

WHEELED SPORTS INSPECTION & MAINTENANCE TRAINING COURSE



This course is aimed at those who are responsible for the inspection and maintenance of wheeled sports facilities (which include BMX, Skateboarding, and in-line skating features). It can also be tailored to accommodate facility designers and manufacturers as different levels of experience. (BMX dirt tracks are not included).

A RoSPA Certificate of Training will be given to all participants who complete the course. It is a one-day course and is, at the moment, held only on clients' premises. Please contact the RoSPA Play Safety offices for course fees and date arrangements.

SYLLABUS

- Child/ Young person development
- The Importance of Play/ Recreation
- Accidents, their type, frequency and severity
- Legislation, the appropriate Acts of Parliament and how they may affect the operator and directly the inspector.
- BS PAS 35 and relevant sections of EN1176
- Outline of pr EN14974, where it differs from PAS 35
- Documentation, reporting and importance of record keeping
- A logical and systematic approach to inspecting
- Risk assessment of wheeled sports areas including skateboarding, inline skating and BMX
- Inspection of approaches to wheeled sports areas including signs & road barriers
- Inspection of the nearby wheeled sports surroundings, i.e. shrubbery and gates
- Inspection of the active wheeled sports area within the fenced surround such as seats, litter bins, vegetation, lighting, and non-play items
- Inspection of specific wheeled sports equipment or features including surfacing
- Common faults on popular items Practical on-site inspection



Training Packs

A training pack is provided and includes a hard copy of the presentation.

Timing

Start 9.30 Coffee 11.00 Lunch 12.30 End 4:30

Please note that these times are approximate and may be subject to change.

Courses on Clients Premises

The provision of a room with suitable blackout to enable PowerPoint to be shown should be provided, together with a screen and flip chart (RoSPA trainers can provide their own PowerPoint equipment if need be).

Access to a wheeled sports facility is recommended for the practical element of this course and is the client's responsibility to provide the necessary transportation to and from the sites, and also to provide refreshments and Lunch as necessary.

Please Note:

Attendees must be in good health and physically able to climb and thoroughly inspect equipment on-site. Due to the practical aspects of this course and possible inclement weather, please wear appropriate clothing.

Course Booking

If you wish to book a course on your own premise, or to attend a course at one of the locations determined by RoSPA, contact Karen Viger, Play Safety Training Manager, at the address below.

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