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| Hazard | Likelihood of Risks | Control Measures | Remaining Risk |
| Drowning | Very Likely Fatal | Buoyancy aids worn and correctly fitted.Provide diagram of construction.Restrict number of people per raft.Provide bank watchers.Provide first aiders.Restrict depth of water. | Low |
| Injury throughContact withRaft or paddles | LikelySerious | Restrict number of people per raft.Issue safety helmets. | Low |
| Tripping or Slipping hazard on raft | Likely Serious | Make design of raft that has minimum hazards.Restrict numbers per raft.Restrict numbers when paddling. | Low |
| Tripping or Slipping on jetty | Likely Serious | Ensure no tripping hazards.Pre briefing re slipping hazard | Low |
| Tripping or Slipping on bank | LikelySerious | No running on canal bank. | Low |
| Hitting canalBottom | Likely Serious | No jumping from raft into canal, no pushing or horseplay. | Low |
| Lifting Injury | Likely Serious | Issue rules regarding number of people to lift.Restrict size and weight of raft. | Low |
| Faulty Buoyancy aid | Likely Serious | Annual test for buoyancy (see log)Inspect for damage on issue | Low |
| Cut Feet | LikelySerious | Participants to wear protective footwear. | Low |
| Raft breakingUp / entrapment | Likely Serious | Provide bank watchers.Instruct in tying of square lashings.Provide construction diagram. | Low |

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