



YOUNG CHILDREN RISK ASSESMENT

RISK AREA	RISKS COULD BE	EXISTING MITIGATION VSC HAS IN PLACE	NEXT ACTION	FURTHER ACTION
Race Track Spectator Area	Young people could be groomed by adults	VSC Officials are screened with Working with Children Check	VSC to put a policy in place where Officials will minimise the risk to young people by ensuring there is a Parent/Guardian or responsible adult with young people at all times where they have to deal with a VSC Official.	All Clubs and Tracks to have appointed people to deal with complaints of a serious nature toward young people.
Race Track Pit Area	Young people could be physically abused by adults			
	Young People could be sexually abused by adults			
	Young people could be psychologically or emotionally abused by adults	Junior racing - Junior must nominate a Chief Crew Person prior to commencement of race meeting to be available at all times for juniors exception - when racing on the track.		
Child's Home	Young people could be culturally / racially abused	Junior must at all times have Crew Chief Person with them to liase with Officials, First Aid Personnel, Club Personnel,		
	Young people could be abused online	at drivers briefing and at any dispute / appeal hearing etc.		
	Young people could witness adults abusing adults	Chief Crew Person to be 18 or over. VSC Rules & Regs 10:9		
Online	Young people could be subject to hazing		VSC to put a policy in place where Official's will minimise the risk to young people by ensuring there is a Parent/Guardian or responsible adult in any online interaction.	
	Young people could be accidentally harmed			
	Young people could be harmed by other young people		VSC to put a policy in place where Official's will minimise the risk to young people by ensuring there is a Parent/Guardian or responsible adult with their appointed young person whilst in the spectator area.	
	Young people could be subject to or witness inappropriate behaviours		VSC to put a policy in place where Official's will minimise the risk to young people by ensuring there is a Parent/Guardian or responsible adult with their appointed young person whilst in the pit area.	
			On the arena where this is not possible, there will always be an appointed Official overseeing interactions with young people.	