

## OnThisROC Risk Assessment Form: Awesome Walls Liverpool

What is the hazard?	What are the likely accidents resulting from this hazards?	Is the risk low, medium, high?	What can be done to prevent accidents?
Unattended ropes	Injuries resulting from trips if ropes are on the floor. Injuries resulting from a fall if ropes are misused.	Medium	Unattended ropes to be tied up. Climbers to be made aware of rules regarding rope use. OTR groups to stay with their instructor at all times.
Steps	Injuries resulting from tripping	Medium	AWL could mark them with yellow tape. OTR Instructor will make groups aware of the hazard.
Open top to railings In the nave	Risk of falling through the top to crypt below.	low	AWL could put a grill over the top. OTR Instructors will tell groups not to climb on the railings.
Route Setting	Falling holds could hit people	Low	AWL close areas off when this work is taking place. OTR Instructors will warn groups to stay clear.
Wooden steps to V12 Shop	People could slip and the step is open at foot level.	Low	OTR Instructors to tell people to walk and not run up and down the steps.
Steps to the Woody	This is a spiral stairway in the old church tower. The are stone and very narrow. A risk of slipping/falling.	Medium	OTR Instructors will warn individuals to hold the rope and take it slowly and make sure the steps are clear.
Other Climbers	Tripping over equipment, people being lowered, belayers.	Medium	OTR Instructors will make it clear what the hazards are and how to avoid them. I.e. walk, look around, go behind a belayer and not under a rope.
Bouldering Areas Incl the crypt	Injury from falling off a route or from someone falling on you. Trip hazard on edge of mats.	Medium	OTR Instructors will supervise groups in these areas. They will only allow one to climb at a time and make groups aware of the hazards.
Narrow traverse areas	Bumping into people/knocking them off.	Medium	OTR Instructors will make groups aware of the hazard and advise climbers to let people pass and wait their turn.
Step into the crypt and the indoor toilets	Tripping hazard on the steps	Medium	AWL could mark with yellow tape. OTR will make climbers aware of the hazard.