

Guidance for using Combe Mill Outdoor Area

Guidance for hiring the Outside Area and for groups who need to do their own risk assessment.

General	
Children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please make sure there is adult supervision of all children at all times when in the outdoor area. • We have planted a willow fence and roped off the river banks. Small children must not run into the river. There is an especially deep drop into the tail race.
Rubbish	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please bring rubbish bags and take away any rubbish with you. Sadly Combe Mill does not have a rubbish collection as it is costly for the charity. Please check the area for litter before you leave. [There is a supply of bin bags in the cupboard under the sink of the Tea Room]
What's available	Guidance
Firepit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please bring your own firewood and leave the firepit as you find it. • Keep everyone behind the log square around the fire. • We recommend you have fire safety equipment such as bucket of water, fire blanket and first aid kit.
Old millstones and a log	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You are welcome to climb and sit on the millstones and log. • Please do not climb or sit on the wooden den, the old machines or anything that has been roped off with orange netting.
Tea room balcony	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please do not allow anyone under the balcony or to play with any items stored under there as there may be sharp objects and tools.
Wildlife	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The river and outdoor area are a habitat for a diversity of wildlife such as kingfishers, swans, buzzards, insects, fish, deer and many others. Please help us look after their habitat and let us know any animals you see!