

Thriftwood Scout Campsite Risk Assessment for:- **Site area in general.** Completed by C. Tilbrook Review Date 1/05/2026

Hazard	Risk	Possible actions	Action recommended	Review/comments
Motor Vehicles	Injury – Medium Damage - High	Speed limits. Signs. Speed humps. Ban vehicles. Restrict vehicles to car park.	Speed limits. Signs. Speed humps at entrance. Traffic calming measures	
Woodland - General	Fire - Low in Winter Medium in Summer	Fire buckets and beaters. Warning Note in brochure. Advise campers during hot dry spells. Evacuation procedure. Fire breaks.	Warning note in brochure. Advise campers during hot dry spells. Note. Specific evacuation procedure not possible owing, to nature of site, wind direction at time. Campers will be advised by Crew for any specific incident	
Woodland – Tree roots	Tripping - Low	Maintenance of footpaths. Regular inspections	Maintenance of footpaths. Regular inspections as per log	
Woodland – Falling trees	Injury – Medium Damage - Medium	Regular inspections. Removal of dead or dangerous trees	Regular inspections, as per log Removal of dead or dangerous trees Trained staff and external independent inspections.	
Building	Fire -Medium for Wooden buildings. Low for Brick built. Gas leaks - Medium. Electrocution.- Medium	Fire alarms in sleeping accommodation. Evacuation procedure. Emergency lighting. Fire extinguishers. Fire blankets. Annual checks and servicing of equipments and installations.	Fire alarms in sleeping accommodation. Evacuation procedure. Emergency lighting. Fire extinguishers. Fire blankets. Maintenance records kept Annual checks and servicing of equipment and installations	
Water contamination	Legionnaires disease -High	Maintain hot water supply at more than 60° C. Regular checks on water temperature. Regular cleaning of shower heads. Flushing through showers during periods of little use.	Maintain hot water supply at more than 60° C. Regular checks on water temperature as per log Regular cleaning of shower heads, as per log	

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Weils disease	Infection -High	Control rat population. Install monitoring stations. Instruct staff to recognise signs of rat habitat.	Control rat population. Install monitoring stations, as per log Instruct staff to recognise signs of rat habitat.	
Deep pond water	Drowning- Medium	Install signs warning of deep water, where necessary. Maintain safe bank edges. Install life belts. Note in brochure	Deep Water signs. Maintain safe bank edges. Life Belts installed. Warning note in brochure	