

## Pedal Karts Risk Assessment

What are the hazards? What can cause harm?	Who might be harmed	What are you already doing? What are you doing to control hazards and the chance of someone getting hurt?	Do you need to do anything else to control this risk? By following this risk assessment, are the hazards & chances of someone being harmed adequately controlled?
		See Generic Activity Risk Assessment	
Collision with other	Participants	Participants briefed on how to ride the karts including the brake.	Trivial
karts & tyres		Helmets must be worn.	if controls are followed
		Kart to exit the track after circuits	
		All karts to travel clock wise	
Collision with	Participants &	No pedestrians on the track.	Tolerable
pedestrians	Non-	There are tyres walls to identify the start of the track	if controls are followed
	Participants	Participants briefed on how to ride the karts including the brake.	
		Waiting area/'pits' on a straight - and not or near a bend.	
		Group brief on the risk of non-participants entering the track area.	
		Participants brief on where to and where not to ride	
Rolling or falling out the	Participants	Safe speed maintained especially on corners. Helmets to be worn. Participants briefed	Trivial
kart		not to turn sharply at speed. Gloves are provided to stop minor grazes to hands.	if controls are followed
Manual handling injuries	Participants &	Karts should be wheeled rather than lifted where possible.	Trivial
	Instructor		if controls are followed
Trapped & broken lower	Participants	The pedals setting should be in the free turning mode where possible. If they are in the	Trivial
limbs by pedals		fixed mode the pedals will turn when the rider stops pedalling. This can lead to legs being	if controls are followed
		broken. Participants must be briefed of this hazard.	
Trips inside container	Instructor &	There is no overhead lighting in the container.	Tolerable
due to poor lighting	adult helps	Only instructors and adults helpers to enter container.	if controls are followed
		There is a large flash light for the instructor on overcast days.	

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