RISK ASSESSMENT

Funday Entertainment Limited



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| **LOCATION:** | Various Locations | **DATE:** |  January 2015 |
| **OPERATION/PROCESS:** | Safe Use of the Sumo Suits |
| **HAZARDS IDENTIFIED:** | 1. Poorly maintained sumo suits.
2. Non provision of safety matting around sumo suits.
3. Overhead ceilings or equipment too low for sumo suits to operate safely.
4. People using the suits incorrectly i.e. too violent or too competitive.
5. Spectators getting too close to a sumo suits and possible injury.
6. Taking of alcohol or drugs before using sumo suits.
7. Health conditions of participants.
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| **SECONDARY HAZARDS:** | Weather conditions, other people,  |
| **EXPOSED PERSONS:** | Members of the public/ Customers using the Sumo Suits. |
| **FREQUENCY OF EXPOSURE:** | As per Event Date/s | **DURATION OF EXPOSURE:** As per Event hours |
| ***RISK = LIKELIHOOD X SEVERITY*** |
| ***LIKELIHOOD*****0** = Zero to very low**1** = Very unlikely**2** = Unlikely | **3** = Likely**4** = Very likely**5** = Almost certain | ***SEVERITY*****0** = No injury or illness**1** = First aid injury or illness**2** = Minor injury or illness | **3** = “ 3 day “ injury or illness**4** = Major injury or illness **5** = Fatality, disablement injury, etc |
| **Risk Values:** LOW = **1 to 8** MEDIUM = **9 to 16** HIGH = **17 to 25** |
| **Activity Risk Rating:** *Likelihood* ***3*** *X Severity* ***3*** *= Total* ***9*** |
| **Activity Risk Value*:*** *LOW*  ***MEDIUM*** *HIGH*  |
| **CONTROL MEASURES** **Steps to be taken to avoid an accident or incident leading to an injury:** | 1. Provision of safety matting around suits to protect participants who fall over.
2. Customers must be instructed to: -
* Remove any ear or body piercing, shoes, glasses or hard/sharp objects.
* Adhere to all instructions given.
* Wear protective head guard (Supplied).
* Fighting to take place on the mat only.
* Replace head guard if removed during fight.
1. Spectators must stand at least five feet away from edge of the mat.
2. Any person who looks physically impaired should not take part in using the equipment.
3. Any person using this equipment must be in good health. Suits should not be used by anyone who suffers from a heart or back problem, epilepsy or pregnant.
4. The suits must be inspected after installation on site to ensure there is no risk of injury.
5. Allow adequate space for safe use.
6. The fighting will be stopped if it seems too dangerous.
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| **Residual Risk Rating*:*** *Likelihood* ***2***  *X Severity* ***2***  *= Total* ***4*** |
| **MONITORING RESULTS:** | Event Manager / Director to ensure the above is adhered to for the risk to be acceptable |
| **REVIEW DATE:** | At regular intervals, not to exceed 12 months or when circumstances change. |
| **RESIDUAL RISK RATING: LOW** |
| **ASSESSOR:** | Andre Rayson | **POSITION:** | Senior Health & Safety Advisor |