

# BENSON AREA PLAYSCHEME 1992

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games & outings.

Mon 3rd Aug.  
to Fri 7th Aug.

## Benson Area Play Scheme



3rd - 7th August

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It is summer and BAPS will be with us soon for the seventeenth consecutive year. Inside this magazine you WILL find details of activities to keep children of all ages occupied for six hours per day for one week in the school holidays. All for the amazing price of £1.50 per day subject to advance registration. We can only do this by relying on voluntary help in a very big way, which means all parents doing their bit. Please see further on for more details. If you cannot get to Registration, completed booking forms can be handed to a Committee Member.

We shall be offering, as usual, a wide range of outdoor and indoor activities to suit practically any child (and lots of adults too). These include art, crafts, games, sewing, swimming, gymnastics, sports, sailing, bird-watching, cookery, bouncy castle etc. These are supplemented by a number of outings which are always popular and very competitively priced. We also run a number of smaller 'mini-trips' to places of interest or entertainment nearby, often on an impromptu basis. These are usually free.

This year we are, thanks to a group of BAPS 'old stagers', running the Marquee Club, a series of evening activities for the over-12s.

We will, once again, be running free transport for children and helpers from RAF Benson and Ewelme in the morning and afternoon.

Advance registration sessions for the playscheme will take place at Benson Youth Hall from 10.00 am on 4th July, and on 6th July at 6.30 pm Ewelme Village Hall and 8.00 pm RAF Benson Families Club. Although it is not essential to register in advance for the scheme, it helps both ourselves and you if you do so. Last year it was found that Monday morning was spent registering children and therefore valuable 'fun-time' was wasted. So this year **REGISTRATION WILL COST £2 EACH DAY IF REGISTRATION TAKES PLACE ON SITE.** It is also essential to book for the outings to avoid disappointment.

## Help with Fees

We try to keep fees as low as possible, but if any parent has difficulty in finding this amount, we do not wish this to stop their children from enjoying the scheme. Our President, Dr Anne Millar, maintains a fund to help in such cases. This is completely confidential between yourself and her. If you think that this could help you, contact her on Wallingford 38116



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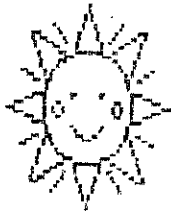
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## WANTED: ADULT HELP

The Playscheme is run almost entirely by voluntary effort. This means that the amount of fun and entertainment we can give the children is almost entirely dependent on the number of adults giving their time to help during the Scheme.

We have a wide variety of jobs needing to be done - helping with the creche for the very young, organising sports, sailing, first aid, administration (we don't want to lose anyone!), lifeguarding at the swimming pool, helping with arts and crafts, sewing, driving, supervising the adventure playground ..... the list is almost endless, and there are very few people whose talents we cannot use.

We ask in particular, that all parents whose children come to the scheme should spare at least half a day or help in evening activities.

There is a free creche available for the under-5 children of BAPS helpers and free transport from RAF Benson and Ewelme. We can make most effective use of voluntary help if we know in advance when you will be available and what your preferences and skills are. Please, therefore, if possible, fill in a registration form for yourself and put on the back when you will be available and what preferences (if any) you have.

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**Membership** At registration each child will be given a colour and number, and a badge will be made. Please report to your relevant registration tent when entering the field and collect your badge. At the end of the day (or when your child leaves the scheme) please return the badge to that tent. This is the only check of who is on site, so this is very important.

**Refreshments** A Tuck Shop is open at certain times during the day and coffee, tea, squash, sweets, crisps, rolls, home-baked food etc will be on sale. After the success of recent years with sale of home-produced food, all parents will be asked to contribute a small quantity of, for example, cakes, pizzas, biscuits etc.

**Clothing** Would parents please make sure that their children do wear **old** clothes and that all clothes, swimming kit, bags, purses etc are named. Loss of purses is a particular problem. If possible could parents please ensure that children keep money in a secure (buttoned or zipped) pocket or a purse worn around the neck.

**Equipment** We would be pleased to receive any newspapers, boxes, tubs, packing, beads, string, wood, yoghurt / margarine pots and any other 'junk' you think we might be able to utilise in the Arts / Crafts Room.

#### GENERAL INFORMATION DURING THE PLAYScheme

For late registration, booking, mini-trips and activities or enquiries regarding lost property etc please call at the Administration Caravan.

**Telephone:** There will be a telephone on site. The number is Wallingford 38681. **ONLY** to be used during Playscheme hours.

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	10-pin bowling Brize Norton	8+	1.30 - 6 pm	£4.25
Wednesday 5 Aug	Science Museum	8+	9 - 5 pm	£2
Thursday 6 Aug	10-pin bowling Brize Norton	8+	1.30 - 6 pm	£4.25

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Monday Introduction followed by fun and frolics on the field.

Tuesday A Mystery Activity off site.

Wednesday Swindon Oasis Trip - Cost: £5.00 - 5.45 - 11pm.

Thursday Hash Run and Barbecue.

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## REGISTRATION

Advance registration for the Playscheme and Outings will take place as follows:-

Sat 4th July 1992 Benson Youth Hall  
10.00 am - 12.00 noon

Mon 6th July 1992 Ewelme Village Hall  
6.30 - 7.30 pm

RAF Benson Families Club  
8.00 - 9.00 pm

When registering, please enrol at the table indicated for your child's age group:- (as at 31.8.92).

Red Table 5 - 7 years Blue Table 8 - 9 years

Orange Table 10 - 11 years Green Table 12+

Bookings should then be made for outings.

Each child must collect his or her badge from the tents on arrival each day and pay that day's registration fee if not paid in advance. All children must wear their badge at all times whilst on the scheme, whether on or off site. The daily registration fee is payable for outings and marquee club attendance. No child will be required to pay two registration fees for activities on the same day.

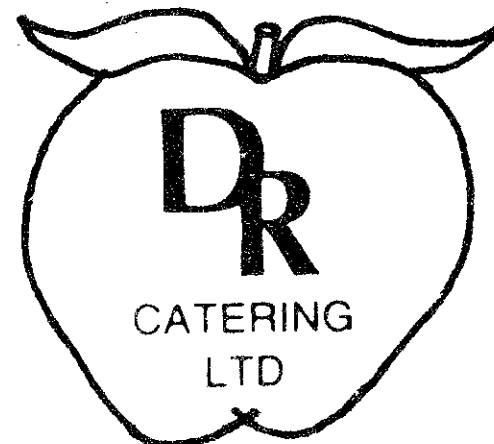
## PLAYSCHEME DETAILS

<b>Dates of Playscheme</b>	Monday 3rd to Friday 7th August 1992
<b>Times of Playscheme</b>	9.30 am to 12.15 pm and 12.45 pm to 3.30 pm. (Except for certain outings). Lunch breaks will be supervised. Please <b>do not leave your children before 9.30 am</b> on site, unless they are going on an outing which requires an early start.
<b>Eligibility</b>	Children aged 5 - 15 years (age taken on 31.8.92) living, staying or attending School in the villages of Benson, Ewelme, Preston Crowmarsh, Roke, Rokemarsh and Berrick Salome or RAF Benson. Children from outside this area may be accommodated only if accompanied by a responsible adult helper.
<b>Cost</b>	£1.50 per day registered in advance. £2.00 per day registered during scheme.
<b>Transport</b>	Free
<b>Ewelme</b>	9.15 am at the bus stop. Returning at approximately 3.50 pm.
<b>RAF</b>	9.20 am at the Main Gate. Returning at approximately 3.45 pm
	These times are approximate, as a daily check is always made on children travelling by coach. If parents wish their children to travel only one way on the coach would they please inform Gerry in the Administration Caravan or phone Wallingford 38681 during playscheme hours.
<b>Under 8's</b>	These children must be met from the Playscheme, coach or mini-bus, please.

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RAF Benson  
Benson C of E Junior School  
Home Decorating Stores, Benson  
Gurney's of Benson  
Rotary Club, Wallingford  
Janette Whitfield, Kimbers Orchard

In addition to these, there is a whole host of individuals who help in various ways.

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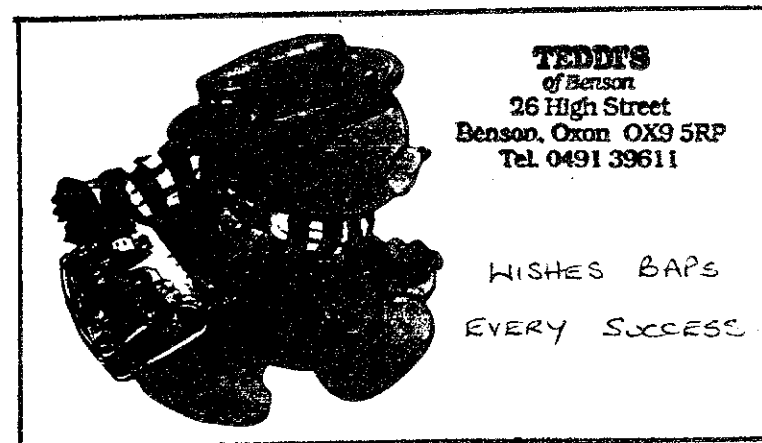
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BENSON AREA PLAYScheme 1992

VOLUNTARY HELP

Please fill in the activity you would like to help with in the relevant time period. Help is needed for:

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|------------------------|---|
| Arts and Crafts        | Sewing Room                             |
| Cookery                | Serving in the Refreshment Tent         |
| Creche                 | Swimming (mornings)                     |
| Sports and Games       | Red Badge Area (5 - 7 year olds)        |
| Adventure Playground   | Driving a minibus (County Drivers only) |
| Accompanying minitrips | First Aid                               |
| Sailing                | Anything else you can offer             |
- .....

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Name.....

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		Morning	Afternoon	Eve
Setting Up	Fri 31st			
Setting Up	Sat 1st	Coffee 10 am		
	Mon 3rd			
	Tue 4th			
	Wed 5th			
	Thu 6th			
	Fri 7th			
Clearing Up	Sat 8th			

Further information and spare forms from:

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|---|-------------------|
| Sue & Dave Cooper, 1 Lower End, Ewelme.           | Wallingford 35631 |
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| Jill Sullivan, 4 Chaucer Court, Ewelme.           | Wallingford 34291 |
| Sue & Martin Hodnett, Up Berrick, Berrick Salome. | 0865 891119       |

**NB:** If you are not able to make one of the Registration sessions, you may hand your completed form to any of the above.