

Company name: **WDAS** Assessment carried out by: **Andy Hewitt**
 Approved by: **Phil Brocklebank**

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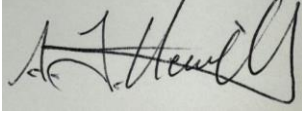
What are the hazards?	Who might be harmed and how?	What are you already doing to control the risks?	What further action do you need to take to control the risks?	Who needs to carry out the action?	When is the action needed by?	Done
<i>Optical radiation</i>	LP Operator	Operator trained in use of LP and familiar with FAS guidelines & LP manual	Operator(s) to be registered & approved for use of LP	WDAS chairman & committee	Before use of LP	2/10/23
<i>Optical radiation</i>	WDAS members	Only one trained & approved person uses it on observing sessions	LP operator directs LP away from fellow observers and stands at least 2m away from them.	LP operator	At each observing session	2/10/23
<i>Optical radiation</i>	General public	LP secured in between uses	Members don't distract operator of LP during use of laser	All WDAS members	At each observing session	2/10/23
<i>Optical radiation</i>	Pilots	Using approved lower class 2 laser	Reflective surfaces (buildings, clothing etc), to be considered at each session	LP operator	At each observing session	2/10/23
<i>Optical radiation</i>	Wildlife	Awareness that LP presents hazard to wildlife	Be mindful of wildlife before each operation	LP operator	At each observing session	2/10/23

Register of Operators of Laser Pointer.

Sept 2023

All operators are required to be aware of and have read:

- 1 This Observing Evening Guidance Document.
- 2 FAS Guidelines on Laser Pointers.
- 3 Manufacturers advice for use of the Starlight Lasers Class 2 pointer.

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02/10/23	Jason Woolley Signed: 	Phil Brocklebank, WDAS Chairman Signed: 
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