



TEN PIN BOWLING



DESCRIPTION:

Taking groups to a ten pin bowling alley.

QUALIFICATIONS:

There are no specific qualifications required for recreational ten pin bowling. However Party leaders should be aware of the safety requirements of the venue and monitor behaviour.

STAFFING RATIO:

No more than 1 - 15.

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Approved bowling shoes.

HAZARDS:

Injuries sustained from:

Slips

Falls

Poor release of the ball

Collisions with other participants in the ball delivery area

Long fingernails can sometimes get caught as the ball is released, so participants should be advised accordingly.

GUIDANCE:

This activity should only take place in specific venues that are designed for the activity. Participants should only use a ball that is suitable in terms of weight and that allows for easy release from the finger holes.

OTHER INFORMATION:

Further health & safety information on taking children on ten pin bowling can be found at:
<http://www.tenpin.co.uk/media/606341/guidance-and-risk-ass-schools.pdf>