**Risk Assessment Winter Handicap Course**

**Course Description**

Start at the bollards on the new cycle track by the Business School (just beyond Van Mildert College). Run along new cycle track to the A167. Turn left and run along to the Cock of the North roundabout (pavement/old cycletrack). Loop around the bollard where cycle track comes out from housing estate just before the roundabout. Stay on the pavement. Then run back the way you came to the lamp post where cycle track from Business School meets main road. Then run back to Cock of North Roundabout. (4kms).

**RISKS**

1. Motorised traffic crossing route – no vehicular crossings.

2. Lay-by at start of old cycle track –runners can avoid lay-by by using pavement. Warning at start

3. Bicycles on cycle tracks - wear high visibility gear warning at start. Run on correct part of pavement when sensible.

4. Risk of collision between approaching runners approaching runners to leave each other to the right. Go round bollards/lamp post in clockwise fashion.

5. Runners going off course course explained at start/map available

6. Runners standing in road at start/finish - warning at start to use spare ground

7. Runners colliding with bollards - warning at start.

8. Runners colliding with pedestrians/dog walkers warning at start.

9. Debris on old cycle track visual check beforehand warning at start.

10. Possible bad weather/snow/icevisual check with event called off if necessaryby 6.45pm at latest. Notice put notice on facebook/website if time available. Warning at start