

<b>Risk Analysis for GNAS Field Shoots</b>		
<b>Hazard</b>	<b>Groups at risk</b>	<b>Control Measures</b>
Injury from flying arrows	Archers walking round course and back to base	Use of experienced course designers to obtain required shot alignments and overshoots. Inspection of course by qualified GNAS Judges with subsequent modification if required. Inspection of archers equipment by judges before any shooting. Provision of direction arrows between shots and taped-off no-go areas with marked safe path through course. Judges control while shooting is in progress. Instructions to all at pre-shoot assembly.
	Judges, work party, straying public/spectators	Use of experienced judges and work party. Signs at points of public access to course. Spectators to be accompanied while on course.
Slipping or tripping on rough or steep ground	Everyone on course at all times	Provision of bridges, steps and ropes where considered necessary. Use of direction arrows for best routes round course. Inspection by judges before archers walk onto course. Instructions to all at pre-shoot assembly.
Falling branches	Everyone on course at all times	Inspection/preparation by experienced woodland work party.
Injuries from lifting, carrying or staking butts and other required equipment	Work party during set-up and removal	Pairing of experienced and new workers. Use of appropriate clothing. Use of tools and equipment only by experienced and/or trained operators.
Injuries while clearing paths and shooting lanes and building steps	Work party before event	Use of appropriate clothing. Use of tools and equipment only by experienced and/or trained operators.
Injuries from malfunction or breakage of archers equipment	Archers while shooting	Inspection of archers equipment before start of shooting.
Dehydration	Everyone on course at all times	Refreshment facilities positioned on course while shooting is in progress.