

VSCC Wiggle Risk Assessment - October 2019

ACTIVITY	HAZARD	WHO IS AT RISK	INITIAL RISK (H/M/L)	CONTROL MEASURES (RECOMMENDED)	RESIDUAL RISK (HML)	FURTHER ACTION RECOMMENDED/REQUIRED		
						Y/N	WHAT	CONTACT
WIGGLE	Weather, cold, punctures , isolated route	Rider	L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cycles must be legal and roadworthy • Riders to inspect their cycle prior to each ride paying particular attention to brakes, frame, steering, pedals / cleats, wheels and tyres. • Groups size kept small, riders to stay together • Carry emergency blankets 	L	Y	Emergency blankets to be distributed to regular leaders. Local and Met Office weather forecast to be checked before rides. Cancel if unsafe to ride	-
	Dark roads	Rider and Public	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All riders to have high powered lights capable of illuminating dark road. • Quality lights Minimum 300 L • Recommend high visibility clothing / jacket 	L	Y	Briefing and Facebook posts,	-
	Riding skills and experience. Cornering, lack of experience of some riders, Descending at pace	Rider	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Riders to wear approved safety helmets that should not be worn following impact and in any case should be replaced at manufacturer's recommended intervals • Manage the speed according to skill and experience • Safety briefings 	L	Y		
	Traffic on A58	Rider	H	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Riders to be familiar with route and be aware of where they are at all times • Riders to go single where solid white lines indicate • Consider alternative 'reverse wiggle' • Appropriate lights 	M	Y	.Safety Briefing	

