

GENERAL HEALTH & SAFETY RISK ASSESSMENT FORM

Assessed By :
SD

Location:
Museum of Lakeland Life

Validated By:
HW

Assessment Ref No:
AH/002/09

Task / Premises Assessed:

Museum of Lakeland Life and surrounding areas

Hazard / Risk	Worst Case Outcome	Person (s) in danger	Risk Controls in Place	Further Action Necessary To Control Risk	Likelihood	Severity	Adequacy of Controls
Collision with vehicle in car park	Fatality	All visitors, especially children Staff	Teachers to supervise children at all times. Staff meet groups on coach and move to another area quickly H & S talk on arrival to groups		Possible	Extreme	Fair
Fall into Blind Beck	Death by drowning	Children	Teachers to supervise children at all times. Rosebushes act as barrier School groups supervised when on site.		Possible	Extreme	Fair
Trip on concrete slab on oval lawn	Head injury Broken bones	All visitors, especially children	Teachers to supervise children at all times. Groups supervised when walking across car park		Possible	Severe	Adequate

			Children not to run in car park area				
Colliding with glass entrance doors	Head injury Cuts Bruises	All visitors	Adhesive 'flower' markers on both sides of door Staff at reception during opening hours Stickers stuck on to the glass doors		Possible	Serious	Good
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Trip over concrete step by entrance gate	Broken bones Bruises Head injury	All visitors	Groups moved away from the area H & S talks on arrive Step painted white		Possible	Serious	Good
Slip/trip from viewing platforms	Broken bones Bruises Head injury	Children	Teachers to supervise children at all times. Grips to avoid slipping H & S talks on arrival Hand Rail		Possible	Serious	Good
Colliding with collection items on display	Bruises	All visitors	Teachers to supervise children at all times. H & S talks on arrival		Possible	Minor	Good
Trap fingers in bobbin lathe	Broken bones	Children	H & S talk Teachers to supervise children at all times. Mechanisms locked and fixed		Possible	Serious	Good

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Fall from main staircase	Broken bones Head injuries	All visitors	Teachers to supervise children at all times. Slip grip on steps Hand rails and railings fitted		Possible	Serious	Good
Knock head on mining entrance	Head injury	Adult visitors and taller children	Warning signage Teachers to supervise children at all times.		Possible	Minor	Good
Trip on small step by doll display	Head injury Broken bones	All	Hand rails Groups supervised in area Teachers to divide large groups into smaller groups	Fix slip grips on steps	Possible	Serious	Fair
Collide with spiral staircase on loom area	Bruises Head injury	All visitors	Stairs cordoned off Stairs painted sliver to stand out		Possible	Minor	Good
Trip on step up to temporarily display area	Broken bones bruises Head injury	All visitors	Step painted white to stand out		Possible	Serious	Good

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Trip or fall on step into Victorian bedroom	Broken bones Head injury Bruises	All visitors	Step painted white to stand out		Possible	Serious	Good
Trip or fall on slate step into kitchen area	Broken bones Bruises Head injury	All visitors	Step painted white for visual effect. Large groups split into smaller groups to avoid big crowds		Possible	Serious	Good
Fall in bedroom/parlour due to low light levels	Head injury Broken bones	All visitors	Anti slip grips underneath rag rugs H&S talks on arrival		Possible	Serious	Fair
Collide with display cases and cupboards in museum shop	Bruises	All visitors	Teachers to supervise children at all times. Large group split into smaller groups H&S talk on arrival for groups		Possible	Minor	Good