

Risk assessment: C & S Parish Playing Fields Association Ltd Tennis Club

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Introduction

The tennis club lease an area of land on the playing fields from C&SPPFA Ltd. The tennis club is a private club, for members only, though at times certain courts can be hired out to the public, via the Lawn Tennis Association, Clubspark booking system. The tennis club consists of six astro-turf tennis courts, with flood lighting, and a small clubhouse. The tennis courts and clubhouse are separated from the playing fields by tall fences, and there is no access to the general public. The tennis club's lease allows members to park in the Village Hall car park, and access the tennis club, across the playing fields. The tennis club have their own rules and risk assessments in place, relating to people using the tennis courts and the clubhouse, in a safe and responsible manner. These documents are updated regularly and are available to the C&SPPFA Ltd on request.

What are the hazards?	Who might be harmed and how?	What are we already doing to control the risks?	What further action do we need to take to control the risks?	Who needs to carry out the action?	When is the action needed by?	Done
Risks to members of the public on the playing fields, from tennis games in the tennis club	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General public on the playing fields close to the tennis club Hit by a ball from a tennis game 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The tennis courts are surrounded by fences of roughly three meter height. This fencing ensures that no tennis player can run from the court on to the playing fields and collide with a member of the public or a user of the playing field The fence also ensures that few balls go from the tennis courts on to 	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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		the playing fields. All those that do, will only be subject to gravity when they land, so will be very unlikely to cause injury to anyone on the playing fields.				
Risks to users of the tennis courts and tennis clubhouse	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Members of the tennis club • Members of the public purchasing access to the tennis courts, from the tennis club 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The tennis club are responsible for putting together their own rules and risk assessments for safe use of the tennis courts and clubhouse, and for ensuring that these rules are followed by members and guests. • The PFA can access these docs from the tennis club website and reserve the right to comment on them. https://www.cuddingtontennis.org.uk/documents • Copies of the docs are also stored on the PFA Box cloud system 	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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Risks to members of the tennis club, going to the tennis club, via way of the car park and the playing fields	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Members of the tennis club • Members of the public purchasing access to the tennis courts, from the tennis club. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • These risks are the same as for any other users of the playing fields and car park, and are already covered in the Risk Assessments specifically for those areas 	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A