

RISK ASSESSMENT

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TOAD PATROL:

TOAD PATROLLER:

DATE:

Hazard	Nature of Risk	Degree of Risk	Prevention/control measure	Adjusted degree of risk
Your local issues				
Issues common to most patrols – please add detail where relevant				
Cold wet and windy weather	Cold and chill, potential for hypothermia and confusion. Slips on wet roads.	Moderate	Advise all patrollers to wear warm waterproof clothing and sturdy shoes or boots and read 'Staying Safe' section.	Low.
Dark	Risk of walking into potholes, brambles, steep slopes and other hazards, risk of getting lost	Moderate	Advise all patrollers to carry a strong torch and visit the site during the day to check for hazards	Low
Traffic	Risk of road accidents, either with a car or causing a collision.	High	Advise all patrollers to wear hi vis clothing and carry a torch. Take care crossing the road, read the 'Staying Safe' section. Other local advice –added above. Park safely in pre-designated area – above	Moderate
Infections	Risk of tetanus and other infections from water, soil, amphibians etc.	Moderate	Cover cuts with waterproof plasters. Carry first aid kit.	
Strangers	Risk of verbal abuse, or attack	Low	Note any concerns above. Advise all patroller to remain professional and courteous.	

I(insert volunteer name), have read, understand and will take action to prevent/control for the above risks and I understand that I am not obliged to undertake this voluntary work. Signed: (OR CONFIRM BY EMAIL)

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