

## **RADLEY PARISH COUNCIL**

### **PLEASURE GROUNDS, PUBLIC WALKS, OPEN SPACES AND VILLAGE GREENS**

Byelaws made by the Parish Council of Radley under section 164 of the Public Health Act 1875, with respect of public walks and pleasure grounds.

#### **INTERPRETATION**

1. (1) In these byelaws:

"the Council" means the Parish Council of Radley

"the grounds" means the grounds listed in the attached schedule.

#### **GOLF**

2. No person shall in the grounds drive, chip or pitch a hard golf ball.

#### **ARCHERY**

3. No person shall engage in the sport of archery in the grounds.

#### **JAVELIN AND DISCUS**

4. No person shall throw or put any javelin, discus or shot in the grounds except on land set aside by the Council for this purpose.

#### **GAMES**

5. Where the Council sets apart any such part of the ground as may be fixed by the Council, and may be described in a notice board affixed or set up in some conspicuous position in the grounds, for the purpose of any game specified in the notice board, which, by reason of the rules or manner of playing, or for the prevention of damage, danger, or discomfort to any person in the ground, may necessitate the exclusive use by the player or players of any space on such part of the ground - a person shall not in any space elsewhere on the ground play or take part in any game so specified in such a manner as to exclude persons not playing or taking part in the game from the use of such a space.

#### **VEHICLES**

6. (1) No person shall, without reasonable excuse, ride or drive a cycle, motor cycle, motor vehicle or any other mechanically propelled vehicle in the grounds, or bring or cause to be brought into the grounds any motor cycle, motor vehicle, trailer or any other mechanically propelled vehicle (other than a cycle), except in any part of the ground where there is a right of way for that class of vehicle.
- (2) If the Council has set apart a space in the grounds for use by vehicles of any class, this byelaw shall not prevent the riding or driving of those vehicles in the space so set apart, or on a route, indicated by signs placed in conspicuous positions, between it and the entrance to the grounds.
- (3) This byelaw shall not extend to invalid carriages.

(4) In this byelaw:

"cycle" means a bicycle, a tricycle, or a cycle having four or more wheels, not being in any case a motor cycle or motor vehicle;

"invalid carriage" means a vehicle, whether mechanically propelled or not, the unladen weight of which does not exceed 150 kilograms, the width of which does not exceed 0.85 metres and which has been constructed or adapted for use for the carriage of one person, being a person suffering from some physical defect or disability and is used solely by such a person;

"motor cycle" means a mechanically propelled vehicle, not being an invalid carriage, with less than four wheels and the weight of which unladen does not exceed 410 kilograms;

"motor vehicle" means a mechanically propelled vehicle, not being an invalid carriage, intended or adapted for use on roads; and

"trailer" means a vehicle drawn by a motor vehicle, and includes a caravan.

#### **WALL, FENCE, TREE, BARRIER, ETC.**

7. No person shall in the grounds without reasonable excuse:

- (1) climb any wall or fence in or enclosing the grounds or any tree or any barrier, railing, post or other erection;
- (2) remove or displace any barrier, railing, post or seat or any part of any erection or ornament or any implement provided for use in the laying out or maintenance of the grounds.

#### **OBSTRUCTION**

8. No person shall in the grounds:

- (1) intentionally obstruct any officer of the Council in the proper execution of his duties;
  - (2) intentionally obstruct any person carrying out an act which is necessary to the proper execution of any contract with the Council;
- or
- (3) intentionally obstruct any other person in the proper use of the ground, or behave so as to give reasonable grounds for annoyance to other persons in the ground.

#### **REMOVAL**

9. Any person offending against these byelaws may be removed from the grounds by any officer of the Council or any constable.

**PENALTY**

10. Any person offending against any of these byelaws shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding Level 2 on the Standard Scale

**SCHEDULE**

The grounds referred to in Byelaw 1 are as follows:

Under section 164 of the Public Health Act 1875:

Name of Ground	Location of Ground
The Playing Field	Off Gooseacre, Radley
The Play Area	Off Gooseacre, Radley

Given under our hands and seals this twenty fourth.....

day of September..... 1993

F. B. Lenctus  
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Chairman

J. Alexander  
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Vice-Chairman



Members of the Radley Parish Council

The following byelaws are hereby confirmed by the Secretary of State and shall be in operation on the 1st day of MARCH 1993.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

M. E. Head

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Assistant Under-Secretary of State

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