

Kirton & Falkenham Parish Council Risk Assessment Record

Area: Village Green

Assessor: D. Jacobs

Persons at Risk: Children & adults visiting
the green

Date 27/4/2026

Hazard	Frequency + Severity = Risk Rating		
1. When used to park cars for village events	2	2	4
2. Tripping or slipping on grass area	2	2	4
3. Injury during wiring of Christmas tree	2	2	4
4. Running off Green into road	2	2	4
5. Fouling of area by dogs	2	2	4
6. Vandalism to tree lights	2	2	4
7. Vandalism to Bus Shelter	2	2	4
8. Tree branch falling	3	3	6
9. Lighting of Beacon	2	3	5
10. Injury due to wooden verge protective posts	2	2	4
A risk rating of 5 or more requires further action			

No.	Present Control Measures	Adequate	Suggested Improvements
1.	Marshals direct cars	Y	
2.	Grass regularly mowed & kept in good shape	Y	
3.	Electricity supply and is secured in approved housings	Y	
4.	Any organisers of events on the Green must take into account this risk	Y	
5.	Dog refuse bin on Green	Y	
6.	The cable to tree is underground. Circuit breaker is set low and lights are low voltage.	Y	
7.	Shelter is inspected/maintained regularly	Y	
8.	Trees surveyed by qualified person every 5 years and appropriate action taken to remove dangerous branches	Y	
9.	Event specific risk assessment to be completed (Beacon lighting RA completed prior to each event)	Y	

Further action and recommendations

Public Notice Board repairs have been started but await completion

Following completion of the notice board the Bus Shelter requires treatment with appropriate preservative.

Replace locking post at the entrance to the green for vehicles (still not done)

No other apparent issues

Review date 3rd May 2027

Risk rating scores

Probable frequency

1. Improbable
2. Possible
3. Occasional
4. Frequent
5. Regular

Severity

1. Trivial injuries
2. Minor injuries
3. Major injuries to one person
4. Major injuries to many people
5. Death of one person