Event Risk Assessment Form

Ty Gobaith Charity Shoot 21/22 May 2019 Bodnant Estate , Conwy Valley Date of Risk Assessment: 09 April 2019

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Standard Risk Assessment checks	Potential hazards?	Risk H M L	What further action is necessary?	Action by whom?	Action by when?	Complet ed
 ✔ The event is taking place on uneven agricultural land & fields ✓ Road crossings 	Slips, trips and falls	H	Promatic briefing will make attendees aware of the dangers associated with the uneven ground. Participants will be accustomed to this hazard & suitably dressed.	Promatic & Organisers	Day of event	
	Walking on public road without pavement	?	Minimal traffic on this public road. One road at top of hill is being closed off to ensure no risk to vehicles from stray shot/falling debris. One participant is using a quad-bike to access the stands.			
 MARSHALLING ✓ Ensure Stewards know what they are doing, timelines, hazards, their own role and location, emergency procedures. ✓ Communications 	 Loss of Control Inadequate emergency response. Delayed emergency response. 	Μ	Car Park marshalls briefed by TG staff Promatic Safety Briefing for Marshalls All Marshalls & co-ordinators to carry a mobile phone and possibly radios. Line of sight and voice can be used to communicate for much of the event. If poor mobile signal, landline available at Bodnant Estate's venue to summon emergency services if required.	Fundraisers Promatic	Day of event	
 CAR PARKING AREA, & VEHICLE MOVEMENTS FOR EVENT ✓ Check entrances and exits are clearly marked and unobstructed ✓ Check there is good lighting ✓ Ensure there is adequate marshalling 	 Accidents involving pedestrians Shunts 	L	Hard surface car parking available at Bodnant. Accident risk no higher than during normal car park operation, usual care to be taken. Area to be litter picked following the event. TG event staff on hand all day.	Organisers	Day of event & next day	
 SHOOTING EVENT on the Bodnant Estate ➢ Control of shooting event, protection of attendees 	 Also subject to Promatic Risk Assessment Danger from shooting Danger from targets/debris Risk of injury from clay traps Noise 	L M H	 To be Risk Assessed & risks controlled by contractor Promatic, but minimum provisions are: Guns not cocked when not shooting Shotguns 'broken' when not in use or not in their cases Hats to be worn by those on range Ear defenders when shooting Ideally safety glasses or other eye protection recommended Guns always pointing away from public areas or public highway when shooting Guns always pointing away from shooting party or volunteers/other roles when shooting. 	Promatic (& TG organisers where relevant) to control & advise event attendees	Prior to & Day of event	

Shooting element & provision of equipment is organised by **Promatic** – subject to separate Risk Assessment Sheet

			All ammunition to be fibre wad not lead		
			shot		
			• Flying targets to be kept over safe areas		
			where no-one is on ground underneath		
			 If guns returned to shooting party 		
			vehicles after shoot (e.g. during lunch)		
			then weapons must be concealed from		
			external view and securely locked away.		
			AFARP shooting should be concealed		
			from the public highway so as not to		
			cause a distraction to passing motorists		
			• All other participants – volunteers, trap		
			operators, pickers-up etc. – must be able		
			to determine whether live shooting is in		
			progress and in which area – possible		
			use of red flag system?	1	
			Promatic & TG event staff must actively	1	
			control movements of all non-shooting		
			participants to ensure they do not	1	
			venture into harm's way from shot,		
			falling debris or launching clays or		
			targets		
			Promatic must ensure no livestock can		
			possibly be hit by shot or falling debris.		
			Farmers have been advised to move		
			stock.		
			Shooting party or other attendees	Local tenant	Before
			should only cross fences or other	Farmers	event
			barriers when and where indicated by		
			Promatic or event representatives.		
			 Most shooting will be uphill towards 		
			hillsides to minimise excessive travel of		
			fired shot.		
			 Organisers to check range of fired shot 		
			and ensure no habitation in reach.		
			 Promatic responsible for setting up cages 		
			and establishing shooting arcs.	1	
			 TG team will assist by taping off the 	1	
			areas with red and white hazard marker	Promatic	Before
			tape as required.	1	event
			tupe us required.	TG event staff	commen
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VENUE –Bodnant Welsh Food – Hayloft Restaurant area				1	Prior to
		L	Check fire risk assessment for Bodnant Welsh	Organisers	event
 Check fire exits are clearly marked and unobstructed. 			Food.	1	
 Check maximum numbers of people allowed in venue 	> Fire			1	Prior to
 Ensure venue is suitably staffed up & ready (e.g. catering?) 	Death		Check all fire exits are clearly marked and	1	& during
· Lisure venue is suitably staried up & ready (e.g. catering:)			unobstructed before & during event.	Organisers	event
					During &
			• Guns should be secured in attendees'	Organisers &	after
 Attendees personal possessions 	Theft/abuse of firearms		vehicles during lunch – at their own risk	attendees	event.
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LOCAL HAZARDS						
✓ Road traffic		Personal injury	L	Although risk of crossing rural roads is no higher than at any other time, all participants to take extra care when crossing country lanes. Ear defenders should be removed when moving between shooting locations.	Organisers	Briefing prior to & care during event
HEALTH PRECAUTIONS ✓ Check First Aid provision ✓ Ensure communication ✓		 Personal injury Dehydration Extreme heat Exposure to rain or cold 	LH	St. John's Ambulance in attendance – 2 vehicles & 3 staff. Tea/Coffee & cold drinks available at start. Additional hot & cold drinks stations under covered shelters being provided near shooting stands. Event is not long enough duration for this to be a substantial hazard. Hot drinks safeguarded in pump-flasks.	Organisers & Venue Management	Prior to event
OTHER ✓ Toilets ✓ Road Closure – Penrhyd Road – all signage	V V	Welfare Safety of locale	L	Portaloo on Site in between shooting stands. Main toilets in the Bodnant venue.	Organisers	Before event
			M	Highways Dept – Official Signage Company This road closure will prevent damage to vehicles, people and livestock from falling shot and debris.TG staff erecting additional signs	Organisers	Before event
✓ Clear-up Volunteers	>	Safety of volunteers		explaining reason for road closure on Tues evening. To be briefed on what is expected before commencement. Ideally to wear gloves when collecting fallen debris. Short duration work.	Organisers	On day
✓ Cash & Prizes Safety	~	Risk of theft of valuables		TG Fundraising staff to keep cash received in locked cash boxes which will be continually supervised at event venue; and then transported in HHCH vehicles. Prizes under constant scrutiny before being awarded.	TG Employees TG	After event During & after
				constant scrutiny before being awarded.	Employees	event
ENVIRONMENTAL ✓ Fallen shot	A A	Pollution hazards Bird/Animal choking/internal damage hazard	M	Fibre-wad shot will be used which is (a) of limited range and (b) biodegradeable if not cleared away by volunteers. It is not anticipated that leadshot will be used, but if so quantities will be minimal.	Promatic to ensure wadshot used	On day
✓ Clay targets	~	Residual sharp edge hazards left	Μ	Shattered clay targets will dissolve and dissipate in the rain; but largest lumps will be collected by volunteers. Machines are designed to withstand shots and	Volunteers	After event
 Remote control flying targets (Gnats) (provided by separate contractor working for HHCH) 		on ground, fuel/propellant/ motor components sprayed over wide area if target impacts, combusts or explodes in air.	L	release phosphorus markers if hit. If they shatter on impact, any substantial pieces of debris to be collected by Contractor or Volunteers wearing gloves (risk of splinters/sharp edges from framework or components if not combusted).	Contractor Organisers of Volunteers	Next Day

✓ Chewing gum	Bird/Animal choking/internal damage hazard			There may be a residual risk of uncombusted propellant. If fuel, this should evaporate quickly. Contractor to advise suitable precautionary measures. Chewing gum unlikely to be used, but if so not to be dropped anywhere on Bodnant Estate. Must be removed to litter bins. A suitable waste receptacle (skip) will be provided for the debris collected by the volunteers, and rubbish sacks.	Organisers		
Insurance cover Separate insurance policy being arranged with NFU Mutual specific to this event. This prevents any 'grey areas' developing between contractor	Some cover is limited, but policy is specific to the event			Ensure event specific cover exists	TG team	Before event	
Promatic's cover and Hope House CH's policy cover. Promatic will continue to insure some features of event on their policy.				Access gates to be chained up overnight to minimise risk of theft from estate of cages, traps etc	TG Team	Tues night	
Fundraising regulations (if appropriate)	Licence required			What further action is necessary?	Action by whom?	Action by when?	Complet ed
✓ If alcohol is being served (free or paid)	Alcohol licence	NA	NA	NA- Responsibility of Bodnant Estate	NA	NA	
✓ If money is being collected from general public on public land	 Street collection licence 	NA	NA	NA – no public land involved. Some money collection on private land from competitions.	NA	NA	
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