

Risk Assessment

Task. Vulpit Pond Maintenance Yatesbury

Company name: Cherhill Parish Council

Assessment carried out by: Cllr Rob Pooley

Date of next review: Sept 2026

Date assessment was carried out: 2 Sept 25

| What are the hazards? | Who might be harmed and how? | What are you already doing to control the risks? | What further action do you need to take to control the risks? | Who needs to carry out the action? | When is the action needed by? | Done |
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| Slips, trips and falls due to uneven ground | Persons maintaining the Pond | 1. Only Authorised Persons Allowed to maintain the pond on behalf of the Parish Council 2. Suitable footwear to be worn at all times | Periodic checks by Parish Councillors | All Councillors | Ongoing | |
| Cuts and bruises from Gardening equipment | Persons maintaining the Pond | 1. Only trained personnel to operate gardening equipment 2. Personnel use their own equipment. 3. Suitable gloves to be worn to help reduce cuts and bruising | Periodic checks by Parish Councillors | All Councillors | Ongoing | |
| Adverse weather conditions | Persons maintaining the Pond | 1. Review local Weather reports prior to any work being undertaken 2. Wet weather gear to be worn. 3. NO work to be carried out when Weather Warnings issued by Local and National weather reports have been issued. | Periodic Checks by Parish Councillors. | All Councillors | Ongoing | |

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| Weil's Disease | Persons maintaining the Pond | Verbal Advice given to personnel | Weil's Disease Information sheet to be given to personnel maintaining the pond | Cllr Pooley and Parish Clerk | 8 September 25 | |
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