**Area – Ballista Building**

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**Section\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

The Leader in charge to review the risk assessment, amend and list any specific hazards that are not covered by the Activity Risk Assessment to meet the needs of their section. As part of this review the Area / Activity Factsheet should be used as a guide and followed

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| **What hazard have you identified?** | | **What are the 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?** |
| Participants becoming bored/disruptive. | Minor injury, | | Participants. | Ensure adequate and active supervision of participants participating in this activity. Clear instructions and rules to be given prior to the commencement of this activity. |  |
| Carrying poles | | Minor injury, | All, back injury, bodily injury | Carry in pairs, one at each end, instruct to ensure care within group |  |
| Tying knots, lashings and manoeuvring equipment | | Minor injury | Trapped toes, fingers | Instruct to keep fingers out of knots and from between spars |  |
| Lifting whole structure | | Minor injury, | All, back/bodily injury | Instruction on lifting. Structure built near /at site of use. Where possible, slide. Plenty of people to lift. |  |
| Hit by Throwing arm | | Minor injury, serious injury | Physical injury | All participants to stand behind the throwing arm.  One person to place the tennis ball in the throwing pot and retreat  Individual to check no one in front before they let go. |  |
| Throwing arm breaking | | Minor injury, serious injury | Physical injury | All participants to stand behind the throwing arm.  Excessive force to pull the arm must not be used |  |

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| Hit by object from throwing arm | Minor injury, serious injury | Physical injury | All participants to stand behind the throwing arm  Target area to be checked prior to throwing and anyone in the area moved on  Only tennis balls or equivalent to be thrown.  Hard objects such as a cricket ball must not be used |  |