

Watchtree Nature Reserve
 Great Orton, Carlisle, CA5 6NL
Location: Watchtree Wheelers

Title : Use of Standard Tandem	Date of Assessment : 21/08/2019	Risk Assessor : Matthew Wind
Risk Assessment Reference : RA75	People involved in making this assessment : Matthew Wind	
Task/ Process : Safe use of Standard Tandem	People at Risk : Employees, Contractors, Members of the Public, Volunteers, Service Users, Children & Young Persons, Visitors	

Hazard : Manual handling Tandems are long bikes and as such can be difficult to handle in tight spaces. This could cause physical injury to the person(s) moving the bike or those around.

Control Measures:

1. Staff and volunteers trained in manual handling. Only staff and volunteers to remove and return bikes to the garage.

Hazard : Mechanical As any bike, Tandems present a risk of entanglement in wheels and drivetrain.

Control Measures:

1. All guards fitted should be present and in good condition. Staff and volunteers to prevent the riding of any bike in inappropriate clothing that could become entangled.

Hazard : Road risk Risk of collision with vehicles, pedestrians, animals and objects.

Control Measures:

1. Site-wide 15mph speed limit. Limited access for motor vehicles
2. All dogs to be kept on short leads

Hazard : Work equipment Risk of injury falling from the bicycle

Control Measures:

1. Staff and volunteers to assess the cycling ability and suitability for this type of bicycle
2. Proper PPE to be worn
3. Suitable clothing to be worn

Hazard : Workplace Transport Risk of injury due to collision.

Control Measures:

1. Site-wide speed limit

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| 2. Limited vehicle access |
| 3. Proper PPE to be worn |

Documents Associated with this Risk Assessment:	
Review Date : 20/08/2020	Reviewer : Dan Dan