COVID-19 restarting face-to-face Scouts risk assessment

Name of section or activity	CRESTA	RUN	Date of risk assessment	01/06/2023	Name of person doing this risk assessment	Luke Joseph	COVID-19 readiness level	See Covid Alert notification
What hazard have you identified? What are the risks from it?		Who is at risk?	Risk Level: Low – L Medium – M High - H	How are the risks already controlled? What extra controls are needed?			What's changed that needs to be thought about and controlled?	
Structural failure		Participants	L	 Tracks and starting platform to be inspected before session. In event of structural failure refer or Emergency Action Plan (EAP) for structural failure. Check return path. 				
Equipment failure		Participants	L	All equipment to be inspected before setting up and logged in accordance with the site inspection and replacement policy.				
Participants failing to break		Participants	М	 All participants will be instructed how to break correctly before they can go down the run. All participants must be able to use the breaks. Participants requested to adhere to the break signs on the track. First Aid kit will be present for the duration of the sessions. Check use before decent. 				
Weather: sessions may All involve become dangerous due to adverse weather conditions		All involved	М	Sessions may have to be cancelled during periods of heavy rain and storms.				

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Hazards arising from the			1.	Group leader to ensure that all group members stay off the tracks	
actions of group members	All	L		during sessions.	
i.e.	involved		2.	Return path to be specified in session notes!	
Unauthorised entry onto the			3.	Visual check for bystanders in danger area before letting the	
tracks during session.				participant go.	
Falling down the bankng			4.	Braking instructions included in session notes, group leader to ensure	
Participant hitting another				all participants understand how to brake before they are let go.	
person on the way down.			5.	Helmets must be worn by participants.	
Participant stopping hard			6.	Check helmet before each run.	
Hazards arising from the	All		1.	Group leader must be present during sessions.	
actions of group members	involved	L	2.	Management have final say on group size and may restrict size of	
i.e. Overcrowding Disorderly				group or amount of people in the waiting area at their discretion.	
behaviour.			3.	Group leader must ensure the good behaviour of the group throughout	
				the session.	

The following precautions apply when Covid alert is changed from Green

Hygiene Risk of Spread	All	L	 Hand sanitizer provided to be used by participant before and after each use of equipment. Handbrake and seat to be wiped after session. 	
Social Distancing	All	L	Leaders to manage and enforce social distancing of the group.	
Track and Trace	All	L	The Group to provide Hesley Wood with a list of participants in each activity group, to be retained for 21 days. Group Leader to notify Hesley Wood if any participant becomes a confirmed Covid-19 case after event.	

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Line Manager	Operations Director	Executive	County Chair	(x)
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