## **Silver Cross Scout Centre**

## Activity Risk Assessment



	Activity	Archery	Venue	On site
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Hazard	Who might be harmed	Controls	Revue and revision
Weather	All present in activity	Instructor to ensure weather is suitable for the activity. All members to wear suitable clothing and non-restrictive to handling of the equipment	agreed
Environment	Any/all spectators and participants	The instructor must pre-brief the group about the dangers that may be present in the immediate area in which the activity is taking place	agreed
Arrow (point) causing puncture wound	Spectators, other participants, instructor	Minimised by instructor's briefing. Continuous assessment of equipment and range.	agreed
Arrow (nock) causing puncture wound	participant	Minimised by instructor's briefing. Continuous assessment of equipment.	agreed
Bowstring friction burn to finger or forearm	participant	On-string finger protectors and bracers must be used. Instructor visual assessment to minimise harm.	agreed
Bowstring friction burn to chest	participant	Minimised by instructor's briefing. Instructor visual assessment to minimise harm.	agreed
Boss falling over	participant, instructor	Stand suitable secured in place, boss fixed to stand	agreed

Other controls in place	Dedicated range. Side barriers to archery range clearly marked. Instructors are first-aid trained. First-aid box.

