

Improvements to the Muswell Hill Playing Fields, N10

The Council's decision making Cabinet considered and approved the implementation of a phased approach to this project with phase I to be completed by 31st March 2010.

Phase I is for the provision of new sports and play facilities for children and young people in a small section of the playing fields connected by new paths. In response to resident concerns over the risk of vandalism / anti social behaviour we have included CCTV in the scheme.

Phase II is for football and community facility improvements that includes a new pavilion and pitch improvements. We will continue to work to raise funds for this element of the master plan.

Phase III is to improve the natural environment. As in phase II this element requires additional funding and we will seek to raise these sums mainly through external sources.

The proposed layout can be found in the attached files section below and shows the improvements located on the former cricket pitch. An alternative cricket wicket will be placed between the side lines of two adjacent football pitches.

Consultation with young people indicated that a skatepark should be included in the master plan, though it did not score highly enough in the 2008 resident survey for automatic inclusion. Further evidence of need for this facility will be researched through consultation in particular with local children and young people. If the skatepark proceeds, then it is hoped to be part sculpted into the existing grass bank and railed off for safety.

If you would like any further information regarding the planned improvements to Muswell Hill Playing Fields please contact Martin Hall on 020 8489 5873.

Proposed layout – close up

Design options 1

MUSWELL HILL PLAYING FIELDS



Proposed layout – whole area

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