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Pedestrian All High impact from a vehicle.			<ul> <li>Please refer to the HCSC general site risk assessment and Green Beret event risk assessment as appropriate.</li> <li>The only need to use transport will be to drop and collect equipment.</li> <li>Course manager responsible to facilitate this.</li> </ul>				
Medical emergency.	All	Medium	<ul> <li>Please refer to the Green Beret event risk assessment as appropriate.</li> <li>Sufficient first aid cover is in place for the assault course.</li> <li>First aid kit available at the course start/finish line.</li> <li>Further assistance will be called from additional onsite first aid team including paramedic led medical support if required.</li> <li>The course manager will take the lead on any medical emergency on the course.</li> </ul>	Low			
Clients with additional abilities/pre- existing health issues.	All	Low	<ul> <li>Please refer to the Green Beret event risk assessment as appropriate.</li> <li>Start team to identify any issues at start line and communicate to all base teams where necessary regarding competitors that may need additional support.</li> </ul>	Low			
Unauthorised use of radio communication.	All radio operators	Low	Please refer to the Green Beret event risk assessment as appropriate.	Low			
Exposure.	All	Medium	<ul> <li>Please refer to the Green Beret event risk assessment as appropriate.</li> <li>If correct clothing is not worn and members of the assault course team feel that this is putting the team at increasing risk for exposure then the team will not be able to start the course and group leader contacted as appropriate.</li> </ul>	Low			
Incorrect information issued to participants/ staff	All	Low	<ul> <li>Safe operating practice has been written and provided to the staff by assault course manager.</li> <li>All information issued to those competing on the course will be explained in full prior to the team starting the course.</li> </ul>	Low			
Poor radio communication.	All	Low	<ul> <li>During the days leading up to Green Beret the necessary activities will take place to ensure adequate radio communication can be achieved.</li> <li>As a final resort, the mobile telephone numbers of all key personnel will be known and used to establish communication if possible.</li> <li>Mobile phone reception is usually good.</li> </ul>	Low			
Walking on road/crossings	All	Low	<ul> <li>To get to the start finish teams may need to cross or walk on the car park or road inside Tolmers.</li> <li>All teams will be in company with their own leaders and it is their responsibility to marshal their own teams to the start/finish.</li> <li>No team is to leave the start/finish line back to their campsite unless accompanied by their own leader.</li> </ul>				



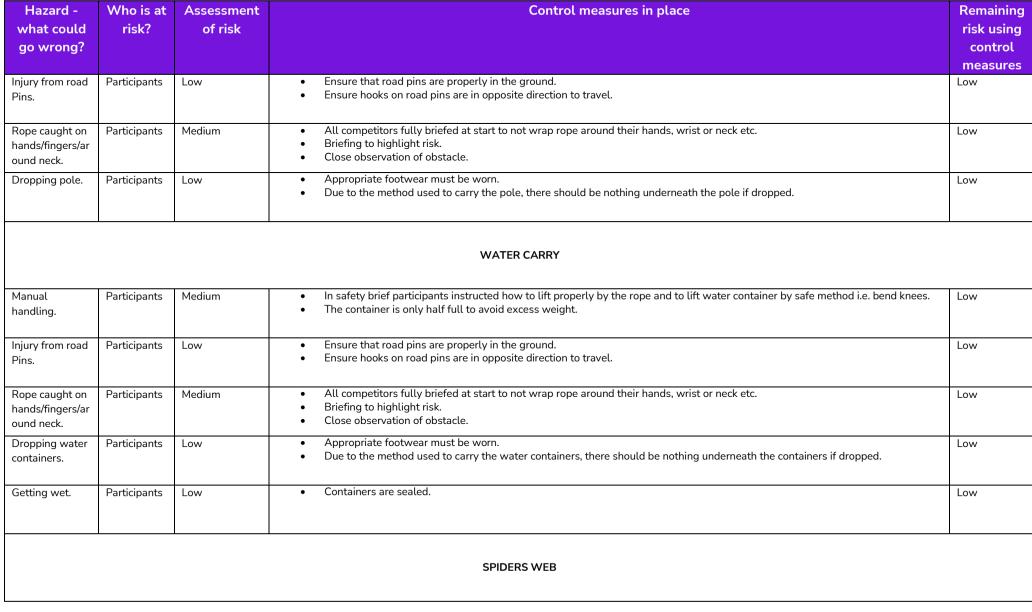
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Darkness	All	Medium	<ul> <li>Everyone will should be off the assault course by 16:00, therefore darkness should not be an issue.</li> <li>Set up and take down to be completed in daylight hours.</li> <li>If needed extra lighting can be placed at the start/finish to assist in the setup and pack down of the start/finish. Course manager to arrange if necessary.</li> </ul>	Low	
Manual handling – lifting and moving heavy and large items.	Αιι	Medium	Multi person lifts used for large or heavy items.	Low	
Exhaustion/tired ness.	Assault course team	Medium	<ul> <li>Staff rotated to allow rest to prevent exhaustion.</li> <li>Team numbers large enough to allow staff rotation.</li> <li>Indoor sleeping accommodation available for all assault course team volunteers.</li> </ul>	Low	
Participant access and egress from the bases area.	All	Low	Traffic free route from the main site to the bases area and it will be signposted.	Low	
Running- uneven ground	All	Medium	<ul> <li>Please refer to the HCSC general site risk assessment and Green Beret event risk assessment as appropriate.</li> <li>Assault course management team will check the outdoor assault course area and make sure that the surfaces suit the planned activities and are free of obstacles that may cause hazards.</li> <li>Assault course team have been directed to brief young people on what they need to do to complete each part of the assault course and that briefing will include appropriate behaviour.</li> <li>Participants advised at start of briefing that there is no need to run between bases.</li> <li>Assault course area reviewed for slip hazards by assault course management team in adverse weather events and areas cordoned off with hazard tape if waterlogged/slippery etc.</li> <li>Pathways between elements cleaned before start and clearly defined. Checked throughout day by roaming staff.</li> </ul>	Low	
Equipment failure	All	High	<ul> <li>Ensure that an hourly check is signed off to ensure the safety of the elements and note if any changes are made if issues found.</li> <li>If anything becomes unsafe during use the element is closed immediately and not reopened until it is reviewed by the event safety team.</li> </ul>	Low	
			SPECIFIC RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EACH ELEMENT		



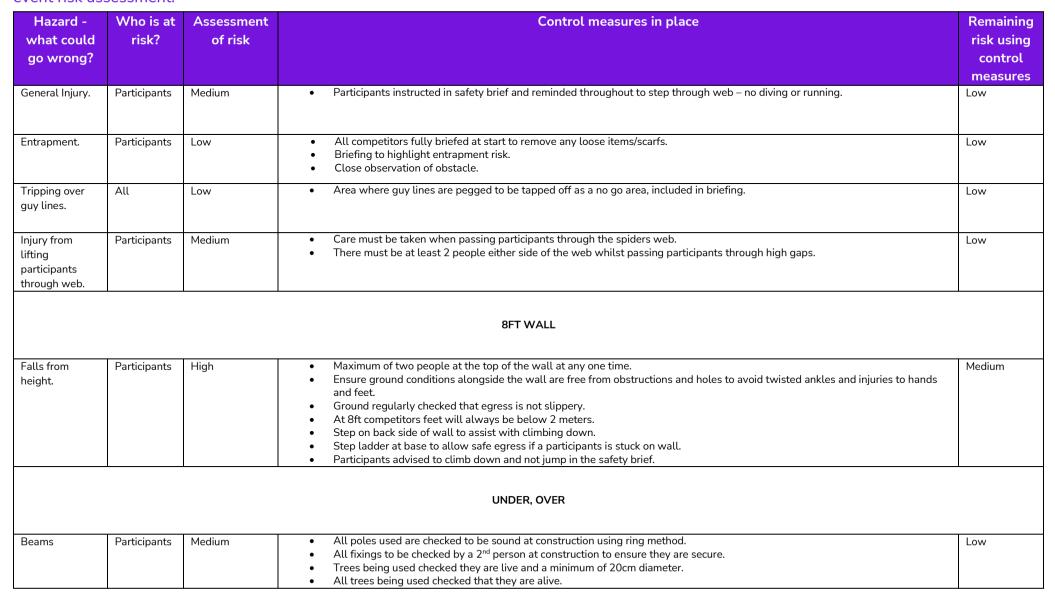
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Gazebo	All	Low	Ensure gazebo is erected properly with no trip hazards from guy lines etc.	Low			
082600	Au	Low	<ul> <li>All gazebos and tents to use guy lines and to be weighted in case of adverse weather.</li> </ul>	LOW			
			COMMANDO CRAWL				
Entrapment	Participants	Medium	<ul> <li>All competitors fully briefed at start to remove any loose items/scarfs.</li> <li>Briefing to highlight entrapment risk.</li> <li>Close observation of obstacle.</li> <li>Net regularly inspected to ensure in place and stakes are solid.</li> <li>All competitors reminded that if coming out sideways to ensure they are fully out before standing up.</li> </ul>	Low			
Bumping in to each other	Participants	Low	Limit of 1 person under the net at a time.	Low			
Abrasion injuries	Participants	Medium	<ul> <li>Ground checked before and during competition and any hazardous objects removed.</li> <li>Participants should be wearing a long sleeve top and trousers before going under the cargo net.</li> </ul>	Low			
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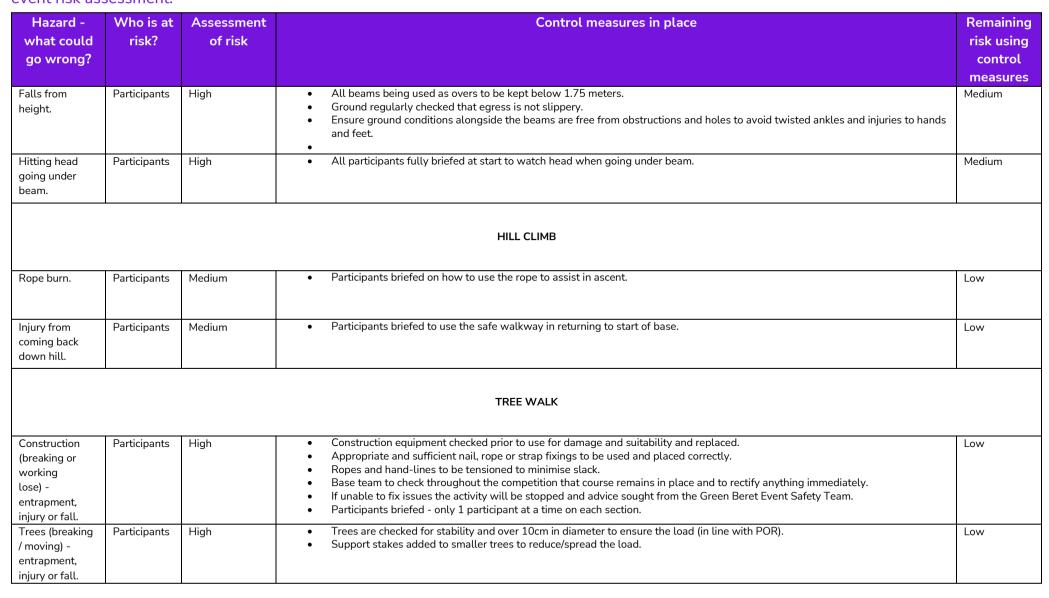
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Course height - trauma, fall, injury.	Participants	Medium	<ul> <li>Maximum foot height above the ground will be 600mm (as per EN-1176 and ROSPA guidelines for max fall height without crash mats etc).</li> <li>Base team to ensure landing zone is clear of hazards throughout the competition.</li> <li>Base team to follow participants around the course and provide support, encouragement, help where needed.</li> <li>Ladders available to assist and help competitors down if anyone is hurt or stuck.</li> </ul>	Low

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Time	7-8am	8-9am	9-10am	10-11am	11-12am	12-1pm	1-2pm	2-3pm	3-4pm
Any comments?									
Element leader sign off									
Assault course manager sign off									