

## ES PROMOTIONS RISK ASSESSMENT



**Risk Assessment of: Medieval Stocks**

Risk	Existing Controls	Liklihood 1 - 5	Severity 1 – 5	Risk Score L x S	Further Action to Take
Over Enthusiastic Participants	Responsible person supervising at all times	2	1	2	With prior notice of large numbers attending the event additional trained operators can be supplied at an extra fee.
Unruly Behaviour	The operator’s decision is final, refusal to abide by the operators guidance will result in game refusal & in extreme circumstances closure of the unit.	1	2	2	None
Slipping/ falling on wet floor	If playing area gets wet, it must be dried or players take extra care getting into / out of stocks.	2	1	2	None
Injury of participant through standing in awkward position	Participants should only be in the stocks for a limited amount of time (dependant on players age, size etc). The stocks should never be locked and the person in them should be able to free themselves at all times.	3	2	6	Due to the nature of this game, we ask that only physically fit players take part, e.g. no person with heart, neck or back conditions or pregnant women.
Injury of participant from 3 <sup>rd</sup> party items.	We advise that only light sponges should be thrown at person in stocks. Under no circumstances should heavy objects be thrown as this will cause injury.	1	4	4	Please nominate a responsible adult to supervise use of the stocks.
Injury from stocks on participant.	Participant should be comfortable in the stocks, if they feel too tight or cause any pain they should vacate them immediately. Stocks are regularly checked to ensure no splinters or faults occur.	2	1	2	None
Danger of unnecessary Injury	Ensure that no one uses the equipment who suffers from neck or back problems, heart complaints, is feeling unwell, suffering effects of alcohol of drugs or pregnant.	1	5	5	Players with the listed conditions who still wish to play <u>do so at their own risk</u> . However the operator has the right to refuse service to anyone they deem as a safety threat.
Injury of stocks falling over	Stocks will be built and bolted together, players should not lean through stocks too far.	1	5	5	Players will be assisted getting into and out of stocks by a responsible adult.

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L=Likelihood S=Severity L X S = Risk Score with 1 = Lowest Risk and 25 = Highest

Risk and likelihood are worked out using numbers 1-5. These are then multiplied to give the risk score. We recommend that clients undertake their own risk assessment to suit individual needs.

We strive to have no risk score over 10 and anything over 20 would result in ES Promotions not running the kit.



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