

# KENT MOUNTAIN CENTRE RISK BENEFIT ASSESSMENT:

## Wild Camping

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### Benefits to Participants:

Improve physical and mental wellbeing through activity and sharing common purpose with others

Develop relationships with others

Acquire a skill

Improve confidence

Appreciate the natural environment

Develop resilience

Raise self-esteem

Create transferable learning to improve outcomes in future at school and in work

Process/ Operation	Affecting	Potential Risk	Control process to manage	Residual risk	Risk Benefit Analysis
Scalds/burns from cooking with stoves	All	Medium	Good quality training and an appropriate level of supervision	Low	positive
Explosion/fire from cooking with stoves	All	Low	Good quality training and an appropriate level of supervision	Low	positive
Slips and trips	All but Instructors especially	Low	Dynamic assessment of site and briefing	Low	positive
Sudden illness in a remote situation	All	Low	Route information left at base, emergency phone, briefing water and food hygiene	Low	positive
Hypothermia & Cold Injury	All	Low	Food Clothing Training and Supervision	Low	positive
Falling from height	All	Low	Dynamic assessment of site and briefing group of environment	Low	positive

**DELIVERY:** TO BE DELIVERED AS PER OPERATING PROCEDURES

**OPERATING PROCEDURES:** The operating procedure document is to be read with this assessment by instructors.

**This Assessment to be reviewed by (Date):** 01 January 2020