

Medical Risk Assessment: <Twilight Chase/ Challenge event >

Date of event: 07/08/2021	Assessed by: Russell Gardham	Location :Twilight Chase	Review : 29/04/2021
		Rye Harbour Sailing Club, The Point, Rye Harbour, Rye TN31 7TU	

What are the Hazards?	Who might be harmed and how?	What are you already doing?	Risk Rating	What else can you do to control this risk?	Resultant Risk Rating	Action by whom	Target date	Complete
Athlete or Event Crew getting hurt of having a medical emergency	Any athlete Event Crew Support Crew (we cannot take responsibility for injured support crew but will offer assistance on the day where possible and dial 999 to get support where appropriate)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have Phoenix Medical at the event to provide medical cover. <p>ALL EVENT CREW AND OTHERS AWARE NOT TO DELAY IN SEEKING MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ON 999 AND NOT TO WAIT FOR THE GO AHEAD OF THE DEDICATED FIRST AIDER.</p>	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have Phoenix Medical at the event to provide medical cover. 	L	Race organiser Race Director Event Crew Athletes Support Crew	Pre – Event and on the day	
Getting 999 support (nearest Hospital)	Any athlete Support Crew Event Crew	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recording the distance and address of the nearest hospital Rye Winchelsea & District Memorial Hospital Peasmarsh Road, Rye Foreign, Rye TN7UD 	L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensuring all Event Crew have a race briefing and know not to hesitate dialling 999 for emergency assistance Ensuring all event crew know the address of where 'they are' to get medical assistance as required 	L	Race organiser Race Director Event Crew Athletes Support Crew	Pre – Event and on the day	

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Distance to nearest hospital – 3.3 miles DIAL 999 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All event crew to carry mobile phone and have the number of the dedicated first aider All event crew to be over 18 years of age All athletes to be advised to carry mobile phone in pre-race email and race briefing. 				
De-hydrated athlete	Any Athlete	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water stations every 6K Phoenix Medical at the event to provide medical cover 	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Providing fluids to athlete Water stations every 6K Advise athlete to get further medical advice at their own GP or emergency department 	L	Athlete Event Crew Dedicated first aider	Pre – Event and on the day	
Over hydrated athletes	Any Athlete	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phoenix Medical at the event to provide medical cover Water stations every 6K 	L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Check if the athlete has any kidney conditions Give salty food and advise no liquid for up to two hours Advise athlete to get further medical advice at their own GP or emergency department 	L	Athlete Event Crew Dedicated first aider	Pre – Event and on the day	
Exhausted athletes at the finish of race	Any Athlete	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identified rest area Phoenix Medical at the event to provide medical cover 	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phoenix Medical at the event to provide medical cover Provide fluids and nourishment Call further medical assistance if required Keep person warm Provision of foil blanket as required 	L	Event Crew Dedicated first aider	Pre – Event and on the day	

Gaining emergency vehicle access	Any athlete Event Crew Support Crew	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrange to have keys to gain access from land owners or gates to be open 	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure gates open on the day or that we have the keys to vehicle access points • Have a list of all vehicle accessible points and the post codes 	L	Race organiser	Pre – Event and on the day	
Weather	Any athlete Event Crew Support Crew	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check weather forecast 	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Send pre-race email to all entrants to advise they wear clothing appropriate to the weather 	L	Race organiser	Pre – Event and on the day	
Covid Measures	Please see Covid Risk Assessment attached to the licence request.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 				

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