

BRITISH PARACHUTE ASSOCIATION

SAFETY NOTICE

1. An incident occurred at Weston on the Green where an experienced parachutist had a pilot 'chute in tow using a 'Pull Out' type pilot chute.
2. The 'Pull Out' was a rectangular 'handle' and had been fitted to the apex of the pilot chute and on deployment had wrapped around the 'bridle' line preventing pilot chute from taking air.
3. The purpose of this Safety Notice is to remind parachutists that the manufacturers of parachuting equipment state that the 'Pull Out' handle should be attached to the base of the pilot chute and not the apex.

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