AIGHTON, BAILEY & CHAIGLEY PARISH COUNCIL

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| Nork or Activity Description – Gardening on butte | erfly garden and \ | War Memorial | |
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| Identified Hazard | Initial Risk Rating | | |
| | High | Medium | Low |
| Slipping on wet grass | | | х |
| Tripping over rocks on memorial / over chain access / border to butterfly garden | | | x |
| Tripping over debris | | | х |
| Allergic reaction to plants | | | х |
| • Cuts or bruises whilst using hand tools | | | х |
| Resulting Harm | Persons at Risk | | |
| Minor injuries such as sprained ankles, abrasions, cuts, strain | • All users | | |
| Injuries from trippingInjuries from slippingAllergic reactions | | | |

CONTROL MEASURES

- 1. Ensure grass is kept at a safe height by regular cutting this work to be done on behalf of the Parish Council.
- 2. Wear suitable footwear.
- 3. Remove all debris / waste from site
- 4. Take care when lifting / bending.
- 5. If garden hand tools are brought by volunteers or contractors, ensure they are made aware of the need to use correctly.
- 6. Report any allergic reactions and stop work immediately. Take appropriate measures for stings or nettling.
- 7. Parish Councillors organising volunteers to do gardening tasks must ensure that the above control measures are put in place for each session.
- 8. Contract gardeners to demonstrate that they have public liability insurance for any work carried out as part of a contract with the Parish Council and have performed their own risk assessment for the tools used and the work undertaken

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Residual Risk remaining: Low

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