

The Working Party to develop recommendations for improving access and parking to recreational facilities on the Eastern side of Farnsfield.

Purpose of the Working Party

The aim of the working party is to develop recommendations to Council for a balanced approach to access to recreational facilities on the Eastern side of Farnsfield. This includes consideration of paths, wheelchair and cycle access, eco-friendly road access, car parking, and access for maintenance and emergency services. The study is important because Parish Council-sponsored recreational development, almost all on Council land, is growing considerably in this part of the village. Current activities now include football, wheeled sports, cricket, children's play area and pétanque, complemented by recreational activities in Millennium Wood, allotment horticulture, and theatrical and community events on Reynolds Field.

Terms of Reference

The working party will comprise 3 councillors, appointed by Council, plus the option for members of the public to join, again appointed by Council. The first report is to be made in time for the full Council meeting scheduled for Tuesday 26th September 2023, with a deadline of Monday 18th September for submission to be added onto the September Full Council agenda.

The lead Councillor will have responsibility for arranging meetings, facilitating discussion and coordinating the outcome of discussions into one or more Working Party recommendations for Council to consider.

All Councillors involved on the Working Party will be copied into the submission of the report to the Clerk by the lead Councillor of the Working Party.

The lead Councillor will submit to Council a full report providing all positives and/or negatives of any such outcomes, proposals or options discussed in meetings for the full Council to consider.

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