



Health and Safety Executive: RIDDOR Report

Report Number: DDC616FE2B Date Submitted: 07/11/2014 Current Authority: Midlands - 10 Birmingham

About you and your organisation:

Name: [REDACTED]
Job Title: [REDACTED]
Phone Number: [REDACTED]
Organisation: Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council
Address: Sandwell Council House
Freeth Street
Town: OLDBURY
County: West Midlands
Post Code: B69 3DE
Fax Number:
E-Mail: [REDACTED]@sandwell.gov.uk
Did the incident happen at the above address? no
Which authority is responsible for monitoring H & S LA
where the incident happened?

About where the incident happened:

Where did Incident happen: The incident happened in a public place
Organisation: Brunswick Park
Address: Wood Green Road
Town: WEDNESBURY
County: West Midlands
Post Code: WS10 9QR
Details of where (address unknown):

About the incident

Incident date: 05/11/2014 Incident time: 20:00
Which LA did incident occur in?
Country: England Geographic Area: West Midlands Local Authority: Sandwell
In which department or where on premises did incident happen?
On Skate Park

What type of work was being carried out?

Main Industry: Government administrative functions, Education, Health
Main Activity: Sports, recreation education
Sub Activity: Sports, recreation education

About the kind of accident

Kind of accident that described incident: Another kind of accident
How high was fall? 0 metres
Work process involved: Other process not listed above
Main factor involved: Other cause not listed above

Describe what happened:

The (IP) was a spectator at a free firework and bonfire event organised at Brunswick Park by Sandwell Council. Towards the end of the display a firework malfunctioned (Roman Candle) and discharged horizontally. The firework went off (burst) in the vicinity of some spectators and resulted in the (IP) suffering injury. The IP was immediately dealt with by St Johns Ambulance personnel and then taken from the scene of the accident to hospital for treatment. The IP suffered from a suspected perforated eardrum. Health and Safety Officers from Sandwell MBC are currently investigating the incident. Jubilee Fireworks Ltd were responsible for the firework display.

About the injured person

Name:

Address:

Town:

County:

Post Code:

Phone Number:

Gender:

Age:

Injured person's employment status

What was the person's occupation or job title?

What was the person's work status?

Details if on training scheme / employed by someone else

About the injured person's injuries

Injured person's injuries:

Part of body affected:

What was the severity of the injury?

[REDACTED]

Member of the public - Job title not applicable

The injured person was a member of the public

Other known injuries

Ear

Member of the public - taken directly to hospital