

DATA RESULTS OF CONSULTATION QUESTIONNAIRE 29TH APRIL 2013

RUGBY ROAD RECREATION GROUND

Goodmans are working on the new housing development off Rugby Road and a plan is already in place for the recreation ground, which is currently owned by Goodmans plc.

A consultation open day was held on 29th April 2013 providing an opportunity for residents to view those plans and give their opinions about the proposed new facilities and landscaping enhancements.

A short questionnaire was made available at the open day event and the responses have been analysed below.

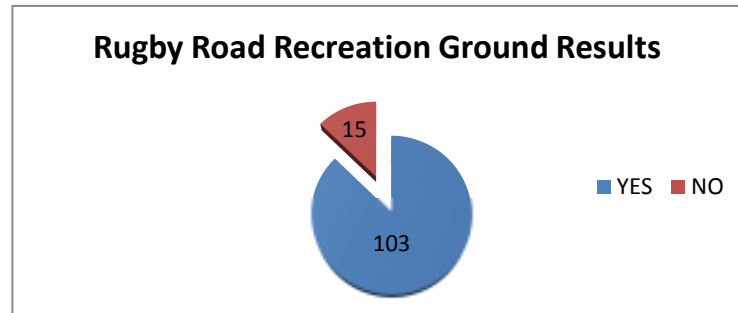
A total of 118 questionnaires were completed.

87% said YES, supporting the proposed plans and 13% said NO

Question :

Do you support the proposed development and landscaping plans?

Options	Number
YES	103
NO	15



Comments Received:

- Concerns that the new car park has no barriers for protection
- Skate park will cause noise pollution for nearby residents
- An excellent use of the space and a welcome extra facility for young people
- Skate park area needs a section of flat ground with manual boxes, flat grind boxes and flat rail for new riders and skateboarders
- Looks carefully thought through and away from houses
- An additional footpath around the BMX track would be a good idea
- Sufficient bins need to be provided to ensure litter is disposed of properly
- Why do we have to put up with constant invitation to youths in this area. How nice that Britannia Road is have yet another new play area. It would have been nice to put a new park on Rugby Road recreation ground as some equipment has been in use for over 40 years
- It looks good as I understand that the land is to be handed over to the Council
- A skate park was demolished on other site so what is the point? Residents are already upset about the 'Shelter'
- Concern that no fencing along the Rugby Road side has been planned. Prior to development there was a substantial fence to prevent children, balls and dogs emerging onto the busy main road
- Wrong location for kids play area – too rough
- It will be great to see this space overhauled in line with the new developments in that area. The addition of the skate park facility is vital and long overdue for the Parish as well as the Borough
- In favour of any development that gives children more play and recreation space
- Badly needed
- This will provide much needed facilities for young people
- Skatepark is a good idea. Need to think of possible uses in bad weather
- No point complaining about troublesome children if there is no relief from boredom
- This is a great idea, there is currently nothing for this type of sport in the area and I think should help with anti-social behaviour
- New housing in the area will mean an influx of youth who will need outdoor activities. The addition of a skatepark encompasses all ages from 6yrs up and it will bring people together and create community spirit
- Careful and informed decisions need to be made concerning skate/scooter/bmx park and paths to get to it. (speak to teenagers to make sure it is what they want and will use it)
- Would prefer the skatepark re-located in order to retain a wide open quiet space with potential for cricket as it may become increase in popularity with the 20:20 version of the game
- Concerned sign post sends M69 traffic via Park Road?
- Potential major problems regarding noise and antisocial behaviour with no parking and access control and the skate park so close to Bowls Club
- Plans don't go far enough to provide facilities for teenagers. Provide all weather pitches that can be hired out. Put up flood lights on existing pitch which could also be hired out to assist with costs.
- Only if youth shelter is moved to the proposed skatepark location and why when council members said no more skateparks is one being considered?
- Could the cycle path be made into a circular route?
- Skatepark would be fantastic for engaging with young people