

Tools – Bill Hook Risk Assessment

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	Hazard	Persons at Risk	Existing Preventative Measures	Probability (P) 1-5	Severity (S) 1-5	Rating (P) x (S) 1-25	What measures need to be taken	By who/confirmation of understanding or completion
1	Injury during Bill Hook transportation	Children and staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All Bill Hooks are kept in sheaths when not being used Bill Hooks are kept in tool box when not being used 	2	2	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure group have a full understanding on how to carry the tool correctly Model to the group how to walk/carry the tool 	The Leader
2	Bill Hook slipping during use	Children and staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tool maintenance to keep Bill Hook sharp and useable No glove worn to prevent slipping 	3	4	12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure the group have a full understanding on how to position the tool correctly when using it so if a slip occurs it will not make contact with any member of the group 	The Leader

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3	Bill Hook bouncing off	Children and staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tool maintenance to keep Bill Hook sharp and useable • no glove worn to prevent slipping 	4	3	12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure the group have a full understanding on how to position the tool correctly when using it to reduce the likelihood of the tool bouncing and ensuring no contact with any member of the group • Ensure the group know to use the respect position when using the tool 	The Leader
4	Bill Hook blade snapping	Children and staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular and effective maintenance of tools 	1	3	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure group know that if a problem occurs with the tool it should be reported immediately to the leader so it can be decommissioned 	The Leader