

Risk Assessment ID

4

Trip/Fall

Work Activity

Walking around park on paths

Nature of Risk

Trip/Fall

Group at Risk

Visitors and All staff

Brief Description

Due to the high volume of waterfowl at the attraction all paths are liable to have bird faeces on them that may be slippery, in particular the path running alongside the lake.

Probability

2

3 = Certain  
2 = Likely  
1 = Unlikely

Severity

2

3 = Major  
2 = Moderate  
1 = Minor

Risk Rating

4

6-9 = High  
4 = Medium  
1-3 = Low

Reduction Activity

- Daily checks are undertaken to ensure path surface is in a serviceable condition and free from damage or slip hazards.
- Animal faeces are to be removed and washed away. There are many accessible hoses around the park that have been introduced for this reason.
- Where maintenance is required this is undertaken as soon as is practicable. Until maintenance can be carried out signage will be put in place to alert the public of any hazards. This is not necessary for the bird faeces.

Revised Probability

1

3 = Certain  
2 = Likely  
1 = Unlikely

Revised Severity

2

3 = Major  
2 = Moderate  
1 = Minor

Revised Risk Rating

2

6-9 = High  
4 = Medium  
1-3 = Low

Recommendations

- All staff to report any uneven surface
- All staff to remove high levels of bird faeces when possible.

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Date of Assessment/Review

Reviewed Annually