RUNHALL PLAY AREA

Report for Annual Parish Meeting. 14.4.2021

For the last year there have been no events held at the play area due to the restrictions imposed to stop the spread of Covid. For the same reason it has not been possible to fund raise.

Throughout the pandemic minimum maintenance has been carried out. The grass has been cut and an area outside the side gate leading to The Green that was badly damaged by vehicles has been repaired and reseeded.

Signage has been placed around the play area and at both entrances giving advice on restriction of use, as advised by the Government. For part of the year play areas had to be closed completely. The play area was sealed and appropriate notices placed at both gates.

The play area committee disbanded in December 2020. The Trustees are in discussion with a new village group . It is hoped that the new group will still be able to be involved with the play area, keeping it available to the parish.

The play area continues to have public liability insurance and ROSPA safety inspections will continue. The next inspection is scheduled for June 2021.

Thanks to the Parish Council who have supported the play area over the years by giving a grant to help with the cost of insurance. In small parishes like Runhall such help is invaluable. A huge thank you to all those who have given up their time to organise fund raising events, especially to Liz Holmes and Sarah Nelis who retired from the committee last year following many years of hard work.

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