

# PLAY SPACES

# DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION INSPECTION & MAINTENANCE



- We consult on, design, procure and manage play areas and natural play areas, skate parks and exercise trails with static training and play equipment for all age groups
- We provide a consultation service with the children and the community
- We listen, use your brief and remain within budget
- We provide an inspection, maintenance and repair service

- · We undertake routine housekeeping such as sweeping, raking and litter picking
- We design, construct and maintain paddling pools, interactive water features (inc. water quality testing)
- We design, construct and maintain rubber surfacing including cleaning and repairs.







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### Consult

A quality play area is one that meets the needs of all the user groups. Establishing their needs requires consultation which stimulates ideas and develops good relations with the user groups and the people who provide and run the space. Spaceshaper is a method used as part of the consultation process by our trained Spaceshaper facilitator who can arrange workshops for users and professionals. Fund-raising can also be discussed at this stage. We can also assist with funding bids and the consultation process.

# Design

We have innovative and creative designers with a history of designing very popular play spaces in Suffolk. These incorporate ideas from the consultation process with a mix of activities and challenges to meet the needs of the users and carers. The client brief and budget is paramount in our design process. The surrounding area is often landscaped to create an attractive usable space for all.

### Install

Equipment is supplied by manufacturers who are members of the IPEMA (International Play Equipment Manufacturers Association) and is selected using their expertise to prepare and install designs. These are inspected by our professional Play Inspector before use. All work complies with British Standards BS EN 1176:2008, BS EN 1177:2008 & BS EN 7188:2009 for play equipment and surfacing.

## Inspect and maintain

Inspections can be scheduled as deemed necessary but at least in excess of the mandatory annual requirement. Our Play Inspector can then arrange the appropriate maintenance regime or repairs. We can provide independent specialist risk assessment reports for insurers should they be required.

### **Quotations**

Competitive written quotations supplied.



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