



Glenny Wood Fact sheet

Fallen Tree Walkway

1. The walkway is taking advantage of a fallen tree giving young people an opportunity to walk down the fallen tree.
2. A guide rail is attached with rope guide which is designed purely as a guide and not for swinging on.
3. **Please review and amend the risk assessment to suit the needs of your section / group.**
4. It is recommended that you wear helmets
5. Please check the tree and guide rail before using to ensure it is sound. Please let us know if you find any problems
6. Please brief the users on the course, the safety approach you wish to take, boundaries, proposed activities etc.....
7. Be extra careful if the equipment is wet, as both this and the ground can become slippery
8. **Please ensure adult supervision** is around the tree when your section / group are using it.
9. **Risk Assessment** - We have a draft to assist you in completing your assessment. This can be reviewed at <https://glennywood.org.uk/home/safety/risk-factsheets>
10. There is Hand gel, a pack of wipes and disposal bags provided with this activity, with the Helmets. It is however recommended you also bring your own.

Unsupervised play in this area is not safe and should not happen.

Guidelines to use this area and ideas for Team building/ Leadership challenges are below.

Any further ideas for challenges to be undertaken on this course are welcome, so please let us know.

- Give the team some items which between them they have to carry along the tree, without touching the ground or guide rail.
- The team hold hands and make their way down the tree without touching the guide rail.

I am sure you can invent similar games or just enjoy walking down the fallen tree

Have fun.

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Our site moto for all users to follow please

“Take nothing but photographs and memories – leave nothing but footprints”