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|  | <p>NIGHT WALKING</p> |  <p>Bracknell Forest Council</p> |
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| <p><u>DESCRIPTION:</u></p> <p>Walking and leading groups in local terrain in hours of darkness with or without a rope line.</p> |
| <p><u>QUALIFICATIONS:</u></p> <p>The leader must be experienced, be familiar with the area being used and possess a recognisable qualification.</p> <p>The minimum requirement would be a BEL certificate.</p> |
| <p><u>STAFFING RATIO:</u></p> <p>Ratios may vary according to terrain and conditions but there should never be more than 1/10.</p> |
| <p><u>PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:</u></p> <p>Warm clothing, windproof / water proof outer clothing, appropriate footwear, headlamps or torches.</p> |
| <p><u>HAZARDS:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weather conditions • Hypothermia • Slips and falls • Collisions with others and immovable objects e.g. trees |
| <p><u>GUIDANCE:</u></p> <p>The leader must be an experienced in the activity who has attended a recognised training / assessment course relevant to the standard involved and to the season of the year. Leaders must have a thorough knowledge of the area being used.</p> |
| <p><u>OTHER INFORMATION:</u></p> |