

# SKY'S THE LIMIT ENTERTAINMENT

## RISK ASSESSMENT - Wipe Out Balls

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Hazard	Risk	Existing Controls	Likelihood 1 - 5	Severity 1 - 5	Risk Score 1 - 5	Further Action
Wipe-Out Balls	Over enthusiastic participants	Responsible person to supervise at all times	1	2	2	If event has a large attendance more supervisors should be supplied to assist
Wipe-Out Balls	Over crowding	Responsible person to supervise at all times Strictly only one person using the equipment at any time User must evacuate unit before another user climbs steps	1	1	1	Reinforce number of users guidelines Supervisor to control user ingress & egress
Wipe-Out Balls	Danger of falling from height	Responsible person to supervise at all times Only use balls as the activity All other parts of the unit are only for entering and dismounting	2	2	1	None
Wipe-Out Balls	Adverse weather	Equipment not to be used in high winds over 24mph (includes gusts) and during heavy rain	2	2	1	Quarantine unit from use or deflate until conditions improve
Wipe-Out Balls	Injury from hard surfaces	Use on a grassed area using industry standard stakes Use approved thunder bolts on hard standing and use matting Use sand bags indoors and use matting	1	1	1	None
Wipe-Out Balls	Injury from poor supervision	Responsible person to supervise at all times Do not use without adequate supervisors present	1	2	2	If event has a large attendance more supervisors should be supplied to assist Deflate equipment if supervision not present
Wipe-Out Balls	Tripping over anchor points / auxiliary equipment	Anchor points installed to manufactures guidance. Additional equipment stored away. Power cables to be positioned /covered appropriately	1	1	2	None
Wipe-Out Balls	Injury through incorrect positioning	Equipment installed correctly in a safe position. Never attempt to reposition the unit	-	-	-	None
Wipe-Out Balls	Choking	No foods / chewing gum / drinks allowed on the equipment	1	2	1	None
Wipe-Out Balls	Third party injury	Remove shoes, eye glasses, jewellery, badges and lanyards. All drinking containers to be positioned away from play areas	2	2	2	None
Wipe-Out Balls	Historical injury	No user should have a history of back or neck problems, have heart issues, is pregnant, is under the influence of drugs /drink or feeling unwell	1	2	1	None
Wipe-Out Balls	Inflation with combustion engine/gennie	No Smoking. Spare fuel to be located in a locked store. Fencing installed around plant area.	1	2	1	None
Wipe-Out Balls	Emergency	In the event of a serious injury do not move the individual and call First Aid / dial 999	1	2	1	None