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Risk Assessment – Human Table Football

H = Harm, L = Likelihood, RR = Risk Rating (1-5)

| Hazard | Existing Control Measure | Further Control Measure to Reduce Risk | Risk Rating | | |
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| The area in which the castle is erected | 1 meter clearing around the side | Check area for debris that can cause harm | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Weather | Inflatables are not used if the weather is too wet. Maximum operating wind speed is 24 mph | Inflatables are anchored using 16mm x 380mm stakes. Staff are trained to anchor them into the ground with minimum protruding level and correct position. | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Damage to equipment | Check equipment before use. Ensure the poles are securely fastened together and velcroed in place | Staff are trained to check the inflatables, ensure the zips are fully closed, the equipment isn't damaged and the fan is correctly secured to the tube | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Participant Collision | Ensure the castle doesn't exceed the maximum number of users and participants stand in their allocated places | Supervise the castle and maintain control. Do not exceed 12 players (6 per team). | 1 | 1 | 1 |



| Trips | Stakes should not protrude more than 25mm above ground level | Ensure the electric cables don't cross over any pathways. Mats to be used at entrance and exits. | 2 | 3 | 3 |
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| Boisterous Behaviour | Adult supervision in place. Prevent users showing boisterous behaviour from using the castle | Do not let anyone under the influence use the inflatable | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Choking | Ensure no food or drink is taking on to the playing field | Do not allow chewing gum | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Injury from overcrowding | Ensure an adult is there to supervise | At large events, have extra staff members to maintain control | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Users getting hit by balls | Use a soft foam football | Adult supervision | 1 | 5 | 3 |
| Injury through lack of inflatable pressure | Do not allow anyone on or near the inflatable during inflation and deflation | Equipment is checked regularly for damage. Staff are trained to secure the inflation pipe securely to the fan. | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| Risk of fire from the Petrol Fan or Generator | Petrol Fans and Generators are fenced off and filled with fuel to limit re-fueling. | Spare fuel is always stored safely in a 'fit for purpose' Jerry can. Always ensure the castle is switched off for re-fueling. | 2 | 1 | 2 |