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# Sample playground Plans

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# Welcome to PlatinumPlay

Within this brochure are more than 20 tried and tested playground plans for ages ranging from toddlers to teenagers. Please note that these plans are only examples of the designs we can offer you, we can readily modify these plans to suit your needs and we are more than happy to design a completely new plan to fit your available area and budget.

All of our plans are available with either aluminium or timber posts and decks. We can customise the look of your playground with colour powder coating, steel mesh climbing walls depending on your specific needs and desired finish.

It is worth noting that the listed suitable age ranges is our recommendation only, the capability of your children will be dependent on factors other than just their age.



*Please note that renderings and CAD drawings are indicative only, Playground People reserve the right to modify any of our designs as part of our continuous improvement process*

## Key Values of **Smarter** Play Environments

**Playground People Ltd is a New Zealand family business with decades of experience in the play-fitness industry. Our playground environments are world class and exported to Australia and around the Pacific.**

Our playground equipment is specifically designed to meet the needs of the children and young people it is created for. Our designs and product solutions have been proven to increase upper body strength, balance, co-ordination and cardio fitness.

Fun is always our first priority; if using the equipment isn't enjoyable, there will be no gains in fitness, strength and self-esteem and no happy kids. There are playgrounds and then there are Smarter Play Environments. We believe smarter play environments provide substantial benefits for children and for the community.



### **Play**

Smarter play environments stimulate fun, action and inspire the imagination.



### **Health**

Play should encourage children to take on physical and mental challenges that build both fitness and confidence.



### **Learning**

Play inspires children to discover and explore ideas in a fun and enjoyable way.



### **Social Development**

Play encourages social interaction, friendship and improves communication skills.

## Smarter **Warranty** Cover

Our comprehensive warranties cover defects resulting from material or production errors on:



H5 timber posts, aluminium posts/decks and fabricated galvanised steel components.



Chain, timber decks, and steel mesh panels.



Moulded plastic parts and ply climbing walls.

Warranties only apply to correctly maintained products and does not cover normal wear and tear, misuse or vandalism. We supply you with a maintenance guide for our products.



## Hot dipped galvanised finish standard

1. Black steel, cut and fabricated in our factory.
2. Fabricated components are chemically cleaned and then immersed in flux solution.
3. Treated steel is then fully immersed in molten zinc providing an average 140 micron thick protective metal coating over the entire component, inside and out. The components are then bought back to our factory for finishing.

## Powder coated finish

4. Hot dipped galvanised steel components are hand cleaned then treated with a two pot acid etch primer.
5. Your choice of coloured polyester powder is applied by spraying then baked on to lock the colour in, providing a further 50-100 microns of protection.

## Colour finish

We have an array of available colours for slides and powder coating – choose from one of our tried and tested colour schemes or let us help you with a customised colour pallet.



ALL powder coated components undergo the hot dipped galvanising process prior to powder coating. We are the only NZ playground supplier to offer this as a standard specification. We do not offer 'Coastal spec' - we provide the very highest quality finishing on all PlatinumPlay equipment to ensure the longevity of your playground.



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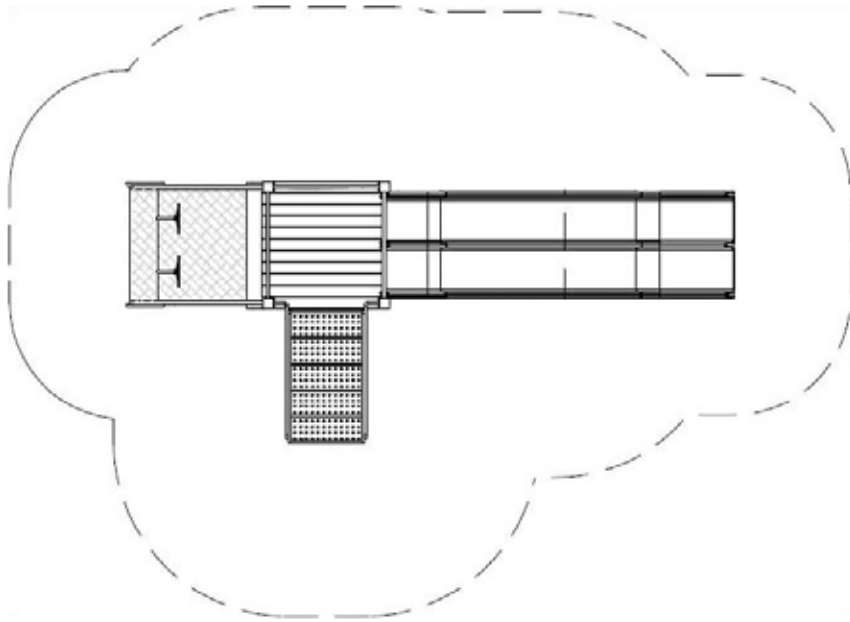


# Mini Tower JT 633



## A place especially for the little ones

The Mini Tower has been designed especially for littlies. It features accessible stairs - suitable for toddlers and adults that might be assisting them – which leads to a double slide. The Vroom car completes this structure, providing a great platform for imaginative play and is big enough for Mum or Dad to sit beside the younger player.



Fallzone  
**7.5m x 5.5m**

### Mini Tower JT 633



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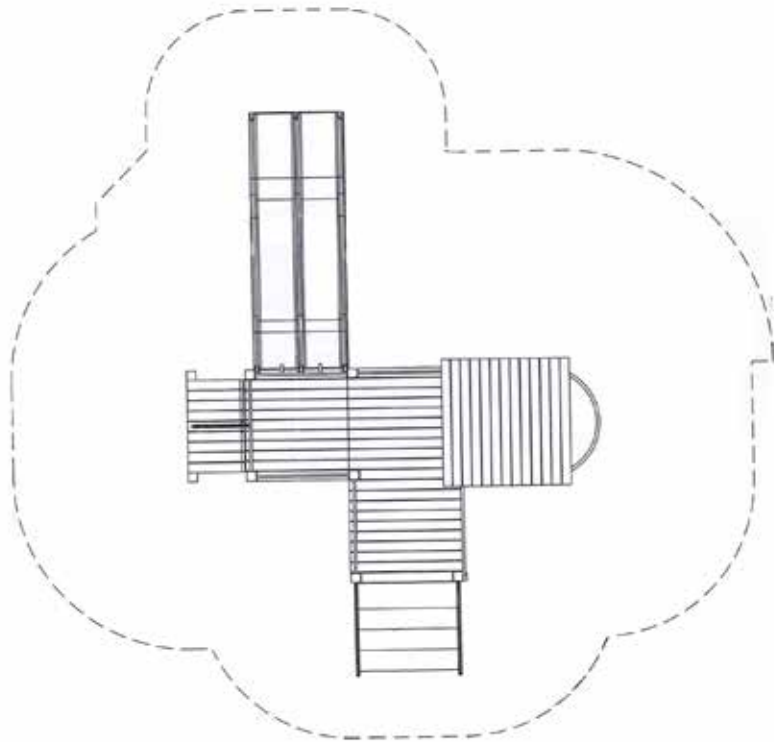
# Crawford Junior JT 454





## A popular preschool performer

The Crawford Junior has proven to be one of our more popular preschool designs. While compact in size, the configuration of the platform cluster allows for progressive climbing challenges, accessible stairs for toddlers, a fire pole and double slide.



Fallzone  
**7.5m x 7.5m**

**Crawford Junior JT 454**



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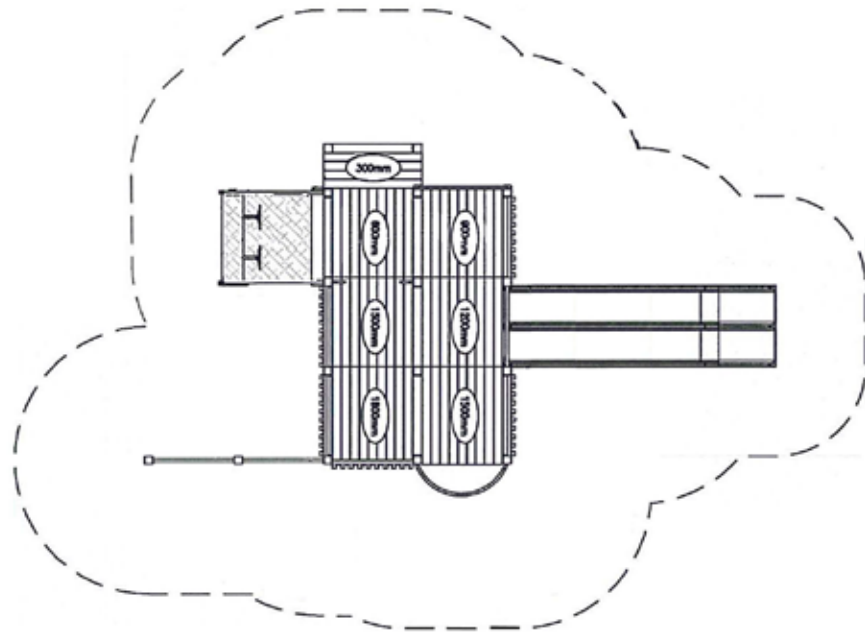


# Mini Fort JT 628 V2



## A perfect mix for the inquisitive

The Mini Fort is perfectly scaled for preschoolers, allowing them to easily climb to the uppermost deck on what, for them, feels like a playground for bigger kids. This cluster of six decks is great for imagination play and provides sliding, climbing, crawling, socialisation play and two classic turn bars to begin the development of upper body strength.



Fallzone  
**7M x 9.5M**

### Mini Fort JT 628 V2



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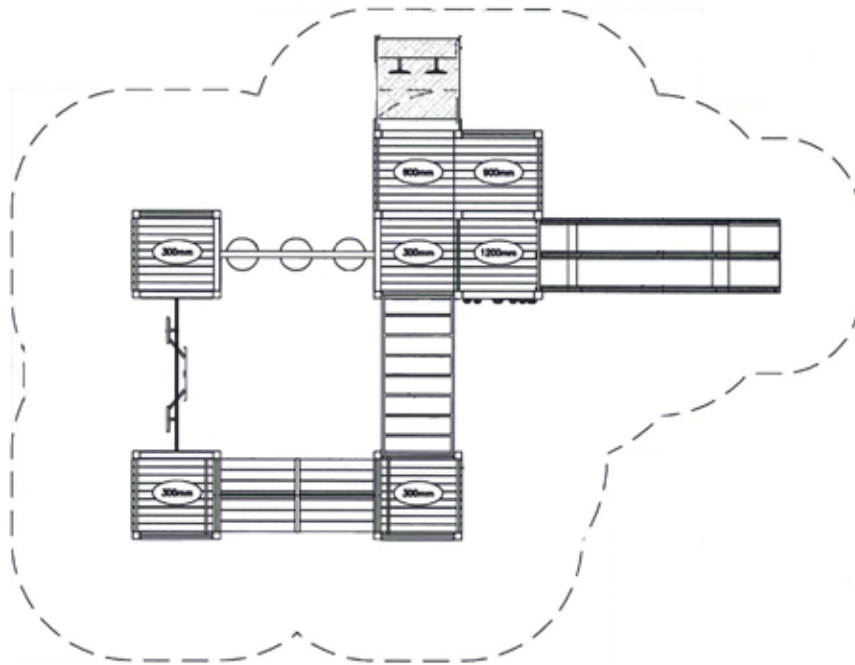


# Cathedral Junior JT 569 V7



# Round and round we go

A playful circuit scaled with age appropriate challenges including climbing, crawling, balancing and even a short Overhead Ladder for the more capable preschooler. Completed with a deck tower that includes a climbing wall and double slide.



Fallzone  
**11m x 8.5m**

## Cathedral Junior JT 569 V7



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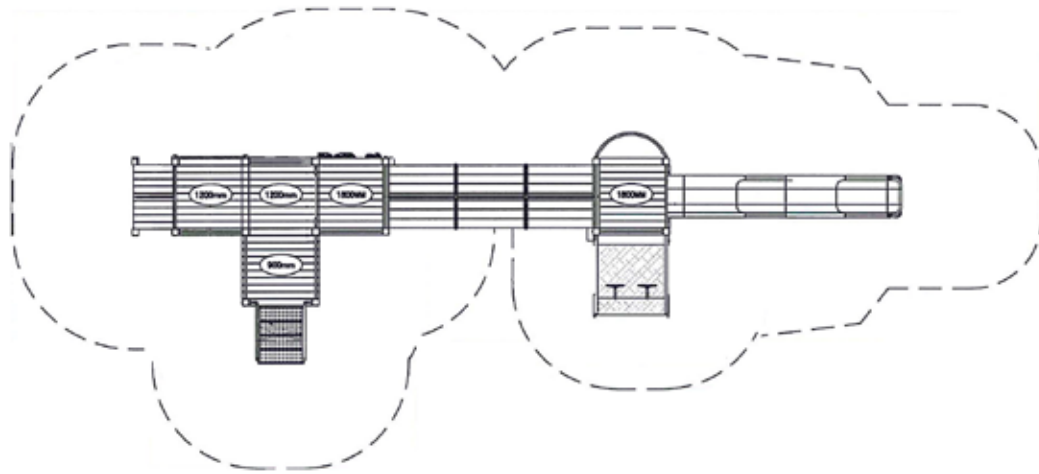


# Fielding Flyer JT 575 V2



## A clever fit for juniors

This junior playground has a lot of play value in a design made for narrow sites. It is quite a journey for younger users up the stairs to the upper levels, through the Castle Crawl Tunnel and down the 1.8m high wave slide. There is scope for imagination play, progressive climbing challenges and socialising - the design makes excellent use of limited spaces such as narrow areas alongside sports fields.



Fallzone  
**6m x 14.5m**

## Fielding Flyer JT 575 V2



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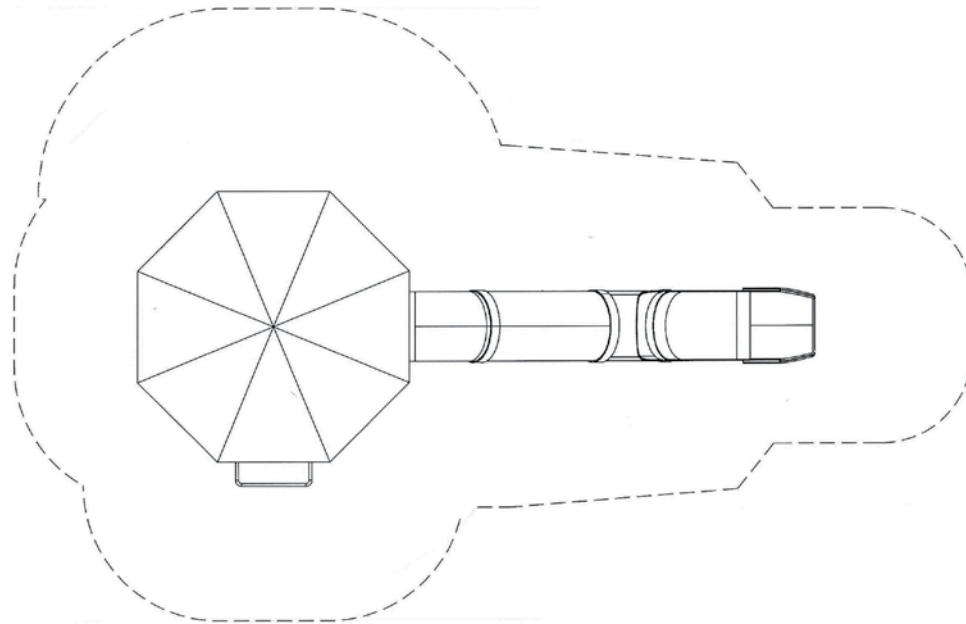
Tamatea CT 532





## A great social place to be

A roofed Octagonal tower with a 4.7m<sup>2</sup> deck provides shelter as well as an elevated viewing area and plenty of space for socialising, the Tube slide is always a favourite. The Tamataea Tower works great as a stand-alone tower or it can be connected to one of our other playground designs to provide a wider range of play experiences.



Fallzone  
8m x 12.5m

Tamatea CT 532



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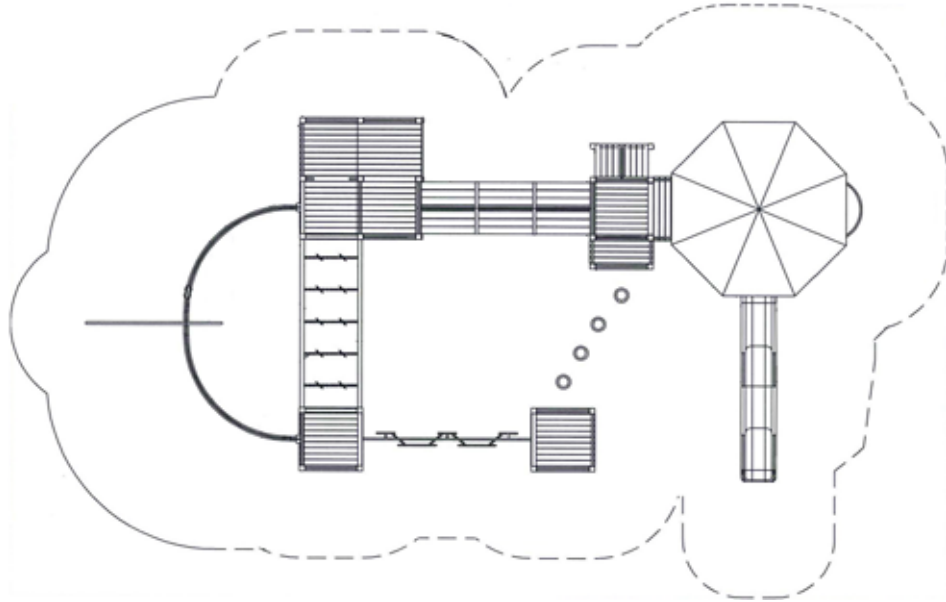


# Hillsborough 2.0 JT 579



## A junior primary school power house

Originally designed to fit into an existing play area at Hillsborough School in Auckland, we have found this design to be a very popular option for junior playgrounds in primary schools. While relatively compact this design packs in many play experiences – sliding, climbing, crawling, balancing, socialising and imagination play and age appropriate upper body challenges – the Gladiator Rings and a Radial Track Ride.



Fallzone  
**16.5m x 10.5m**

Hillsborough 2.0 JT 579



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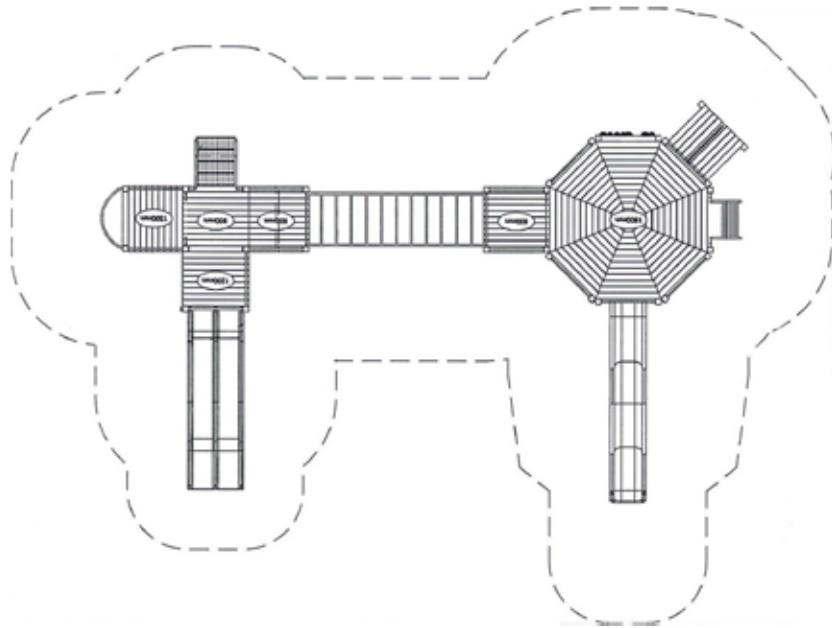


# Mooney JT583 V4



## A versatile favourite for public places

The Mooney design and several variations of it have proven a success in public playgrounds around New Zealand. The more junior deck cluster is perfectly complimented by the spacious Octagonal Deck Tower which is connected via the wobbly Inclined Log Stepper. Younger children get a real sense of achievement when they are able to traverse to the elevated deck unaided.



Fallzone  
**10.5m x 14m**

Mooney JT583 V4



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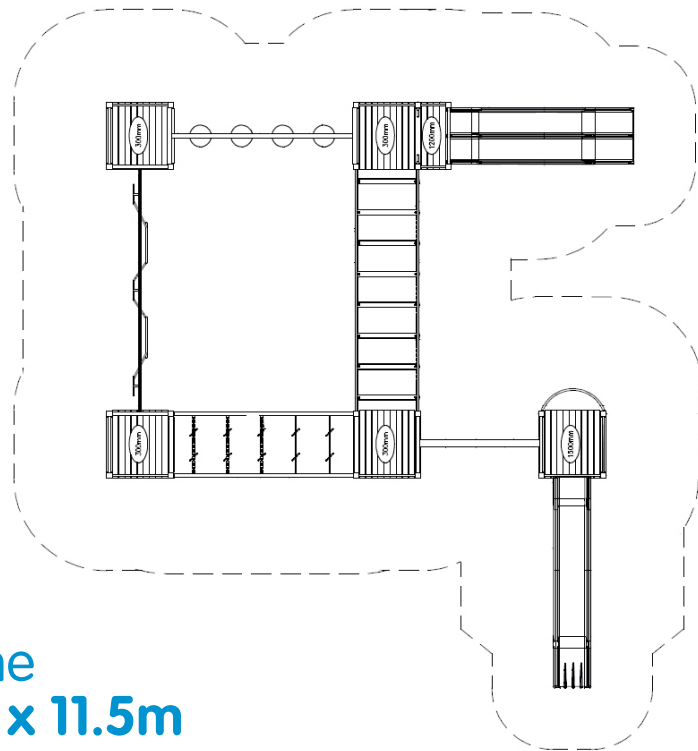


# Kaupokonui CT 610



## A structure with swift play flow

This design was created for the South Taranaki District Council play area at Kaupokonui Beach Camp. The playground is made to accommodate plenty of children at any one time, with a climbing, upper-body and balance circuit that connect two different sliding towers. The circuit design encourages children to flow around the structure in games of pursuit with the opportunity to branch off and use one of the slides or the fire pole for a quick exit.



Fallzone  
12.5m x 11.5m

Kaupokonui CT 610





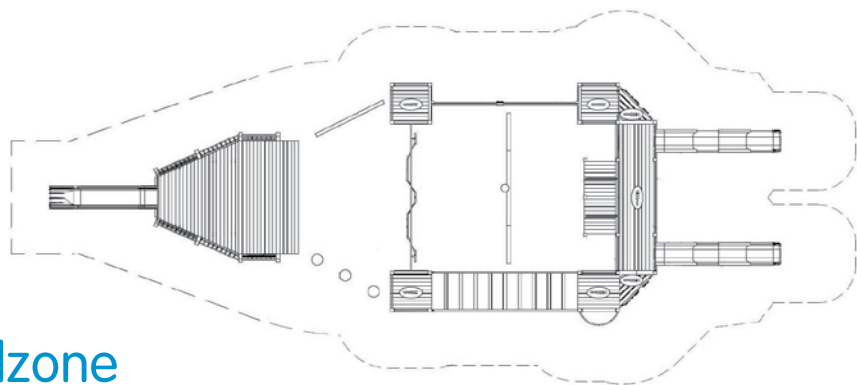
# Platinum Pirate Ship CT 578 V5





## An imaginative space for all

With many play areas being located near the coast, nautical theming adds an imaginative element to playgrounds. Providing a visual theme for play areas is a fun way to inspire kid's imaginations and make a play space stand out from others, however we firmly believe that the theming should not come at the expense of play value. For this reason, we approached the design of our ship with play as the first consideration. The result is our fantastic Pirate Ship! This includes a more challenging circuit for the older children based around the ship mast with a Rockwall and Slide tower making up the ships stern. We have created a bow that features a slide, ship steering wheel and port hole tunnel as well as a spacious inclined deck – making for a great imaginative play platform – which links back to the circuit via a balance plank and stepping pods.



Fallzone  
23m x 10.5m

# Platinum Pirate Ship CT 578 V5



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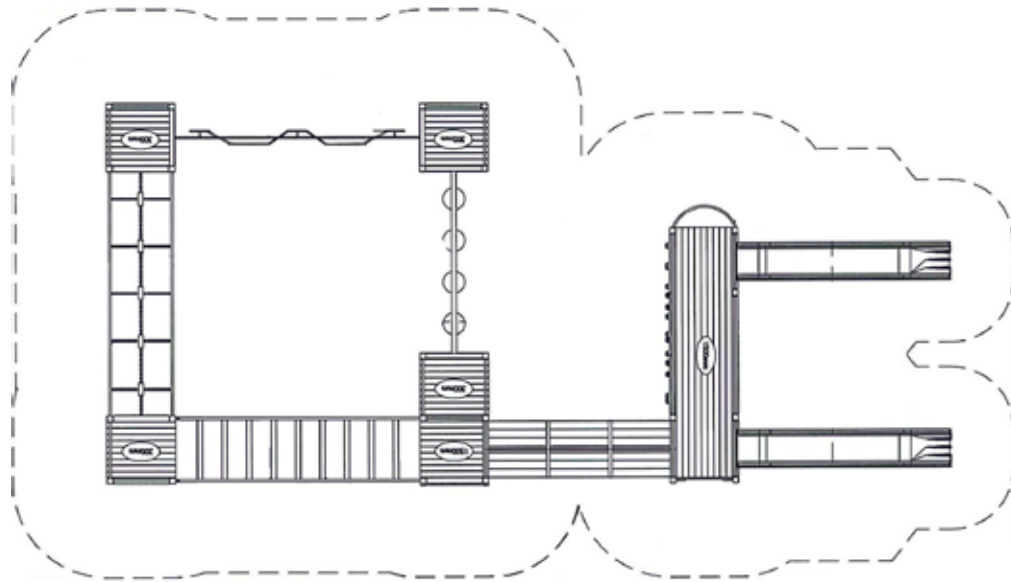


# Waipipi JT 571



## A great fit for advancing juniors

For schools that already have a good senior playground, the Waipipi design is a great option for capable junior students. The climbing and balance circuit has a Castle Crawl Tunnel connecting to a climbing wall tower with two slides and a fire pole.



Fallzone  
9.5m x 17.5m

Waipipi JT 571



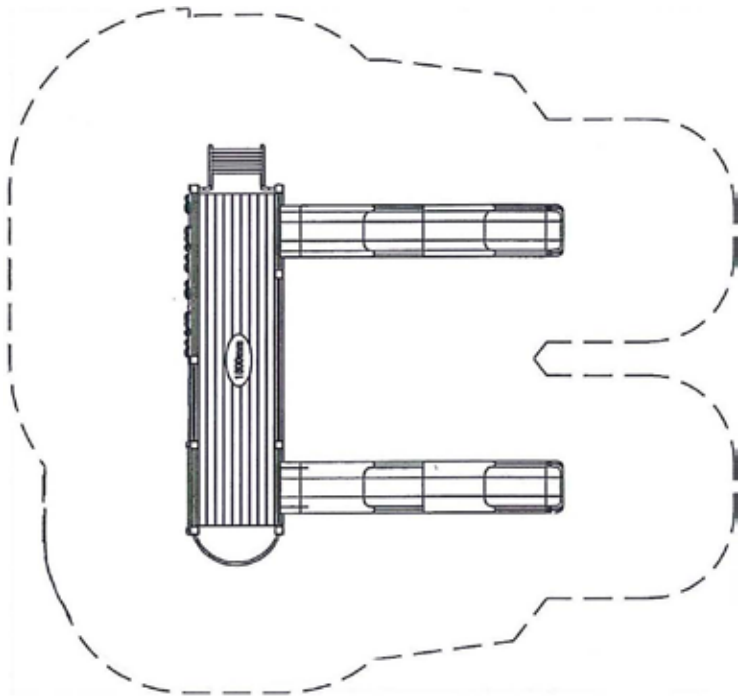


# Audley CT 566



## A practical solution for small spaces

This smaller structure includes an elevated 4m long deck with two 1.8m high wave slides and a fire pole. The deck can be accessed by a Hand/Eye climbing wall or our popular Steel Mesh Rock Wall. The design works particularly well where space is at a premium or in existing play areas to add climbing and sliding opportunities.



Fallzone  
9m X 8.5m

Audley CT 566



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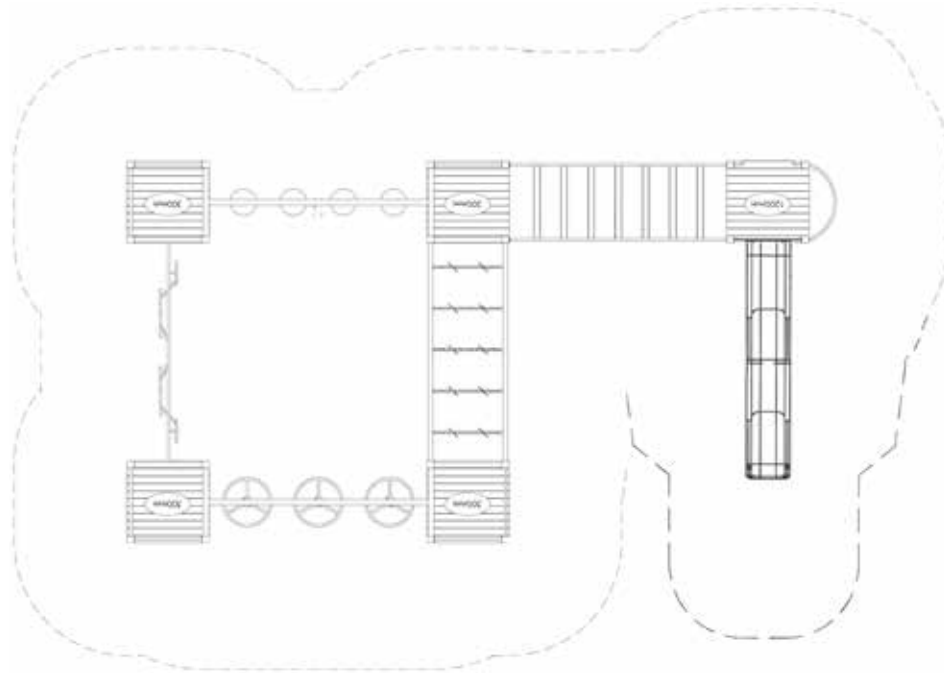
# Millwater CT 483



## A proven performer for play

The Millwater design is an old favourite of ours which has proven to work very well in small play areas where a wide age range needs to be catered for. It includes a circuit made up of 3m long challenges which are connected to a 1.8m high wave slide and fire pole by the popular Inclined Log Stepper.

Millwater CT 483



Fallzone  
**13.5m x 8.5m**



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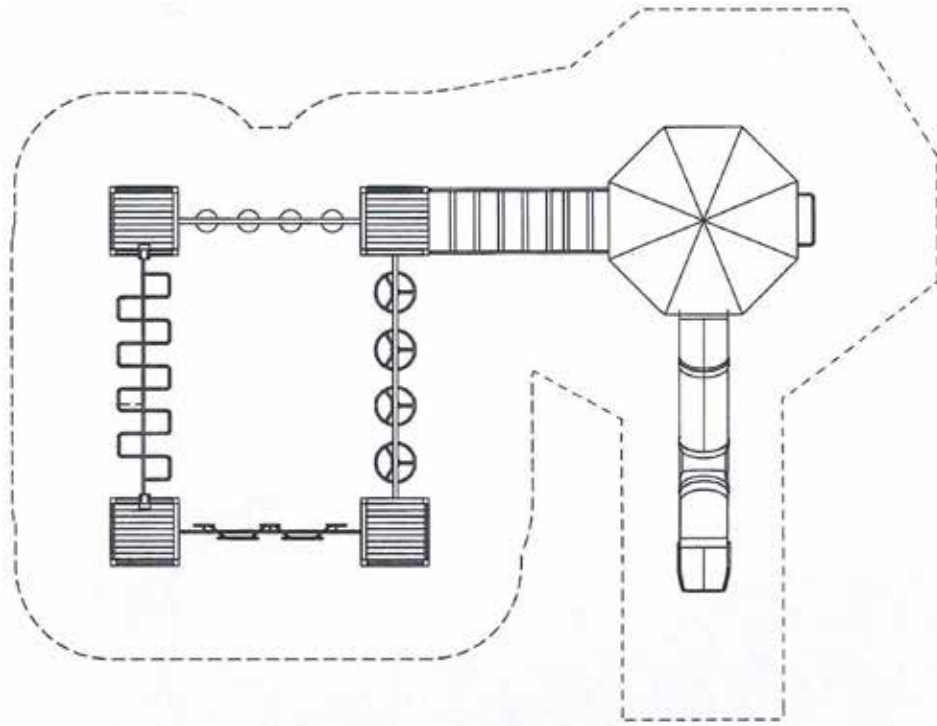
# Acacia CT 539M





## A sociable step up for play

The Acacia design is a step up from the smaller Millwater model – the events in the circuit are a more challenging 4m in length and the Inclined Log Stepper leads to an Octagonal Deck Tower which provides plenty of room for socialising and an impressive Tube Slide to exit.



Fallzone  
**12m x 15.5m**

Acacia CT 539M



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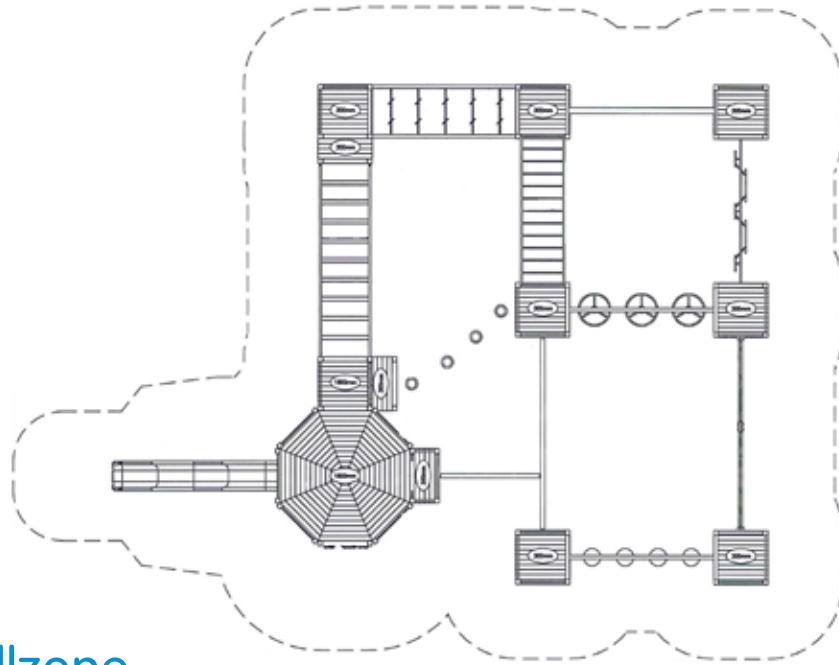


# The Highlander CT 572 V3



## A challenge for all ages

The Highlander is perfect for schools where one playground needs to cater to all pupils from year 1 to 7. The design is configured with 4 potential circuits, which allow children to choose their own pathway around the playground or teachers can design circuits for the children to navigate as part of their PE curriculum. The elevated roofed Octagonal Deck tower gives the children an area to rest, socialise and observe away from the action.



Fallzone  
16.5m x 13m

## The Highlander CT 572 V3



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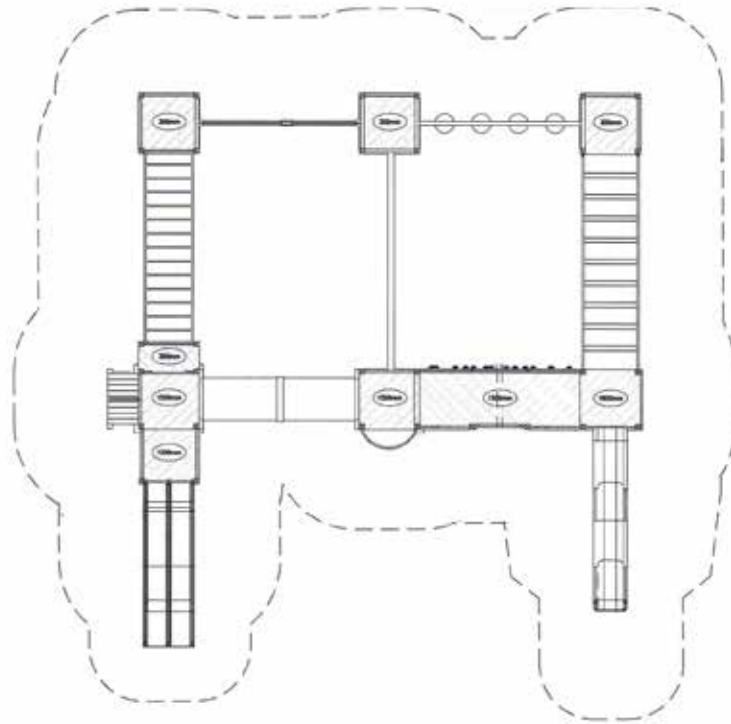


# Sovereign Palms CA 613



## An elevated eye-catching design

The Sovereign Palms design was created for a public playground in a high end property development. The double circuit makes this playground perfect for games of pursuit which can be enjoyed by kids of all ages. The design has been configured so that one whole side of the playground is elevated, this gives the structure a real presence and the placement of this frontage will draw children into the playground signalling that this is a place where there is fun to be had.



Fallzone  
13m x 13m

Sovereign Palms CA 613



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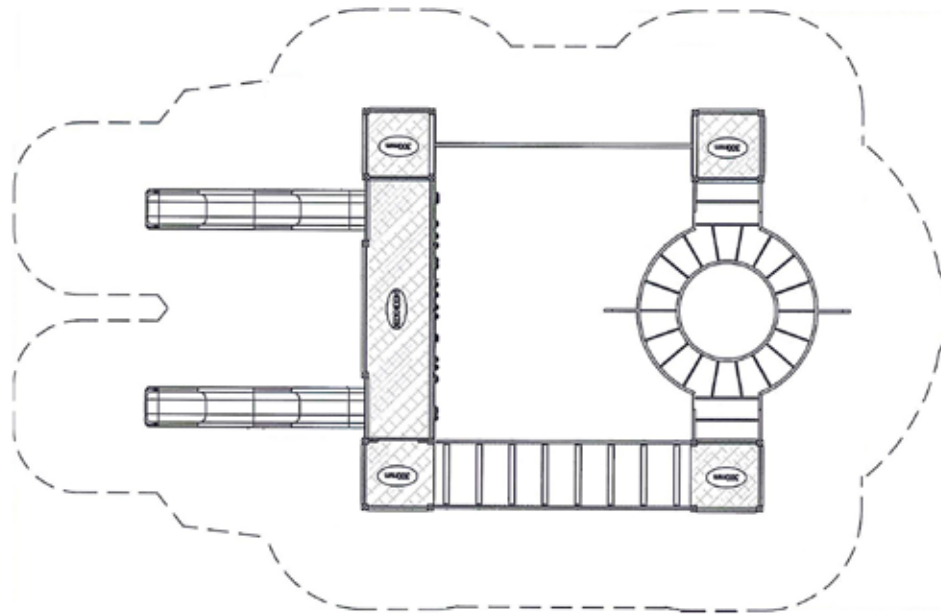


# Omapere SA 574



# A robust configuration for neighbourhood play spaces

The Omapere design is a step up from the Audley design, adding a balance and upper-body circuit. This is a robust configuration that suits playgrounds where there are already more dynamic play opportunities on offer, providing more structured play for older children.



Fallzone  
9m x 14m

Omapere SA 574



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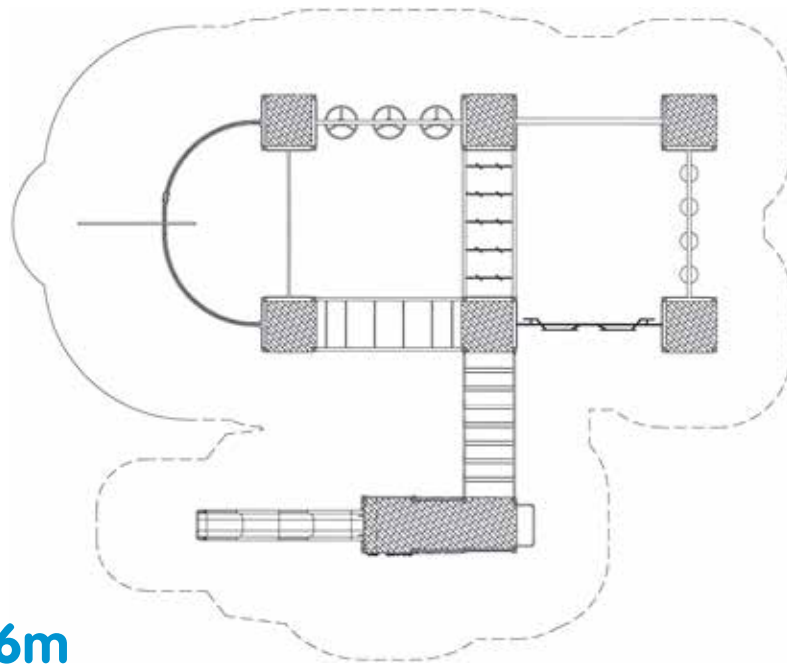
Tairua CA 527





# An all age play starter for any environment

Aluminium post and decks ensure maximum protection against all environmental and social conditions. A council favourite for coastal locations, these playgrounds have proven to stand the test of time. This design was created for a seaside location on the Coromandel Peninsular where dozens of children can descend onto the playground at any time of day during the summer months. The playground has two circuits of climbing, upper body and balance challenges (one slightly easier than the other) which are connected to a slide tower with the Incline Log Stepper.



Fallzone  
13.5m x 16m

Tairua CA 527



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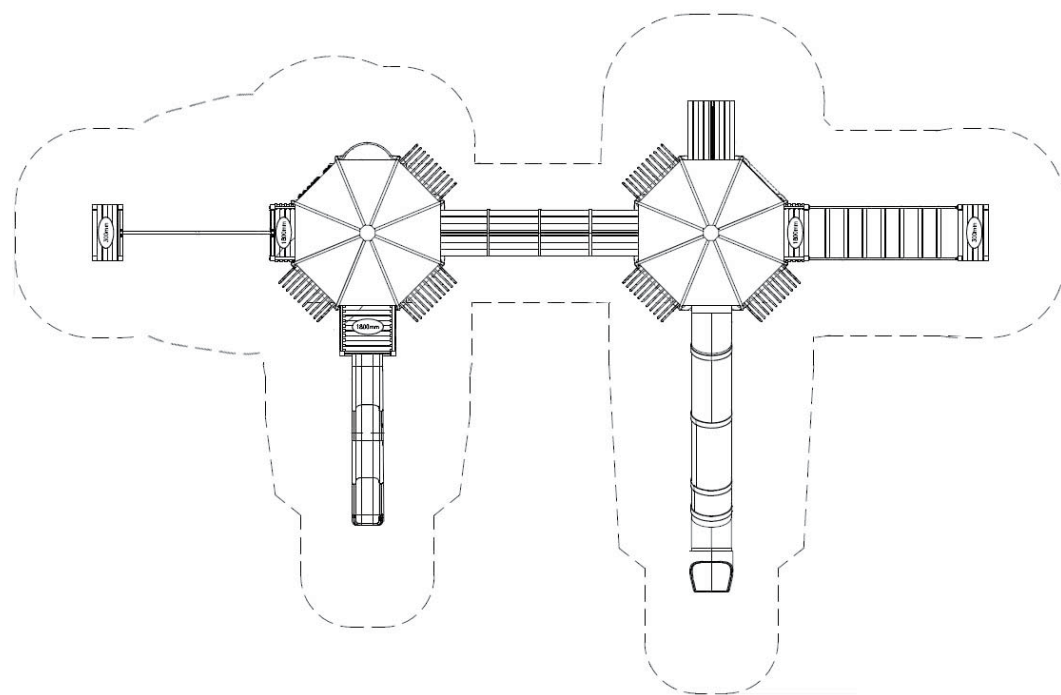


# Cirques Towers CT 637



## A designer destination

Cirque Towers are a great example of the sort of destination playground style structure that we can create for you. Two towers connected by the Castle Crawl tunnel with multiple means of access and egress, will engage many children at any one time and make a real statement in your play area.



Fallzone  
20m x 13.5m

Cirque Towers CT 637



Allenby Park



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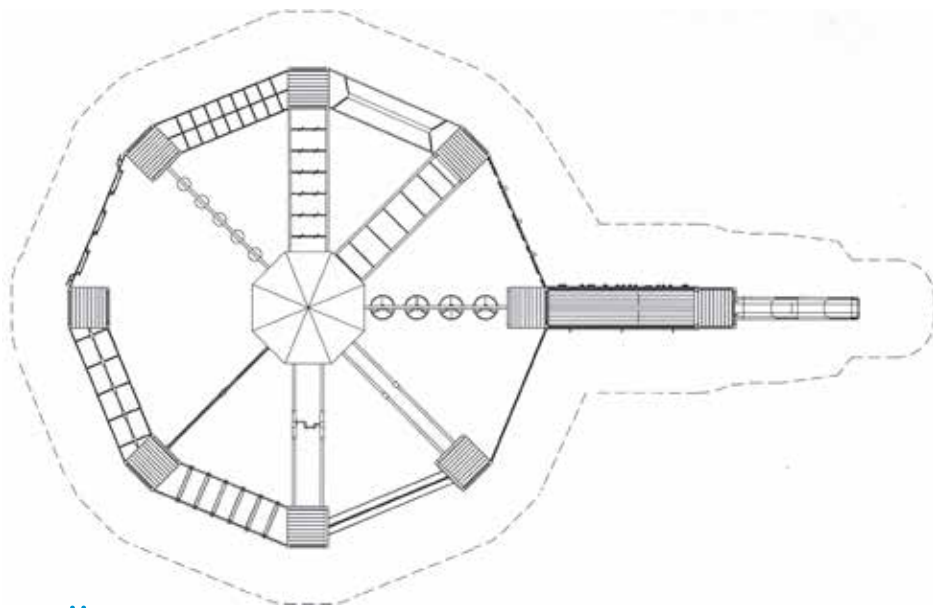


# StarQuest Kingsway SQ 10



## A multi directional masterpiece

The StarQuest is one of our flagship designs. This is a large playground, which will accommodate huge numbers of children at any one time and combines the pick of our upper-body, balance and climbing challenges for this age group. The octagonal shape means that there are at least three directions children can chose to go at any point in the playground. This allows for multiple different circuits which children can create for themselves, so there are many different ways to play on this structure.



Fallzone  
16m x 24m

*Note: As with all of our designs, we include decks between all of the events. Decks allow for safe transition between the different events, an area for children to wait their turn and safely pass each other as well as socialise.*

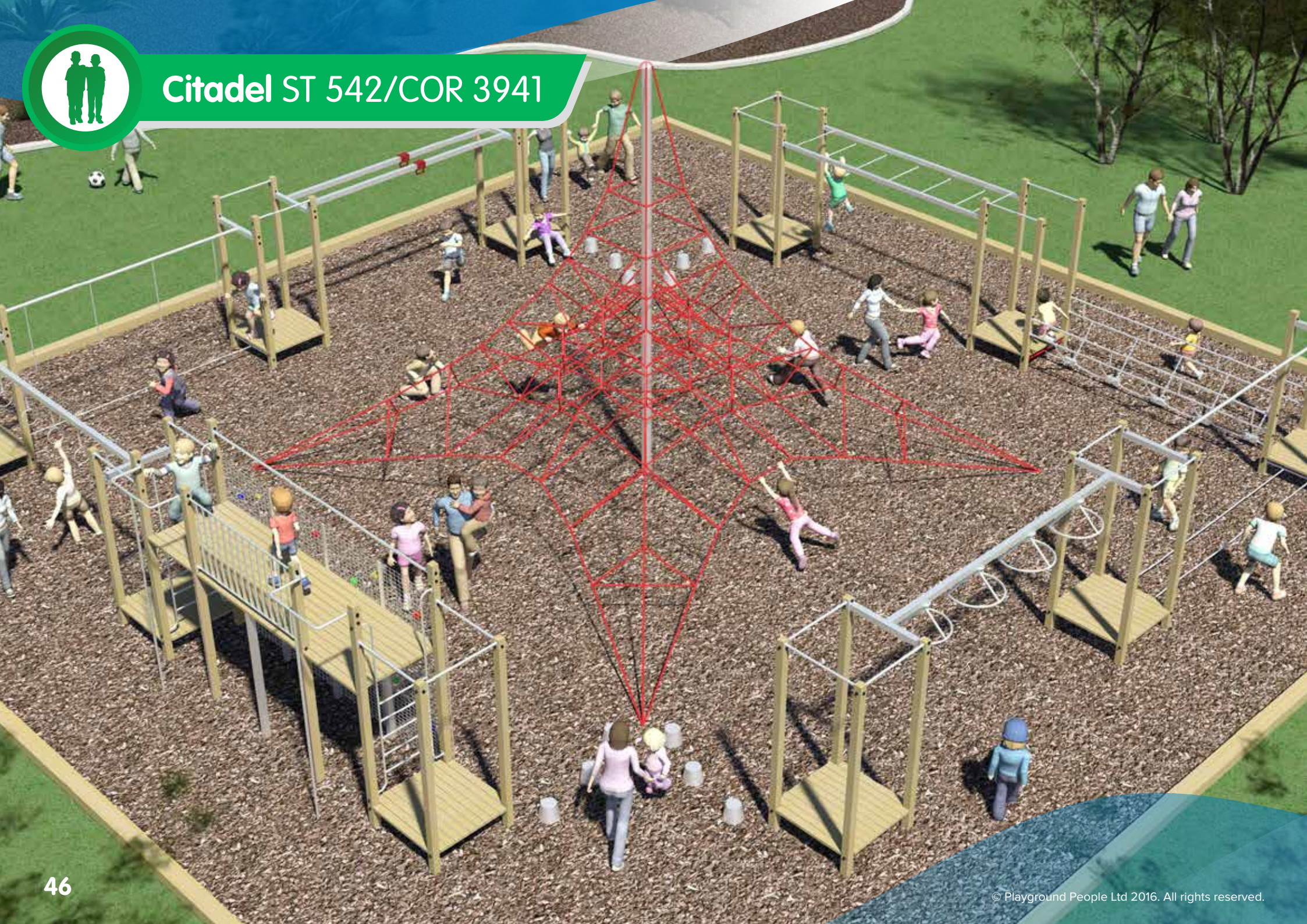
# StarQuest Kingsway SQ 10



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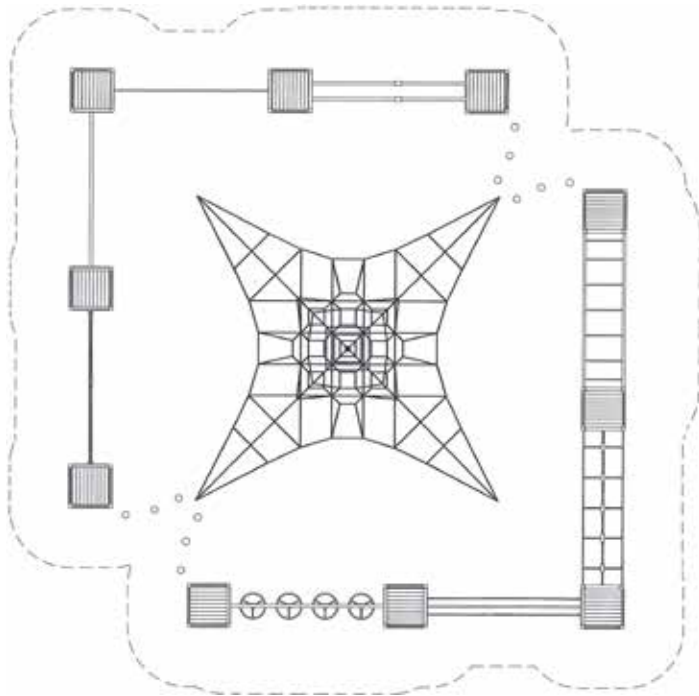


# Citadel ST 542/COR 3941



## Climbing to new heights

The Citadel is an impressive looking playground consisting of an 11m x 11m Circuit of balance and upper-body challenges surrounding a 6m high Corocord Spacenet. This playground offers the best of playground fitness challenges as well as the best possible climbing experience from Corocord – the Spacenet Inventors – the highest quality rope play equipment on the market.



Fallzone  
**18.5m x 18.5m**

**Citadel ST 542/COR 3941**



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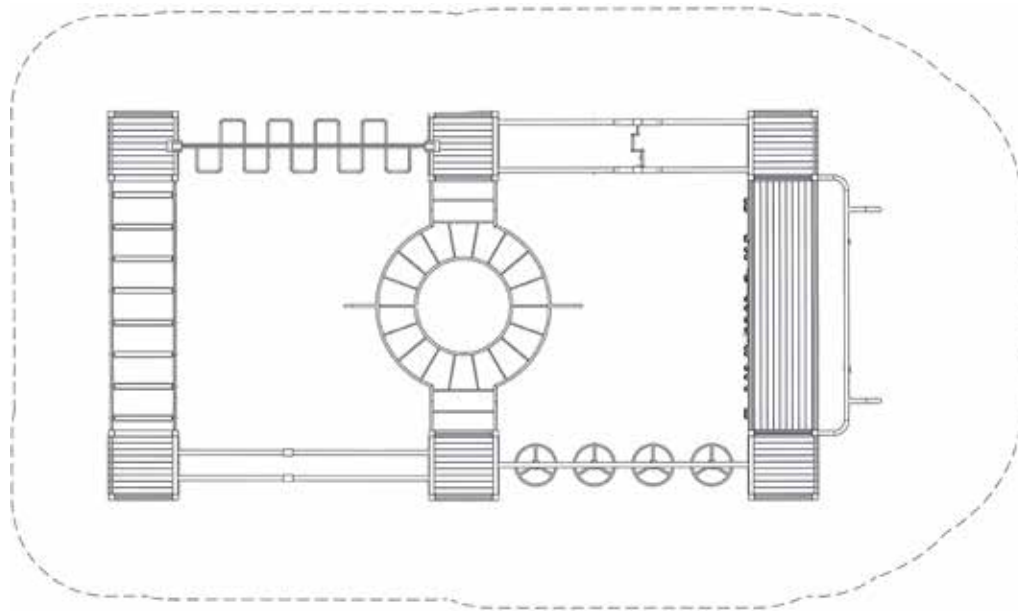
# Stoke ST 459





## A double circuit for serious play

The Stoke design is a double circuit senior playground made up of challenging 4m long events and is perfectly suited for primary schools that already have playgrounds catering for their junior and middle school students. This playground will give the younger children something to look forward to and to progress toward.



Fallzone  
10m x 15.5m

Stoke ST 459



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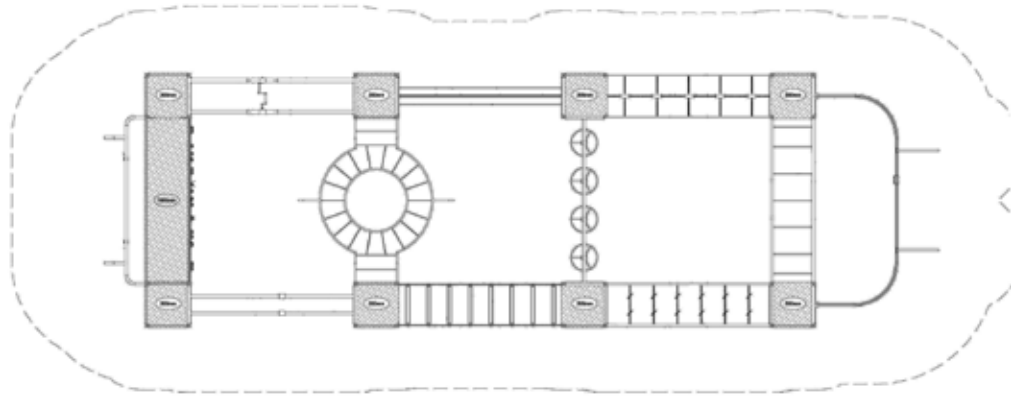


# Spriggs Foreshore SA 251



## A superior senior fitness circuit

One of our famed Senior fitness circuit playgrounds. We use 4m long events to ensure ongoing challenge for even the most capable children - even adults will want to give this a go. It was on one of our playgrounds, similar to this model, that Auckland University carried out a world first study in 1998 that proved the fitness benefits of casual play. With a few slight modifications over the years, these circuit designs are still building the physical capabilities of kiwi kids all over New Zealand and creating health fitness habits that last them a life time.



Fallzone  
**24.5m x 10m**

**Spriggs Foreshore SA 251**



# Add to the fun!

To ensure we deliver a **smarter play environment** every time, we have partnered with the world's leading playground manufactures to enhance our own manufacturing capabilities.

Their worldwide experience ensures that we have access to the latest innovation and research on play and its benefits. When we introduced our equipment and designs to New Zealand playgrounds we changed the meaning of play and what people expect from play spaces.



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**Trail Fit**



**Sensory Play**



**Kompan Supernova**




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