Amber Valley School Sport Partnership Risk Assessment

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| Activity  | Futsal |
| Reviewed  | December 2016  |

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| Risk of Injury  | Low Risk – No real medical attention required such as slight graze Medium Low Risk – Need for some assistance, athlete able to continue but may need something such as ice pack for relief Medium Risk – When an athlete requires more than ice treatment such as first aid equipment required for any cuts and bruises and if in a centre trained site site called High Risk – Need for external first aid such as ambulance services  |

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| Note to schools  | Whilst the AVSSP aim to ensure that facilities and activities are safe and appropriate to ensure that all athletes leave the competition / event / day safely it is the RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SCHOOL to ensure that all children remain in their care and practice safely whilst in attendance. A school responsibility will include the following which isn’t an exhaustive list; - toilet runs, safe practice when non participating, signing in and out, photo and medical consent , appropriate clothing and safety equipment such as shin guards.  |

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| Hazard  | Likelihood 1 Low – 10 High | Risk of Injury  | Control Measures  | Last know occurrence / expected number in last 12 months |
| Students accessing the centre, trip or fall when making their way to the centre.  | 2 / 10  | LR | Students are to be with the school teacher / designated career for the pupils and should walk through the centres with care. The centres will have risk assessment for the students walking to and from the centre.  | Not occurred1 per annum |
| Trips, Slips and falls without equipment  | 2/10 | MLR | If no equipment is being used for an activity then the area will be checked for water or other slip hazards. Activity leaders will keep a check on any shoelaces untied and ask for these to be retied. Any bags etc will be, where possible, stowed out of the way of activities such as behind goals or off the field of play | January 2016 4 per annum  |
| Trips, Slips and falls from equipment  | 3/10  | MLR  | Any equipment will be checked by the activity lead for safety. Equipment will be set up in accordance to the guidelines that they came with along with knowledge and experience on the safest practice for young people. Students will be allowed to utilise the equipment if accompanied by an adult or sports leader.  | Not occurred recently 2 per annum  |
| Injuries during warm up, clashes, balls hitting other athletes etc  | 6/10  | MR  | Activity leads will aim to ensure that children are supervised by an adult or at least a sports leader. Students to ideally have their own designated area for warming up and also be aware of any other teams warming up. Activity leads will keep an eye on safe practice and stop any teams/athlete who may be warming up in an unsafe manner such as ‘kicking a ball towards and group of people’.  | Not occurred 1 per annum  |
| Toilets – children integrating with members of public and unsafe situations  | 1/10  | LR  | Children will be advised of the toilet areas but will have to inform their school staff / designated lead on where they are going. It will then be a school decision to allow student/s to go to the toilets. In the majority of cases the centre is either shut off to the event or will be very busy with other children and parents. Any situation that staff feel is unsafe for children should be flagged up immediately.  | Not occurred 0 per annum  |
| Evacuation  | 0.5/10  | LR | AVSSP staff to lead on any evacuation that is required and communicate with staff, parents and athletes. AVSSP will take the lead of the centre staff and management regarding the procedures at the time as these could vary. Athletes will be the responsibility of the school and will be lead to the designated areas outside of the building by AVSSP staff.  | Not occurred 0 per annum  |
| Leaving the facility  | 0.5/10  | LR  | Children / adults cause problems such as trip hazards or trips with one another when leaving the facility due to numbers trying to leave at once. An announcement will be made to ensure that safety is given to leaving the facility both inside and outside if appropriate and based on numbers attending.  | Not occurred 0 per annum  |
| Injury resulting in banners, flags and speakers etc  | 0.5 / 10  | LR | Children pulling on the banners, flags and speaker stands resulting in various injuries. Warnings will be given to children on such equipment and safe practice. Where possible speakers stands will be kept out of the way of children and ‘coned’ off to avoid children from trying to access the stands and speakers.  | Not occurred 0 per annum  |
| Injury resulting from Equipment/faulty equipment/incorrect equipment (general) | 3/10 | MR | All equipment is checked by event organiser, equipment replaced if deemed unsafe, equipment used is appropriate for age related activities. | Not occurred0 per annum |

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| Activity Specific  | FutsalAlfreton LC | Last know occurrence / expected number in last 12 months |
| Ball injuries(Ball to the face, bending fingers back, ball to the stomach etc) | 5/10  | MLR  | Participants and schools are aware of the risks, referee’s will officiate the game responsibly and accordingly to ensure safety of all participants. Given the nature of the game and the contact nature and the external equipment injuries cannot be fully mitigated against, but the above procedures will minimise these occurrences.  | Not occurred 2 per annum  |
| Children clash in a challenge | 1/10  | LR  | Rules will be clearly set out before the commencement of any games, no slidetackles will be allowed reducing the risk of a dangerous challenge. If organisers deem a player to be a safety risk they will ask for a permanent substitution until the player has calmed down | Not occurred 0 per annum  |
| Over exertion in games | 1/10  | LR  | In the majority of cases games will be relatively short allowing for players of most fitness levels to participate safely. All formats of competition will allow for roll on/off substitutions mitigating the need for players to over exert themselves, school staff will also be responsible for their own children and should have an understanding of their relative fitness levels/health problems  | Not occurred0 per annum |
| Collision with posts/goals including becoming tangled with the netting | 1/10 | LR | Warnings will be given to children who are using the goals inappropriately such as swinging from crossbar etc. Warnings will also be given out to ensure no player becomes tangled in the netting and games will be stopped if it does happen to mitigate any further risk. Any observers will be requested to move at the end of the game rather than during in an attempt to prevent players moving behind goals during games | Not occurred0 per annum |
| Injury due to participant equipment or lack of equipment such as kicked in the shins without wearing shin guards  | 3/10  | MLR  | Games will be refereed and managed safely for all participants. Any student not wear shin guards will be allowed to play subject to the there being no alternative equipment but this will be at the risk of the participant and their member of staff. Generally, for primary schools the risk is lower due to their size and ‘competitive’ nature. In some events such as SEN futsal there is less need to enforce a non participate rule if no shin guards are present for example due to the nature of the event. However, for Key Stage 4 boys futsal would result in the player not being able to participate if the correct safety clothing wasn’t provided. This doesn’t include goalkeeper gloves.  | Not occurred 1 per annum  |