Planning Safe Events Checklist

This checklist will help you with the planning for your event and will also be useful for working with key stakeholders.

Please pull out this checklist. The icon coding on the checklist matches that in the planning guide. Read the information provided in the planning guide to help you fill it out.

Event Details		?
Name of the Event:		
Event description:		
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Event Manager:		
Organisation the manager is	working for:	
Address:		
Telephone/s:	Mobile:	
Fax:	Email:	
Event Date:	Duration: Start	Finish
Required time to set-up:		
Required time to pack-down:		
Venue name:	Indoor	Outdoor
Address/location:		
Capacity:	Expected numbers:	Entry cost:
Who is your target audience?		



Consultation and Liaison

Following are some examples of key stakeholders. There may be others you need to add to make your own list.

Key Stakeholders	Consulted	Others	Consulted
Local Police			
Ambulance Service			
Fire Services			
Security Firm			
Health and Safety Team			
District Licensing Agency			
Nelson City Council			
Venue Manager			
Media			
Transport Companies			
Hire Companies			
Waste & Refuse Services			
Residents			
Businesses			
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Briefings and debriefings



	Date	Time	Location
A briefing with key stakeholders will be conducted on			
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Regulations and Permits



Will alcohol be consumed at the event?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
Do you need/have a special licence?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
Who is the Licence Holder:		
Address:		
Telephone/s:	Mobile:	
Fax:	Email:	

Will your event require?

Permit/Consent	No	Yes	Contacted Date	Completed Date
Resource Consent				
Building Consent				
Fire Permit				
Fireworks/Explosives Permit				
Food Stall Registration				
Road Closure Traffic Management Plan				
Power				
Public Liability Insurance				



The Event

Does your site plan include:	✓		✓
The surrounding area		Information, lost property/ kids	
All entrances and exits		Communications centre/command post	
Emergency access routes		Drinking water	
Paths for vehicles only		Food/vendors/stalls	
Paths for pedestrians only		Liquor outlets	
Parking		Liquor consumption and dry (non-alcohol) areas	
Camping		Toilet facilities	
Stages and entertainment zones		Fire extinguishers	
Seating arrangements		Rubbish containers	
Security and police locations		Public telephones or cell phone reception points	
First aid posts		Cash outlets	
Chill-out areas		Media points (TV and radio)	
Contingency planning in case of bad weather			

Do you have?	✓
Separate access for staff and entertainers	
Access for wheelchairs	
Systems for gate sales and monitoring numbers entering/exiting the venue	
Systems for pass-outs	
Clear drop-off and pick-up points	
Have you organised the following?	✓
Safety messages in promotional materials	
Ticketing	
Gates/door system	
Gates/door staff	
Signage	
Transport	
Parking/camping	
Information system	
Communication systems	
Lighting and power	
Toilets and hygiene facilities	
Refuse and waste systems	
Security fencing	
Safety services	U
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Have you organised the following? Police	,
Fire Services	
Security	
First Aid	
Health and Safety team	
Crowd management plans	
Evacuation procedures	

Keep this checklist as part of your planning records.