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Salisbury Plain Training Area 100km challenge from 20 to 24 September 2021 Risk Assessment (RA)

Introduction

This RA is produced Salisbury Plain Training Area 100km challenge 20 to 24 September and forms part of the exercise action safety plan (EASP)

Acknowledgement to the Ramblers Group walks RA, which has been used as a basis for this document.

Event

Data of walk	20 Sep	21 Sep	22 Sep	23 Sep	24 Sep	24 Sep MND
Date of recce by walk event safety officer (Mike Martin)	19 Jun 21	6 Aug 21	15 Aug 21	12 Aug 21	31 Jul 21	26 Jun 21
Walk leader	Neil Dalton	Mark Waring	Judith Williams	Mark Waring	Judith Williams	David Rose
Walk second	Judith Williams	Neil Dalton	Keith Cooper	Judith Williams	Neil Dalton	Pam Fry MND Association
Date of recce by walk lead	7 Sep 21	6 Aug 21	16 Sep 21	12 Aug 21	17 Sep 21	26 Jun 21

RA Walks 20 -24 Sep 21 0830 – 1800 hrs

Possible hazards	Who might be harmed and how	Ways to control	Action taken
Bad weather, including extreme temperatures	Walker's risk of illness and injury.	• Check weather forecast and postpone or cancel a necessary	Y
		• Advise walkers to bring suitable clothing and items for the conditions.	Y
		• Advise walkers to bring sufficient water and provide backup to extra supplies	Y
Car parking	Drivers and walkers risk as cars enter or leave the car park.	Marshals in the car park to advise where to park and warn walkers	Y
Busy roads.	Walkers at risk of vehicle collisions.	• Only cross a designated crossing points. All crossing points are at designated tank crossings	Y
		• Crossing points to be marshalled with individuals in high viz vests.	Y
		• On Thursday 23 rd September. The "Packway" road to the west of Larkhill Garrison is out of bounds and the route	Y

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		follows a separate track, follow the instructions of the walk lead all	
Steep, slippery or muddy sections	Walkers at risk of trips and slips	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Check for muddy/ slippery sections on recce and adapt route if necessary, advise walkers as they approach these sections to be careful. 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advise walkers to wear suitable footwear 	Y
Cliffs or drops	Walkers at risk of falls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Check participle for group use safely. 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow any local warnings or signs and advise walkers to keep away from edge 	Y
Livestock	Walkers at risk of injury.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Risk of property damage if livestock escape. 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cross fields calmly and quietly, keeping group. Be prepared to divert. 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow the countryside code. The gates and property as you find them 	Y
Military training	Walkers risk of injury or danger.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow all MoD signs 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do not enter range danger areas. 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do not pick up any military debris or items that you cannot identify. Report to Walk lead 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow the instructions of any MOD training area marshals who will identify themselves. 	Y
Transmission of COVID through close contact and meeting people.	Walkers and support staff - risk of spreading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Avoid congregating together at start and finish point. 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Information about group size in line with government guidance. 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Travel to and from site in small groups. 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Confirm contact details at start point. 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bring own sanitiser/use that provided by organisers 	Y
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do not share food, drink or equipment where possible. 	Y

RA East Hill Farm – 24 Sep 21 11.00 – 1400 hrs

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Farm traffic	Drivers and walkers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief all who arrive at EHF 	Y

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Farm employees briefed on the event by visit and letter and follow up call by Mike Martin 	
MND route 24 Sep only	MND personnel taken ill	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MND A staff will coordinate any medical requirements with their carers. 	Y
MND route 24 Sep only	Wheelchairs turnover	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Additional marshals will accompany the wheelchair and other MND participants. Supervised by MND A team. 	
Mixing military traffic with event civilian cars/ WAVs on Southern Range Road	Drivers or military units on foot	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All vehicles clearly briefed on dos and don'ts by Point B team (Julian Panton/ Matthew Bailey) and 600m route to follow 	

RA West Hill Farm – 24 Sep 21 0830 – 1500 hrs

Possible hazards	Who might be harmed and how	Ways to control	Action taken
Accidents arising from any activity on the site – trips, slips etc	Attendees	<p>Mark Waring will manage the event from start to finish, and will act as the general safety marshal to ensure that everything is conducted in a safe manner</p> <p>Any identified hazard areas will be marked</p>	Y
Car parking	Drivers and walkers risk as cars enter or leave the car park.	<p>Marshals in the car park to advise where to park and warn walkers</p> <p>Designated vehicle parking areas for WAVs and other vehicles</p>	Y Y
Use of Berco boilers by Elio to make hot drinks	Elio staff Attendees wanting a hot drink	Ensure Bercos are placed on the table to avoid burns	

Signed

DJ Rose