

Kaitiaki Adventures RAMS form - Kaituna River Sledging

Company	Kaitiaki Adventures	Date: _____ 2010	Activity:	Kaituna River
No. of customer	8 river level 200's	Location: Kaituna River Grade 3 river section.	Leader:	Senior Sledge guide (WWSNZ)
Time of Departure:	3 options per day 9am/12.30pm/2.30pm	Time of Return: 1hour 20 after departure from base 45-60mins in water (3hr duration)	Assistant:	Intermediate Sledge Guide (WWSNZ)
CASUAL FACTORS – Note 2,3,4,5,6 are based on training prior and Kaitiaki Adventures have the right to withdraw from activity if these factors take place while in training process				
1) Client losing sledge		4) Communication Failure		7)
2) Heavy rain fall		5) Guide inability		8)
3) Gear failure		6) Customers inability		9)
People, Skills, attitudes, age, fitness, health, ratios, experience etc	<u>Casual Factors</u> Customers are screened for fitness and confidence in water Clients must be 13 years of age or older No experience is necessary Fully qualifies guides (NZQA)		<u>Risk Reduction Strategies</u> Full training is given on the side of the water before trip commences All clients must fit safety equipment eg; PFD wetsuit	
Equipment, clothing, shelter, Activity specific gear, safety gear etc	Inability to swim; Protection from the weather (eg: rain wind) Equipment failure		Supply each customer with a PFD (personal flotation device) Supplied with wetsuits, booties, fleece, spray jacket, fins, helmet All equipment is up to rule part 80 standard set by Maritime NZ (rule part 80)	
Environment, weather, Terrain, water, season etc.	High rain fall Kaitiaki Adventures works under the bylaws set down by environment Bay Of Plenty and Maritime NZ (rule part 80)		Dam control river gate settings for commercial rafting are between (200 & 500) No flash flooding or unpredictable water search	