

Kenwyn Parish Council Playing Fields Risk Assessment

Potential Hazards	Potential Accidents/Injuries	Persons at Risk	Risk Level H/M/L	Precautions taken to reduce risk of accident/injury
Trip Hazards	Cuts / abrasions, broken limbs, muscular skeletal and other physical injuries	All users of the play area most children and young people	H	Regular inspection and quick repair
Faulty Play Equipment	Cuts / abrasions, broken limbs, muscular skeletal and other physical injuries	All users of the play area most children and young people	H	Regular inspection and quick repair
Vandalised Play Equipment	Cuts / abrasions, broken limbs, muscular skeletal and other physical injuries	All users of the play area most children and young people	H	Regular inspection and quick repair
Animal Faeces	Danger from Dog Faeces – Toxicariasis, upset stomach, and distress	All users of the play area most children and young people	H	Regular inspection and removal of same as soon as possible, NO DOGS signs put in place and regular reports of offenders to the Dog Warden
Human Faeces	Illness and distress	All users of the play area most children and young people	H	Regular inspection and removal of same as soon as possible, clean down and sanitise
Smashed glass and sharp objects	Cuts and abrasions with possible infection	All users of the play area most children and young people	H	Regular inspection and removal as soon as possible
Needles and drugs	Infection Risk and serious danger to health	All users of the play area most children and young people	H	Regular inspection and removal as soon as possible.

				Report drug use to the Police
Cars manoeuvring	Fencing and gates to keep pedestrians and vehicles separate	All users of the play area most children and young people	H	Maintain fencing and physical barriers between pedestrians and vehicles

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