

Paddock Pals Work Party		Risk Assessment		Sunday 05/02/2023		10.00am -12.00pm	
The Risk assessment for the Pals work party is given below – Though restrictions have been lifted, be thoughtful of others and keep a good distance from others when working.				Avoid sharing work equipment by allocating it on a personal basis. Otherwise keep those you are issued with and clean after use			
Basic first aid kit on site, including bottled water to flush any objects in eyes and anti bacterial handwash			Location – Ketley Paddock Mound, Meet at ten at the garden of rest tool shed, TF1 5ET, or find the group working through site, mainly on the paths, down to canal and around the lost pool.				
Task	Hazards	Measures & precaution: Verbally, at start of session;	Risk rating				
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1	Check condition of paths throughout site, especially steps down to the canal, rake away any leaves to keep steps from being slippy, and the edges so that any heavy rain doesn't wash mud onto steps.	Cuts, scratches. Slipping on wet leaves	Care on steps, ensure you wear footwear with good grip. Care when using long handled tools – i.e. rakes, be aware of others working, and careful not to catch rakes in chicken wire step protectors. Use spall spades / trowel along edge of steps	1	1	1	
2	Collect litter	Cuts/infection	Care with any cut glass, wear gloves and use litter picker	1	1	1	

1-4 Probability score 1-5 x severity score 1-5 = risk rating total 1-4 = low risk 5-10 = medium risk 15-25 high risk

Severity			Probability	
outcome	example	score	Outcome	score
Minor	Bruising, minor cuts / abrasions, irritation to skin / eyes	1	Unlikely	1
Serious	Loss of consciousness, broken bones, injury of 3 days	2	Possible	2
Major	Permanent disability, major notifiable injury or disease	3	Probable	3
Fatal	death	4	Highly probable	4