

Scouting risk assessment

Name of Section or Activity	BiTs	Date of risk assessment	01/06/2023	Name of who undertook this risk assessment	Vicki Gage	Risk assessment for :	Hot Drinks
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Hazard Identified? / Risks from it?	Who is at risk?	How are the risks already controlled? What extra controls are needed?	What has changed that needs to be thought about and controlled?
Hazard – something that may cause harm or damage. Risk – the chance of it happening.	Young people, Leaders, Visitors?	Controls – Ways of making the activity safer by removing or reducing the risk from it. For example - you might use a different piece of equipment or you might change the way the activity is carried out.	Keep checking throughout the activity in case you need to change it...or even stop it! This is a great place to add comments which will be used as part of the review.
Chance of scalding whilst drinking.	Young people, Leaders,	Remind children that the drink may be hot. EXTRA: Adults to check temperature before giving out..	
Chance of scalding	Young people, Leaders,	Remind the young people that they need to be careful when moving around with drinks. Younger children or those with extra needs may need their drinks moved for them. Children to not drink whilst moving around. Checks need to be made to make sure that the vessel does not have any cracks or holes. Vessels are not over filled. Vessels are kept in the middle in the worktops, tables, etc.	
Chance of slipping	Young people, Leaders,	All spillages are reported so that they can be cleaned up before any accident results from this.	

Review: This needs to be taken out yearly, or if the need exists as a new risk occurs or the measures put in place have not been enough to stop an incident happening.

Checked by Line Manager	Name, Role / level Date	Checked by Executive	Name, Role / level Date
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Additional information can be found in the [Safety Checklist for Leaders](https://scouts.org.uk/safety) and other information at scouts.org.uk/safety