

RISK ASSESSMENT

DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY / EQUIPMENT

Sumo Suits

HAZARD	EXISTING CONTROL MEASURES	HARM (1-5)	LIKELY HOOD (1-5)	RISK (1-5)	FURTHER CONTROLS TO REDUCE RISK	RISK ACCEPTABLE Y/N
Users getting hurt from falling over	Ensure all users wear all safety equipment provided	1	2	1	ADULT SUPERVISION AT ALL TIMES	
Overloading	Only two participants are permitted to use the sumo wrestling ring at once	2	1	1	ADULT SUPERVISION AT ALL TIMES	
Over enthusiastic participants	No person deemed to be under the influence of drugs or alcohol to use the sumo wrestling	1	1	1	ADULT OPERATER MAKES FINAL DECISION	
Danger of unnecessary injury	Ensure that no one with a history of back or neck problems or who suffers from a heart complaint uses the sumo wrestling or anyone who is feeling unwell. Pregnant women may NOT use any equipment at anytime.	1	1	1	ADULT SUPERVISION AT ALL TIMES	
Combining adult and child wrestlers.	Wrestlers must be of similar size and wearing the same size sumo suit. Children and adults are not permitted to wrestle together.	2	2	1	ADULT SUPERVISION AT ALL TIMES	
RISK ASSESSMENT CARRIED OUT BY:			DATE:	ANY OTHER ACTION REQU.:		

THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS BASED ON MAUFACTURERS CRITERIA AND EXPERIENCE FROM EXTENSIVE USE OF EQUIPMENT.