

Report to Town Council

| Subject: | Playground maintenance | |
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| From: | LW | |
| Date: | 23 September 2022 | |
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I have looking to set up an annual inspection and servicing programme for both playgrounds. This would be in addition to the annual ROSPA report that we receive in August.

I have approached 6 companies. One has not replied and one is too far (Streetscapes).

Details below for the other 4:

Playsafety:

Inspection – visual only - £115.50 ex VAT

No service visits offered.

Playdale:

An annual inspection service, these are priced at £260.00 which includes a full written report with photos. The report will advise of any repairs needed and then they quote for any spare parts needed following that.

Kompan:

Find & Fix

Inspection and maintenance - fix at time anything up to an agreed limit e.g £250. Awaiting a quote for this.

RPM

£550 for inspection then quote provided for repair work

Conclusion

Kompan is the only company who offers the service I have been looking for. They would carry out an inspection and tighten screws etc as they are inspecting the equipment. They would then undertake any repairs whilst on site up to a value of $\pounds x$. They carry 80% of relevant hardware on their van.

Subject to the cost of the inspection being in line with the above quotes, I suggest that we engage Kompan to inspect both playgrounds annually.