AXMINSTER TOWN COUNCIL

Jubilee Field Dog Options Survey

November 2021

Axminster Town Council will soon be taking full responsibility for the Jubilee Field, situated between Boxfield Road, Swain Close, Musbury Road and Dukes Way.

The Council wishes to provide a recreation facility that meets the majority of resident's and user's needs.

There are outline plans for planting trees, shrubs and flowers but this survey is focusing on the element concerning dogs.

Discussions regarding dogs in Jubilee Field have led the Council to consider a dog free area within the field itself.

Jubilee Field is currently a totally dog accessible other than the fenced off children's play area.

We have drawn up three (3) options. Two create a dog free zone incorporating the children's play areas and one that restricts dogs to a particular area of the field with the remainder of the field being dogs on leads at all times. Please review the options and choose which one you think best fits with the needs of the community. The descriptions are below with sketches overleaf.

Option 1 shows the existing field with the addition of fencing around the mown area where football and other ball games may be played. Dogs will be free to roam in all other areas.

Option 2 extends the dog free area to include Option 1 plus an area encompassing other grassland that will be fenced off and be totally dog free. Dogs will be free to roam in all other areas

Option 3 creates a free running dog area on the hill to the east of the field, with the rest of the field being dogs on leads. There is no dog free area in this option.

Please add any other comments you have in the space provided below.

Benches, tables and chairs will be a definite part of the project once the general lanting and dog arrangements have been agreed.

Please place any other comments here.

My preferred option for dogs in Jubilee Field is

Please choose only ONE of the options.

Existing fence around play area
Dog Free

Option 1
Fence around mown grass play area to be dog free.

Proposed dog free area

Option 1

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Existing fence around play area
Dog Free

Option 2
Remove the fence from the play area and refence with a friendlier rustic style fence surrounding the whole area as in Option 2. Area to include a benches and tables and to be dog free.

Proposed dog free area

Option 2

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Existing fence around play area
Dog Free

Option 3
Highlighted area fenced for to run dogs run safe and free.
Rest of field, dogs on leads at all times. No dog free area other than children's play area.

Option 3

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Please return your survey to Axminster Town Council at the Guildhall, EX13 5NX