

KCC Glenlochchar to Bridge of Dee Risk Assessment

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Description of Activity	Paddling Kayaks and canoes on moving water with a mix of paddling ability
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Location of Activity	River Dee from Glenlochchar to Bridge of Dee
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Paddling	Paddlers (see Generic Risk Assessment)	See KCC Generic R.A.	No further action at this stage.	All Paddlers and Coaches		

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Vehicles on the road	Paddlers – risk of collision with vehicles.	Look out for moving vehicles, help each other when carrying boats.	No further action at this stage.	All Paddlers and Coaches		
Fishermen	Paddlers – risk of entanglement with lines / conflict with fishermen	Fishermen casting lead weights give them a wide berth.	No further action at this stage	All paddlers and coaches		
Dam Controlled River	Paddlers – river levels can rise unexpectedly changing the grading of the river	<p>Paddlers to be made aware of the risks by coaches.</p> <p>Coaches to keep an eye on rising water and adapt session as needed</p> <p>Paddlers to avoid paddling too close to the dam at Glenlochiar</p> <p>Coaches to warn paddlers of risks from changing water levels and paddling too close to the dam</p>	No further action at this stage	All paddlers and coaches		

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