Garden Games Risk Assessment

Hazard Area	Risk	Existing Controls	Likelihood 1-5	Severity 1-5	Risk Score LXS	Further Action To Take
Garden Games	Over enthusiastic participants	Responsible adult supervising at all times.	2	1	2	In the event of large numbers participants a trained operator should be hired with the game to aid with large numbers.
Garden Games	Injury through equipment defect	All equipment has a visual inspection on set up and pack down.	1	5	5	Any defects are reported to the operator and equipment is taken out of action until required remedial works have been carried out.
Garden Games	Installation of equipment on site	The operator must have clear access to the setup area. The setup area must be level and free from any rubbish, debris and sharp objects etc. The equipment must be inspected before, during and after installation to ensure it is free from damage.	1	1	1	Once installed the item should not be moved by any unauthorised persons. The equipment should be set up away from any entrances or exits ensuring it does not block any fire exits. Any spare equipment must be tidied away and put in a safe place.
Garden Games	Operation of equipment on site	Participants to queue in front of the equipment in view of the operator who will control the queue. Participants not to overcrowd the area and keep a clear space around the item. Always follow the user limitations for the item.	2	1	2	Spectators should be away from the equipment and not allowed to interfere with the equipment in anyway. Supervision should be by a responsible adult at all times.

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Garden Games	User safety	All activities must be supervised by a responsible adult at all times. Participants to be aware of their own physical ability and notify the operator if they do not wish to participate or wish to end the activity. No food or drink is allowed on the item.	2	1	2	Should any participant appear to be under the influence of alcohol or drugs to the extent where they are posing a risk to the operator or participants, or spectators the operator will close the equipment and seek assistance from the event manager or hirer. The operator reserves the right to refuse admission to anyone they feel may be unsafe to partake in the activity.
Garden Games	Weather	In the event of unpleasant weather items to be used under a shelter or equipment to be placed indoors.	2	1	1	N/A
Garden Games	Emergency	In the event that someone is seriously injured. DO NOT move the individual, leave the inflatable switched on and dial 999 immediately.	1	5	5	N/A
Garden Games	Injury through 3rd party items and 3rd party bodies.	All shoes, glasses, jewellery, badges etc MUST be removed before using this equipment. Always ensure the area surrounding the inflatable is not overcrowded.	1	5	5	N/A

L=Likelihood S=Severity L*S= Risk 1=Low 5=High Risk is worked out using numbers 1 - 5.

The likelihood is given a number and this is multiplied by the number given to the severity of the risk. The result = the risk factor. This generic risk assessment is brief and we have our own individual assessments for each individual risk, 25 being the worst possible outcome, any item reaching 25 would give serious cause for concern & we would not be able to erect the unit. It is recommended that clients undertake their own risk assessment to suit their requirements.