

**Risk Assessment**  
**General use of the quarry during the Covid-19 pandemic**  
**(where use of the quarry is not prohibited)**

**Who is at risk?**

Classification	Description / Examples	Risks
CLUB	MEMBERS AND GUESTS	Spread of the Sars-Cov-2 virus via airborne transmission or contact with potentially contaminated surfaces.
VISITORS	ARCHERS FROM OTHER CLUBS	
PUBLIC	OTHER PERSONS WHO MAY ENTER UNAUTHORISED	

**FOR THE PROTECTION OF ALL, NO-ONE IS TO ATTEND THE CLUB:**

- **IF THEY ARE FEELING AT ALL UNWELL;**
- **IF THEY ARE SHOWING SYMPTOMS OF CORONAVIRUS;**
- **IF THEY OR ANY OF THEIR HOUSEHOLD ARE SELF-ISOLATING;**
- **IF THEY ARE SHIELDING A VULNERABLE PERSON AT HOME**

**FOR SAFETY AND INSURANCE PURPOSES,  
THERE MUST BE A MINIMUM OF TWO MEMBERS ON-SITE BEFORE SHOOTING CAN TAKE PLACE**



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No.	Hazard Description	Who is at risk?	Hazard likelihood	Possible Severity	Pre-control Risk	Control	Hazard likelihood	Possible Severity	Post-control Risk
1	Spread of Sars-Cov-2 virus - parking and gathering areas	Club, visitors	2	3	6	<p>Although the strict requirement of a minimum of 2m (6ft) [or 1m+ (3ft+)] with additional precautions, e.g. no direct face to face conversation] has been relaxed when meeting with friends, and the outdoor environment reduces the risk of virus transmission, social distancing when mixing with others outside your household is still recommended.</p> <p>It is up to each individual to consider the risks to themselves and others, being respectful of any concerns of others, and exercise caution when meeting as a group.</p> <p>The maximum number of people who may meet in a single group is strictly limited to 30.</p>	1	2	2
2	Spread of Sars-Cov-2 virus - practice range	Club, visitors	2	3	6	<p>Although the strict requirement of a minimum of 2m (6ft) [or 1m+ (3ft+)] with additional precautions, e.g. no direct face to face conversation] has been relaxed when meeting with friends, and the outdoor environment reduces the risk of virus transmission, social distancing when mixing with others outside your household is still recommended.</p> <p>It is up to each individual to consider the risks to themselves and others with regards to the numbers using the range at any one time, being respectful of any concerns of other archers, and exercise caution when using the practice range.</p>	1	2	2



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3	Spread of Sars-Cov-2 virus via airborne transmission - walking the course	Club, visitors	2	3	6	<p>Although the strict social distancing requirement of a minimum of 2m (6ft) [or 1m+ (3ft+)] with additional precautions, e.g. no direct face to face conversation] has been relaxed when meeting with friends, and the outdoor environment reduces the risk of virus transmission, social distancing when mixing with others outside your household is still recommended.</p> <p>It is up to each individual to consider the risks to themselves and others, being respectful of any concerns of others in the group, and exercise caution when moving around the course in a group.</p>	1	2	2
4	Spread of Sars-Cov-2 virus - targets and backstops	Club, visitors	2	3	6	<p>Although the strict social distancing requirement of a minimum of 2m (6ft) [or 1m+ (3ft+)] with additional precautions, e.g. no direct face to face conversation] has been relaxed when meeting with friends, and the outdoor environment reduces the risk of virus transmission, social distancing when mixing with others outside your household is still recommended.</p> <p>It is up to each individual to consider the risks to themselves and others, being respectful of any concerns of other archers in the group, and exercise caution when gathering at pegs and targets/backstops.</p> <p>Archers should be mindful of what shared surfaces are touched and maintain regular hand-sanitisation when attending the club. If an archer pulls arrows from a target/ backstop for other archers in a group, the subsequent use of hand-sanitiser is advised unless they have pulled the arrows wearing gloves.</p>	1	3	3
5	Spread of Sars-Cov-2 virus - gates and padlocks	Club, visitors, public	2	3	6	<p>Hand sanitiser is recommended after handling gates and padlocks. Alternatively, gloves may be worn when handling these.</p> <p>If desired, gates/ padlocks to be touched may be wiped down before/after handling using a cleansing/ disinfectant wipe (or cleansing/ disinfectant spray which is then wiped over the surfaces that have been touched).</p>	1	3	3



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6	Spread of Sars-Cov-2 virus - containers	Club, visitors	2	3	6	Containers may be occupied by a maximum of SIX people at a time provided the door is kept open for ventilation.  It is up to each individual to consider the risks to themselves and others when occupying a container, being respectful of any concerns of other archers present and maintaining social distancing wherever possible.	1	2	2
7	Spread of Sars-Cov-2 virus - toilets	Club, visitors	2	3	6	Toilet facilities may be used provided hand sanitisation is carried out afterwards. If desired, contact surfaces may be wiped down using a cleansing/ disinfectant wipe (or cleansing/ disinfectant spray which is then wiped over the surfaces that have been touched).	1	3	3
8	Spread of Sars-Cov-2 virus - vehicles	Club	2	3	6	If the use of the club Landrover is required, it should be used by a single occupant only, with the driver's window opened for ventilation. Hand sanitiser should be used afterwards.  Additionally, if desired, before and/or after using the Landrover, all interior surfaces, switches, etc, around the driver's seat, including handbrake, gearstick, the seat itself and interior of the door, as well as the edges of the door, the exterior door-handle and keys, may be wiped down using one or more cleansing/ disinfectant wipes (or cleansing/ disinfectant spray which is then wiped over the surfaces that have been touched).  It is recommended that individual archers and household groups travelling together should use hand-sanitiser prior to entering their vehicles to leave the quarry.	1	3	3

Additional Notes / Amendments:

**Assessor sign:** Chris Halls **Print name:** Chris Halls **Date:** 19/05/2021

**Implemented by:** Rick Bellars **Position:** Club Chairman



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			SEVERITY		
			Trivial injury	Minor injury	Major injury
			LOW (1)	MEDIUM (2)	HIGH (3)
PROBABILITY and LIKELYHOOD	Unlikely	1	1	2	3
	Likely	2	2	4	6
	Highly likely	3	3	6	9

1. The risk is assessed as high if the value is 7 to 9 (**Red**)

It is unacceptable for this level of risk to remain and additional measures shall be put into place.

2. The risk is assessed as medium if the value is 4 to 6 (**Amber**).

This activity can only take place with committee authorisation & additional measures should be looked at.

3. The risk is assessed as low if the value is 1 to 3 (**Green**).

The activity can take place & no additional measures are required

Trivial injury: Basic 1<sup>st</sup> Aid or not requiring treatment at all

Minor injury: 1<sup>st</sup> Aid and / or Requiring professional medical attention or trip to hospital

Major injury: Disabling, life threatening or fatal