



Falconry UK

Risk Assessment Form v1.1

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Task / premises:
Bird of Prey Public Handling Experiences with Photograph –

Activity	Hazard	Who Might Be Harmed and How	Existing Measures to Control Risk	Risk Rating	Result
Arriving At Venue	Collision with other Vehicles or Equipment	Visiting Public & Staff	Liaise with event staff on arrival, so we can be guided through to the Setup Point.	Low	T
Setting Up	Damage to other equipment	Visiting Public & Staff	Our lead member of staff liaises with event staff and organises setup to eliminate any damage to other equipment.	Low	T
Static Bird Handling	Scratch Risk	Visiting Public	Safety talk given to each individual visiting public who handles our birds. Any participation with the birds can only be done, if wearing a leather gauntlet (glove) supplied by us.	Medium	A
Photograph Taking	Scratch Risk	Visiting Public	Safety talk given to each individual visiting public who handles our birds, whilst photograph is taken. Any participation with the birds can only be done, if wearing a leather gauntlet (glove) supplied by us.	Medium	A
Flying Demonstration	Collision with Birds	Visiting Public & Staff	Check that there is a suitable arena to fly our Birds. Visiting Public & Staff are made aware when birds are flying.	Medium	A
Contact With Birds	Risk of Illness	Visiting Public	All visiting public are instructed to wash their hands after they have come in contact with our birds. Antiseptic wash supplied by us on stall. All of our birds on display are of good health. Any unwell Birds on the day are removed from view.	Medium	A
Emergency Procedure	Fire or Escaped Bird	Visiting Public & Staff	All of our staff are trained in fire evacuation, our staff are informed at the beginning of event of fire exits in case of emergency.	Medium	A

Results: T = Trivial, A = Adequately Controlled, F = Further in Depth Assessment, N = Not Adequately Controlled, S = Stopped Activity



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Action Plan				
Bird of Prey Public Handling Experiences with Photograph –				
Ref No	Further Action Required	Action by Whom	Action by When	Done
FAL-UK Generic	No further action to be implemented for this event.	n/a	n/a	n/a

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Bird Of Prey Risk Assessment

Before a Bird of Prey Static or Flying Display can be deployed on your site a site survey will need to take place to assess the dangers that a bird of prey might encounter while deploying our falconry services program. The Risk Assessment is an essential part of being able to operate to ensure the correct ethics are portrayed when working with live animals.

Below are the Results Explained from the Assessment Form:

T = Trivial – The risk of the activity is deemed to be 'Trivial' and can continue with no requirement for communication to any member of Staff.

A= Adequately Controlled – The risk of the activity is deemed to be 'Adequately Controlled' and can continue. All Staff are required to be informed of the risk.

F = Further in Depth Assessment – The activity requires 'Further in Depth Assessment' to ascertain whether the risk is adequate or inadequately controlled.

N = Not Adequately Controlled – The risk from the activity is 'Not Adequately Controlled' and requires additional control measures to be introduced.

S = Stopped Activity – The Activity must be prohibited and 'Stopped' immediately. Analyse alternative methods of conducting the activity safely

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