



REPORT ON FARINGDON PLAY & ACTIVITY DAY

FRIDAY 2ND AUGUST 2019



'BUILDING COMMUNITIES THROUGH PLAY'

Event Organised and Funding Secured by:









BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND FOR 2019...

FARINGDON PLAY AND ACTIVITY DAY



FRIDAY 2ND AUGUST 2019 – 11AM TO 3PM

(INCLUDING A QUIET HOUR FROM 10AM TO 11AM FOR CHILDREN WHO FIND THE MAIN EVENT TOO NOISY & BUSY)

FREE ENTRANCE AND FREE ACTIVITIES – FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY AND FOR ALL AGES

BUILDING COMMUNITIES THROUGH PLAY

**Go Kart Party * Body Zorbing * Drumming Workshop * Muzo Akademy
* Giant Bubbles * GLL / Better * Orinoco Scrapstore * Earth Trust * Tricky
Trails Biking * DIY Face Painting * Smoothie Bike and much more!**

FARINGDON TOWN FC, TUCKER PARK, PARK ROAD, FARINGDON, OXON. SN7 7BP

Please be advised that NO childcare is provided at this event and Parents are responsible for their Children at all times / This event will be filmed and photographed / There is Disabled parking only on site / Hot Food, Ice Cream and Refreshments will be available to be purchased or please do feel free to bring a picnic

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Playday 2019

Wednesday 7 August



This year's theme is ...

**Play
builds children**



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#Playday2019

Play Builds Children

The Playday 2019 theme aims to highlight the many ways in which play is beneficial to children and young people.

- * Play Builds Friendships - playing allows children to interact with others, develop relationships, deal with conflict, and learn respect and tolerance.
- * Play Builds Resilience - playing boosts children's confidence, creativity, problem-solving skills and perseverance, enabling them to cope with stress and challenges throughout life.
- * Play Builds Health and Well-being - being active through play helps children physically and emotionally, contributing to their health and happiness.
- * Play Builds Communities - playing allows children to learn about the world around them, make connections, and develop a sense of identity and belonging.



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We would especially like to Thank Sally Thurston and Faringdon Town Council along with Simon Harrington and Faringdon Town Football Club for supporting this event and making it such a success







OPA PLAY AND ACTIVITY DAYS 2019

KEY AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

For Children & Young People

- 1) Promote Positive Behaviours & Activities (reduce anti-social behaviour)
- 2) Promote Increased Levels of Physical Activity
- 3) Promote Healthy Weight Management (obesity reduction)

For Parents / Carers

- 1) Provide an Event offering both **FREE** Entrance & **FREE** Activities to Ensure an Inclusion for **ALL**
- 2) Demonstrate how Play & Quality Family Time can be achieved on a Zero / Minimal Budget using Natural & Recycled materials
- 3) Provide information on services and activities available in the local and wider area

For Communities

- 1) Encourage a greater sense of belonging to promote Active & Engaged Communities - 'Love Where You Live'
- 2) Promote local clubs, groups and societies
- 3) Involve local groups, communities and Children & Young People in the planning and delivery of each event





OXFORDSHIRE PLAY ASSOCIATION

OPA's Vision is to 'Improve Lives Through Play'

OPA's Mission is to 'Champion and to support the rights of all Children & Young People to have access to, high quality, inclusive Play opportunities to improve their Physical, Mental and Spiritual wellbeing'

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