

PUDDLETOWN AREA PARISH COUNCIL

Puddletown Recreation Parking Facilities

The following risks have been identified and are being managed by the Puddletown Area Parish Council:

Risks Assessment carried out by	Clerk - Michelle Harrington
Date of Assessment:	December 2024

Subject	Hazard(s)	Risk L/M/H	Impact L/M/H	Management/ Control of risk already in place
Gates	Entrapment	M	M	• Gates inspected weekly as part of play park inspection. Stoppers in place to ensure sufficient gap.
Poor lighting	Slips, trips, falls	H	M	• No lighting present
Holes/ damaged surfaces	Slips, trips, falls	H	M	• Car park surface areas is checked frequently for hazardous conditions and potholes. • Potholes filling approved contractor agreed and work to infill potholes agreed to be under taken 1 – 2 times a year or as and when required.
Slippery surface due to adverse weather conditions, e.g. ice	Slips, trips, falls	H	M	• Location access assessed during cold weather spells. If access becomes dangerous due to icy conditions consideration to close facilities and to place warning signage
Person being struck by vehicle	Injury due to person being struck by vehicle	H	L	• Vehicles enter at slow speed due to layout / cornering. Ample room for both pedestrian and vehicles to pass side by side. Consideration could be given to marked bays / walkways.
Damage to Cars	Hedge's / Trees	M	L	• Hedges are cut back twice yearly to allow full use of parking area.
Traffic movement - Vehicle collision.	Damage to vehicles	H	M	• Area is kept clear of possible obstructions. Vehicle drivers have clear visibility when exiting / entering a bay and the parking area.
Vandalism to cars	Damage to vehicles	L	M	Crime records in area low. Action taken to remove apparently abandoned vehicles when necessary. Good liaison with police.

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Level of Risk: L= Low, M= Medium, H= High

Risk L = Unlikely to happen in 12 months, M = Could happened once or twice in 12 months, H = Could happen more than twice in 12 months.

Impact (Consequence should risk occur): L= Low, M= Medium, H= High

Impact L = Minor Injury does not require medical interaction. M = Moderate, requires medical intervention. H = Major, overnight stay in hospital likely.