



Green Flag Award 2019

Name of Site: Belmont

Managing Organisation:

Desk Assessment Feedback (Management Plan and supporting documentation)

Criteria	Strengths	Recommendations
Presentation	This is a well presented management plan with good use of maps, charts and photos. It is clearly written and accessible to all users of the site via the website.	
Health, Safety & Security	This is comprehensively covered in the plan. It is good to see 'joined up' thinking in relation to encouraging people to walk in their parks across the borough with the Walk in the Park initiative. The inclusion of crime figures indicates an open approach crime prevention.	The plan mentions Designing out Crime which is very informative but would benefit from how this is being specifically applied to this site.
Maintenance of equipment, buildings & landscape	There is a clear description of what is in the park, how it is maintained and by who.	It is good to see an inspection schedule in the plan and it would also be useful to see records of this and actions that have come out of these inspections.
Litter, cleanliness, vandalism	It is made clear in the plan who is responsible for litter collection and when it should be collected. Haringey also support national campaigns to highlight litter. This criteria also forms part of the KPI's for the site. Graffiti is removed in an appropriate time frame depending on what it is and reporting of it can be done via an App.	

Environmental Management	This criteria is described as for all Haringey sites.	Chemical use should be considered a 'last option' rather than an economic one
Biodiversity, Landscape and Heritage	There is a specific BAP within the management plan which identifies what is being managed and how.	
Community Involvement	There is firm commitment within the plan to provide a space for the whole community.	Examples of community events would be useful to see. It is good to see ambition for volunteering a specific plan for this would be beneficial
Marketing & Communication	It is good to see that Marketing and Communication is seen to be a two way process between the park and its users.	Examples of how the two way communication process happens would be helpful
Overall management	The plan has a good foundation to deliver quality on the ground if adopted by all those responsible for the site.	The Action plan is a bit short in time and would benefit from a comments box at the end

Additional comments

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Field Assessment Feedback

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A Welcoming Place	The site is a nice open site that feels welcoming to potential visitors.	
Healthy, Safe and Secure		There are one or two holes in play surface which should be mended to prevent further degradation.
Well Maintained and Clean	During the Judges visit the bins were empty. The trees across the site appeared to be well looked after.	There was some litter in tree guards that should be removed, it would be useful to identify who is responsible for removing this to ensure it is not an ongoing situation.
Environmental Management		There appeared to be limited use of chemicals on the site.
Biodiversity Landscape and Heritage	It was good to see the use of natural flora to protect and enhance borders to park.	
Community Involvement	The park is actively trying to establish a Friends group.	
Marketing and Communication	Good use of appropriate channels	

Management	The plan applied	

Additional Comments

The Judges are happy to award the Green Flag to this site but it will be very important moving forward that the management plan is used as an active document to ensure that the standard is maintained for future years.

