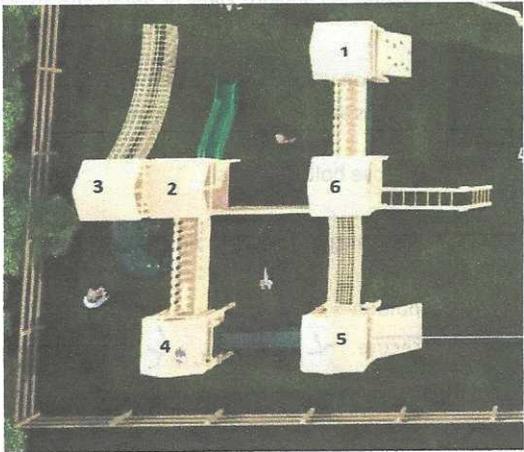


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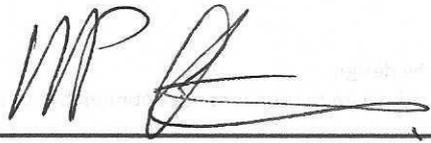
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Routine Inspection Checklist, Broad Chalke Playground.			
Grounds			
General surface — grass	is the surfacing in a good condition and without trip hazards	✓	
	Is there no debris, glass or litter present	✓	
Fencing	Are all panels and component parts present and secure with no protruding wire	✓	
	Are there any obvious signs of timber decay present	✓	
Gate to playground	is it operative, secure and with no pinch points & closes fully	✓	
Gate to road	is it operative, secure and with no pinch points & closes fully	✓	
Signage	if any present is it secure and legible	✓	
	check QR code have not been tampered with	✓	
Seating: large bench	Are they secured to the ground, stable, undamaged and clean	✓	
Seating: smaller bench		✓	
Picnic table		✓	
Round picnic table		✓	
Planting	Is the hedgerow in a good condition	✓	
Book library	check condition for damage & deterioration	✓	
Equipment			
rubberised surface	check for wear and delamination	✓	
roundabout	Does the unit revolve smoothly with no undue noise	✓	
trampoline	check for operation	✓	
3 bay swing	Is the frame secure and free from any obvious signs of decay and sharp edges	✓	
	Are all caps present	✓	
	Anti bird items in place and secure	✓	
	Are the top bar and supports secure, undamaged and free from any signs of obvious decay	✓	
Swing - Basket	Is the swing seat free from damage	✓	
	Are the chains, ropes and shackles showing no signs of excessive wear and working freely	✓	
	Is the safer surfacing in good condition	✓	
Swing - 2 x standard seat	Are the swing seats free from damage	✓	
	Are the chains and shackles showing no signs of excessive wear and working freely	✓	
	Is the safer surfacing secure and undamaged	✓	
Swing Toddler - 2 x basket Seat	Are the swing seats free from damage	✓	
	Are the chains and shackles showing no signs of excessive wear and working freely	✓	
	Is the safer surfacing secure and undamaged	✓	
Little Broad Chalke	Are the supports secure and free from any obvious signs of decay and sharp edges	✓	
	Are all caps present	✓	
	Is the safer surfacing in a good condition with no erosion or puddling	✓	
	Are all panels, holds, barriers and steps secure and undamaged with no obvious signs of decay	✓	
	is the wobbly step secure with no loose bolts / chains	✓	
	is the slide in good condition	✓	
	is the rope walk way secure and undamaged with with no signs of metal showing through	✓	
	is the horizontal tube in good condition	✓	
	Is the sail in good condition and secure & shackles	✓	

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Section	Check	Action Required (tick if ok)	Date completed
Main tower structure			
General	Is the safer surfacing in a good condition with no erosion or puddling and all structures free from decay and sharp edges Are all caps present	✓	
tower 1 (with climbing wall)	is the climbing wall in good condition without missing parts is the structure sound with no loose parts or decay	✓	
tower 2 (with small slide)	is the slide in good condition & stable Is the safer surfacing in a good condition with no erosion or puddling is the structure sound with no loose parts or decay is the net between tower 2 and tower 6 in good condition	✓	
tower 3 (with climbing net & curly slide)	Are the net ropes secure and showing no exposed metal core is the structure sound with no loose parts or decay Are all ropes and attachments undamaged and secure with no signs of metal showing through are slide structure bolts all tight	✓	
tower 4 (with horizontal tube)	is the structure sound with no loose parts or decay is the tube sound & undamaged	✓	
tower 5 (with zip wire launch)	is the structure sound with no loose parts or decay is the table & benches in good condition is the access ramp sound is the net walkway to tower 6 & attachments sound	✓	
tower 6 (net tube and walkway leading to tower 1)	is the structure sound with no loose parts or decay is the walk way sound are the net tube attachments sound: Are all ropes undamaged and secure with no signs of metal showing through is the rope walk way secure and undamaged is the low level tube to tower 1 OK with no damage	✓	
ladder and hanging bars	is the structure sound with no loose parts or decay	✓	
zip wire end	is the structure sound with no loose parts or decay is the zip wire seat OK - without damage Are all caps present	zip wire brake ok ✓	
			

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Play Trail			
structure	Are all supports and component parts present and secure with no obvious signs of timber decay or sharp edges	✓	
	Are all caps present	✓	
	Is the safer surfacing in good condition with no erosion or puddling	✓	
Agility — Stepping Logs	Are the eye bolts secure and rope ends showing no signs of excessive wear or have metal exposed	✓	
	Are the swinging logs undamaged		
Agility — Stepping posts	Are all posts secure, in a good cendition and showing no obvious signs of decay	✓	
	Is the surfacing in good condition with no erosion or puddling and secure no obvious signs of timber decay	✓	
Agility - Monkey bars	Are all hangers secure, in a good cendition and showing no obvious signs of decay	✓	
Agility - Swing bars	Are all supports and component parts present and secure with no obvious signs of timber decay	✓	
	Are the bars undamaged	✓	
Climber — Rotary web	Does the item move freely and noiselessly	(noisy?)	
(Witches Hat)	Are all ropes undamaged and secure with no signs of metal showing through	✓	
	Is the surfacing in a good condition with no erosion or puddling	✓	
See-Saw	Are all caps present	✓	
	is the structure sound and free from decay	✓	
	Is the safer surfacing in good condition with no erosion or puddling	✓	
Date of inspection			
by	11/11/25		
Comments:			

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Longer term checks & maintenance		
A list of preventative/maintenance actions taken such as tighten bolts etc		date done
zip wire	tension 1 click	18/04/2025
zip wire	tension 1 click (date approx)	28/05/2025
3 bay swing	tighten bolts on chains, hangers & seats	05/07/2025
climbing wall	tighten all steps - hex keys and screws	05/07/2025
see -saw	tighten all accessible bolts	06/07/2025
Little Broad Chalke	tighten all eyes, bolts and shackles on the wobbly steps	06/07/2025
Little Broad Chalke	tighten 13mm bolts holding post on entrance to rope walk	08/08/2025
3 bay swing	tighten 19mm bolts on upper frame including those holding swing chains	08/08/2025
round table	tighten all screws and bolts qwhere possible. The domed bolts would not tighten	08/08/2025
round table	improve stability of table	
RoSPA 2025 medium points		
P4 buffers under the see saw	Not noticed them as loose on previous checks but will have another go - adhesive needed	
P4 bolt heads under the repaired see saw -	need to be trimmed & smoothed (4 bolts)	11/11/2025
P10 zip wire carriage finger guard	one side has dropped down and rubs against the wire. A temporary fix would be to glue in place and make good the wear	11/11/2025
P17 bolts on curly slide	could be replaced with shorter ones - measure up Most of the ones likely to be at head height trimmed	11/11/2025
P23 underside of the one swing seat	rubber under moving over aluminium frame - needs adhesive	
P24 the trampoline showing loose edging -	a temporary fix was applied in the summer - stronger glue now required	
RoSPA 2025 Minor points:		
P2 wobbly see saw	it is meant to be wobbly by design	NFA
P10 cable exit on zip wire base	a bit worn, possibly when the wire tension was not optimum but this is so minor ...	NFA
P22 basket seat height -	measured to to be 450mm at the edge and 400mm in the centre, within their guidelines	NFA but chain could be shortened if needed in future