



Between the 2nd and the 6th of August 2010, Dudley Play Service and partners delivered “Dudley Play Week”. The week long event takes place annually to celebrate National Play Day which is celebrated across the country on the first Wednesday in August. This years Play Day this year was “my place”, promoting children’s right to public space for play.



Dudley Play Week 2010 was delivered in partnership with a wide range of statutory, voluntary and private sector organisations including, Play Service: The Just Enjoy Team, Sport & Physical Activity Team, Family Information Service, Parks Department, Library Service, Youth Service, West Midlands Police Department, Dudley Performing Arts, Me2 award, Mencap, Dudley Zoo, NHS Dudley, KIDS, Hobb Green Children’s Centre, Coseley Children’s Centre, Butterfly Children’s Centre, Little Hands Children’s Centre, Netherton Park Children’s Centre, Bromley Pensnet Children’s Centre, Netherton Tenants and Residents Association.



Dudley Play Week focused its activities around the 5 Healthy Hub Parks selected for development under the £4.5 million Healthy Towns programme. The schedule of events was as follows:



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Date	Location	Township
2 nd August 2010, 12pm – 4pm	Huntingtree Park – Halesowen	Halesowen
3 rd August 2010, 12pm – 4pm	Silver Jubilee Park – Coseley	Dudley North
4 th August 2010, 12pm – 4pm	Mary Stevens Park – Stourbridge	Stourbridge
5 th August 2010, 12pm – 4pm	Netherton Park – Netherton	Dudley
6 th August 2010, 12pm – 4pm	The Dell & Fens Pool - Pensnet	Brierley Hill



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activities

Despite poor weather conditions, Play Week 2010 was attended by an estimated 1300 children, young people and family members who took advantage of the wide range of free activities on offer. Activities on offer included arts and crafts, den building, sports & group games, story telling, climbing wall, dance workshops, tug of wars, information and much more!



An evaluation was completed during the course of the week with participants providing extremely positive feedback. Without exception, everyone consulted said that they would like to attend Dudley Play Week 2011!



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