



## FOR YOUR OWN SAFETY AND THE SAFETY OF OTHERS

### Guidance for Users of the Children's Playground and the Fairground Play Equipment

Stratfield Mortimer Parish Council will be opening the Children's Playground and the Fairground Play Equipment on Saturday 4th July 2020.

To ensure you are ready to use these facilities safely **please read these instructions** and plan for safe fun this summer.

Parents must read this guidance and ensure their families follow it carefully for the safety of their children and others.

Teenage users of the Play Equipment must read the guidance and follow the relevant parts carefully for the safety of themselves, their family, and their friends.

- This equipment is checked regularly for damage, wear and tear, but is **NOT** sanitised or disinfected.
- This is shared equipment, **used at your own risk**.
- **Do not use this equipment** if you or any member of your household has coronavirus symptoms or are self-isolating.
- Make sure you have hand sanitiser with you before entering this play area or using the play equipment.
- Encourage everyone in your family to **wash their hands with hand sanitiser regularly** and as a minimum before and after using the play area or play equipment.
- Encourage children and all users to avoid touching their faces.
- You **MUST maintain social distancing** from others unless they are from the same household – current government advice is to maintain at least 2m.
- If the Playground is busy and you consider it not possible to maintain social distancing, then please either leave or **wait to enter when it is less crowded**.
- Some equipment can only be used by one child or user at a time while social distancing. Please ensure your family waits **at a safe distance** if the equipment is in use or return later to use the equipment.
- Some pieces of equipment, such as adjacent seats on swings, have been taken out of action as they cannot be used whilst maintaining social distancing. Please respect this.
- Try to avoid busy times.
- If your family is wearing disposable PPE, please take it home with you or where provided use the bins – **DO NOT LITTER**.
- Consumption of food and drink within play areas is **NOT** permitted.
- Wash your hands when you get home.

We hope you enjoy using the Playground and the Play Equipment and thank you for helping to keep everyone safe by following these instructions.