

## SIBFORD FERRIS PARISH COUNCIL PLAYGROUND INSPECTION

### Cotswold Close Play Area

To be inspected once a week

<b>Date of inspection</b> .....	<b>Name of person inspecting</b> .....
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Enter a tick in the box if the item is present, correct etc. Enter an X if there is a problem.  
Give brief details in the Comments box.

SITE	Present?	Undamaged, secure?	Comment	Action
Sign				
Gate				
Fences esp. nr. Wall climb				
Seats				
Litter Bin				
	Check safety of overhanging branches and ingress of twigs			
Hedge & Trees				
Litter etc				
SURFACES	Level?	Undamaged?	Comment	Action
	Check for burrows and holes in the grass			
Grass				
Safety matting				
EQUIPMENT				
Item	Check Item then ✓ or X		Comment	Action
<b>Swings</b>	Check all bolts secure, seats in good order, timber frame not splitting around bolts.			
Baby swing				
Junior swings				
<b>Playhouse 1</b>	Check bolts secure, timber in good order, all present			
<b>Rockers</b>	Check action smooth and noise free, check ground fixing bolts secure, check surfaces undamaged and clean			
Tortoise rocker				
Butterfly rocker				
Horse rocker				
<b>Diggers</b>	Check sand clear of debris, diggers operating properly			

EQUIPMENT continued	Check Item then ✓ or X	Comment	Action
<b>Multiplay:</b>			
Slide		Check no foreign objects, surface undamaged, bolts secure	
Steps		Check bolts secure, handrails and timber in good order	
Platform 1		Check surfaces clear, bolts secure, timber in good order	
Boardwalk		Check bolts secure, timber in good order, all present	
Hideaway		Check bolts secure, clear of litter etc, timber in good order	
Platform 2		Check surfaces clear, bolts secure, timber including roof in good order	
Tunnel		Check bolts secure, timber in good order, clear of litter etc	
Wall climb		Check all present, holds are firm, timber in good order	
Rope Climb		Check rope in good condition, bolts secure, timber in good condition	
Bouncy bridge		Check chain for wear, bolts secure <b>with plastic covers intact</b> , planks in good order, surfaces clear	
Platform 3		Check surfaces clear, bolts secure, timber in good order	
Fireman's pole		Check bolts secure, pole clear	
Playhouse 2		Check bolts secure, clear of litter etc, timber in good order	
Rope Pull Up		Check rope in good condition, bolts secure, timber in good condition	
Platform 4		Check surfaces clear, bolts secure, timber in good order	

**Notes:**

Timber will split naturally - this is only a problem if it is bad where the bolts go through.

Playhouse 1 is the stand alone playhouse, Playhouse 2 is under the fireman's pole platform.

Platform 1 is between the slide and the boardwalk, Platform 2 has the roof, Platform 3 has the rope climb, Platform 4 has the fireman's pole and rope pull up.