

The Rainbow Lane Enhancement Project for Family Community use Consultants “Arts of Protest” Results

The Vision:-

To enhance the already established play area at Rainbow Lane to encourage a family orientated space as a community outside facility

Survey Headlines:-

15%	Survey response is statistically significant – (Good is 5% - 8%)
66%	Response from schools Malton and Norton Primary and Secondary
33%	Already used Rainbow Lane Play Area
50%	Would go on to use Rainbow Lane Play Area when enhanced
90%	Value the Rainbow Lane Play Area as a family community space
66% *	Consider enhancement as a good use of public funds
50%	Would recommend the Rainbow Lane Play Area to others
55%	Want the enhancement to lower carbon emissions
79%	Want a community identity through art

Priority of Enhancement:-

1. **Pump Track** to replace the idea of a Roller Bowl after reviewing the responses from residents which indicate concerns re noise. A Pump Track will be more “environmentally friendly” in terms of building materials normally used to construct them rather than a Roller Bowl made entirely of concrete. Plus there would not be the need to have a perimeter fence to be locked during the evenings
2. **Picnic Areas** – Covered but open sided to give protection from rain and sun. Having open sides would discourage anti-social behaviour.
3. **Painted Basket Ball Court**
4. **Bike Racks**
5. **Recycling Zone** – Education, Enrichment, Engagement
6. **New Equipment** – a Castle Climbing Frame with open sides
7. **Landscaping** which will be inherent to the project it would include trees, hedges, bushes and tall grasses to dampen noise
8. **Information Station** (Map of the town to identify places of interest)
9. **Disabled Access** is a given throughout the project
10. **Café Kiosk** an idea to be developed and trialled during the school holidays

Next Steps

Working Party Recommendation to Full MTC:-

- Match funding with national bids
- Procurement three quotes based on our specification
- Timeline for completion if adopted for resolution

*Generally the public were not aware that MTC were seeking match funding this project with national funding bodies such as “Sports England”.