularly) to prevent walking on range Clear range procedures and supervision, clear briefing given.	1	2	2	Low Risk
Trips and slips due to terrain	P		P	1	2	2	Care must be taken, fooling around discouraged, range regularly checked and maintained to avoid issues, clear briefing given, no running on the range or when collecting targets. Spectators to remain seated.	1	2	2	Low Risk
Failure of equipment causing cuts & traps etc	P		P	1	3	3	Procedures in place for checking of equipment, regular inspections, recorded and dated. Instructor checks kit before use on each session.	1	2	2	Low Risk
Persons hit by pellet	P	P	P	2	2	4	Rules forbid misaiming and fooling around. Supervision by qualified instructors, clear briefing given. Spectators remain seated at all times.	1	2	2	Low Risk
Foreign objects in eyes	P			2	3	6	Relevant and appropriate PPE provided (eyewear)	1	2	2	Low Risk
Minor injuries caused by poor behaviour	P		P	2	2	4	Trained instructor, group leaders will be present to supervise or sufficient supervision in place. Persons failing to follow rules will be asked to leave	1	2	2	Low Risk
Deliberate injury caused by misuse of equipment	P	P	P	2	3	6	Instruction given and understood by participants before activity commences. Activity supervised at all times by experienced instructor who will ensure that the rules are followed	1	2	2	Low Risk
Crushed Fingers	P			2	3	6	Participants given clear instructions & supervised. Instructions given on need to keep fingers away from breach mechanism	1	2	2	Low Risk
Non-compliance with Scout POR	P	P	P	1	3	3	Permission to shoot form checked for all participants before activity begins. All rules are in accordance with Scout POR. Regular consultation with county advisor on any changes from POR.	1	2	2	Low Risk
Unauthorised Use	P	P	P	1	3	3	Equipment removed from area and securely stored after sessions have ended. Between sessions, there is a secure cabinet for storage on the range.	1	2	2	Low Risk

Last Reviewed	30th March 2021
This Review Date	12.2.2022
Reviewed DG	
Reviewed AM	
Reviewed GP	Yes
Reviewed LTA	

3x3 RISK MATRIX

