



Name of activity	Water Homing		Reference number							
Location of activity	Lake Windermere		Ratio for activity			2:12, maximum one group being supervised				
Level of qualification needed to lead	Activity lead in the type of craft and location being used and in-house training and assessment directed H+S Team									
This document must be read in conjunction with	The risk assessment for the type of craft being used and the water sports generic risk assessment and water homing activity standard operating procedures and craft specific SOPs									
Key: L – Likelihood, S – Severity, R – Risk						Risk Score 1- 2 = Low 3- 4 = Medium 5- 6 = High				
Activity Description	Foreseeable Hazard	Who might be harmed and how?	L	S	R	Control measures	L	S	R	
Journeying	Conditions	Participants may fall out of boat or capsize	2	3	5	Group skilful enough to deal with conditions Staff shadow group and provide support if needed Activity adjusted to suit conditions Canoe or Safety boat used Group briefed on distance to paddle from shore- inside buoys/islands	1	2	3	
Journeying	Behaviour	Participants may have behavioural issues with each other or 'break the set paddling/journeying rules'	2	2	4	Group used to working together Staff shadow group Staff to make appropriate decisions	1	2	3	



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Journeying	Accident / incident	Participants	2	2	4	Group briefed to hazards Staff shadows group Staff to ensure they are in an effective position to rescue in whilst shadowing the group.	1	2	3
Journeying	Losing group	Participants by getting lost	2	2	4	Staff shadow group Safety boat used. Group to be briefed on sticking together. Group briefed on maximum distance from each other if multiple boats are used.	1	2	3
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