

# Saxilby with Ingleby Children and Young People's Consultation

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# **Background and Introduction**

As part of the Saxilby with Ingleby Neighbourhood Plan process, the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group of Saxilby with Ingleby Parish Council was keen to hear the views of children and young people who live and use the facilities in the area. These views could then inform the development of the Plan, particularly as the Plan will cover a period of 21 years.

In December 2015 an initial consultation session was held with children and young people attending the Youth Group in Saxilby. This shaped the focus of the consultation in this report.

The Steering Group worked closely with Saxilby Primary School and invited children to complete an online survey, which was facilitated during school time. 70 children completed the survey through this approach. The survey was also promoted to parents through the FOSS (Friends of Saxilby School) Facebook page during the Easter holidays which resulted in a further 5 children giving their views. A total of 75 children between the ages of 4-11 responded.

The same survey (with some additional questions on gym equipment and living and working in the parish) was also available online and as a paper version for young people aged 10-21. The survey was promoted on the NDP Facebook page, the NDP website and paper copies were also available at local groups including the Scouts and Guides, with 53 young people sharing their views. The overlap in age 10 and 11 year olds for the children's and young people's survey was due to 10 and 11 year olds also attending the local groups.

Consultation took place with children and young people aged 4-21 during March and April 2016 with a total of 128 children and young people sharing their views.

# **Age and Gender Profile**

4 to 11 year olds: 86 respondents Female: 69 respondents 12 to 16 year olds: 35 respondents Male: 57 respondents

17 to 21 years old: 6 respondents

The **children's survey** (4-11 years old) covered a number of areas including:

- What respondents like about the area and what could be improved,
- The activities they enjoy and what activities they would like to do,
- The types of play equipment they would like at the Memorial Field and West Croft Drive parks, and,
- Any further comments.

The **young people's survey** (10-21 years old) mirrored the above questions but also asked for their views on:

- The types of gym equipment they would like at the two parks, and,
- Living and working in the village.



The children at the school received a rosette, donated by a local business, after completing the survey.

Note: Where numbers of respondents/responses are stated in the report below, this is the number of respondents/responses to each question; therefore it will vary from question to question and may be less than the overall number of people who completed the survey, as not every respondent answers every question.

Percentages may total more or less than 100% due to rounding. This will not exceed +/-1%.

# **Summary of Results**

The key themes that emerged out of the children's and young people's consultation are shown below:

What children and young people like in the area:

- Clubs in the area
- Open spaces to play

# What would improve the area:

- Less dog poo
- Improved leisure and play facilities
- A place to meet friends, particularly for teenagers and young people
- More activities specifically for teenagers and young people

# How to develop the Memorial Field:

- Skate, bike and scooter park
- Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) with football, netball, basketball and cricket
- Play area with zip wire, climbing wall and climbing frame
- Outdoor gym with exercise bike and treadmill

# How to develop the Westcroft Drive park:

- Swings, climbing wall, slides, cycle track, picnic tables and jumps
- Outdoor gym equipment

# Living and working in the area

- Over 40% of young people wanted to work in the village now or in the future
- Most young people did not know whether they wanted to live in the village when they were older

# **Results and Analysis**

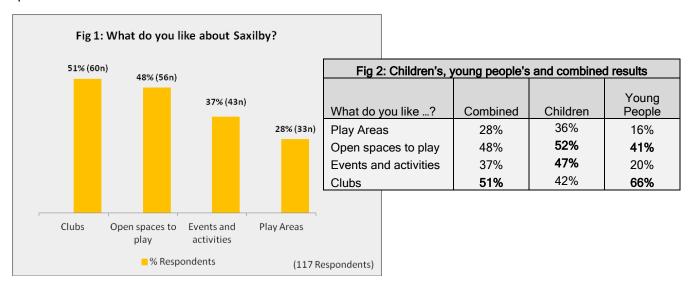
# **Survey Results**

# What do you like about Saxilby?

# 'Clubs and open spaces to play'

Children and young people were asked what they liked about the village. Over half of the respondents (51%) liked the clubs, with just under half enjoying the open spaces to play (48%). A low percentage of respondents (28%) liked the play areas – perhaps due to their end of life condition.

There were differences recorded between the children and young people's results with the children liking open spaces and events and activities, where as young people preferred clubs followed by open spaces.

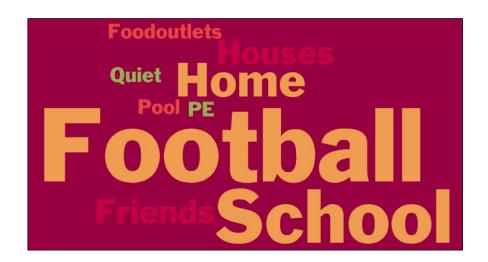


#### Other comments

A total of 23 comments were made by children (18) and young people (5), regarding what they liked about Saxilby. These are summarised below.

Children: Football/football clubs (7 respondents), school including teachers (5 respondents), friends (2 respondents), houses (2 respondents), pool (1 respondent) and P.E. (1 respondent).

Young People: My house (3 respondents), food outlets (1 respondent) and quiet (1 respondent).

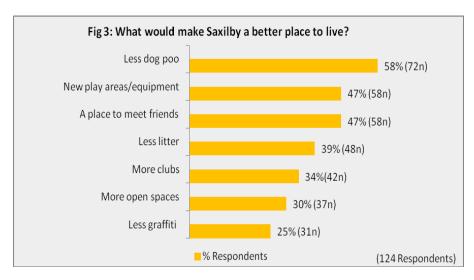


# What would make Saxilby a better place to live?

Children and young people were asked what would make Saxilby a better place to live. The most frequent response was less dog poo (58%), with children as young as four noting this. The other most popular responses were new play equipment (47%) and a place to meet friends (47%).

There were differences between the children's and young people's responses. The clear focus for improvement for young people was less dog poo (62%), with each of the other responses being selected by less than 40% of the respondents.

For children, the most important area for improvement was the play areas (64%), with 56% of respondents wanting less dog poo and a place to meet friends.



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What would make Saxilby a	01.11.1		
better place to live?	Children	Young People	Combined
Less dog poo	56%	62%	58%
New play areas/equipment	64%	23%	47%
A place to meet friends	56%	35%	47%
Less litter	50%	23%	39%
More clubs	32%	37%	34%
More open spaces	35%	23%	30%
Less graffiti	26%	23%	25%

#### Other comments

The comments from children and young people reflected two main themes - leisure provision and the environment.

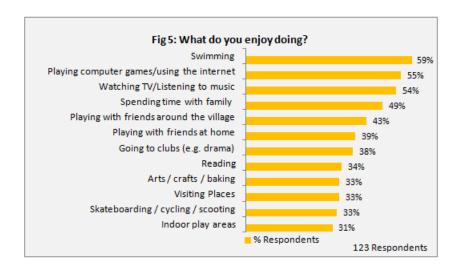
Leisure provision: Fast food outlets/café (6 respondents), skate park (4 respondents), more shops (2 respondents), a place to meet friends (2 respondents), a gym (2 respondents, a swimming pool (2 respondents), a graffiti wall, football, better park and more activities.

Environment: Less traffic / traffic lights (2 respondents) and less "dodgy" areas.

Other: A nearer secondary school and an Aston Martin garage!

# What do you enjoy doing?

The most popular activity for children and young people to be involved in was swimming with just under six in ten respondents selecting this activity. Other popular activities were screen based - playing computer games, using the internet, watching TV or listening to music. The responses given were similar for children and young people.



#### Other comments

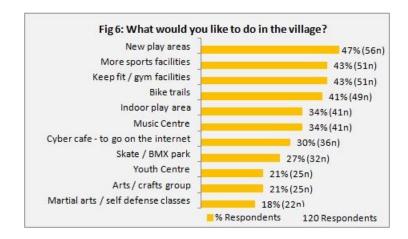
Some additional comments were made regarding the activities that children and young people like to do. These were mainly sporting activities:

Playing football (2 respondents), gym (2 respondents), dance (2 respondents), sport (2 respondents), playing with /walking pets (2 respondents), gymnastics, running, cricket, drama, trampolining, canoeing, computer consoles and taekwondo.

# What would you like to do in Saxilby with Ingleby?

# 'Have access to improved leisure facilities'

The most frequent response from children and young people was that they would like new play areas and equipment (47%), followed by more sporting facilities (43%) and keep fit / gym facilities (43%) and bike trails (41%).



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What would you like to do in the village?	Children	Young People	Combined
New play areas/equipment	49%	43%	47%
More sports facilities	47%	37%	43%
Keep fit / gym facilities	42%	43%	43%
Bike trails	51%	27%	41%
Indoor play area	39%	27%	34%
Music Centre	32%	37%	34%
Cyber cafe	27%	35%	30%
Skate / BMX park	34%	16%	27%
Youth Centre	21%	21%	21%
Arts / crafts group	25%	14%	21%
Martial arts / self defence	20%	16%	18%

# Other comments

Other comments received about what children and young people would like to do in the village included: places to eat including fast food (4 respondents), gymnastics (2 respondents), dance (2 respondents), football, astro football pitch, hockey, 'game club', going to friends house, indoor swimming pool and shops.

# **Memorial Field Development**

# What type of park would you like?

# 'A skate, bike and scooter park'

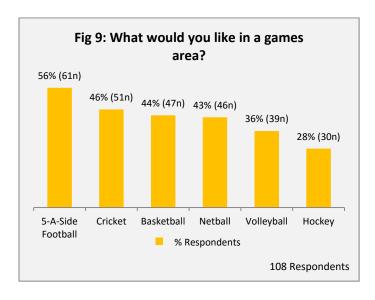
Children and young people were asked to consider the type of park they would like out of the following options, a skate park, a bike park, a scooter park or all of these. The most frequent response was all of these (52%, 57 respondents), with bike park being the most popular individual response for children and young people.

Fig 8: Children's, y	oung peopl	e's and combine	ed results
Type of Park	Children	Young People	Combined
Skate Park	23%	16%	20%
Bike Park	49%	28%	40%
Scooter Park	27%	16%	23%
All of the above	47%	61%	52%

# What would you like a games area to include?

Children and young people would like to see a variety of sports available in a multi-use games area, with the most popular choices being football, cricket, basketball and netball. The most popular choices for children were football, basketball and cricket, whilst young people had a strong preference for football, followed by netball and cricket.

There were differences between female and male preferences with girls top three being netball (54%, 37 respondents), cricket (45%, 29 respondents) and football (42%, 21 respondents), whilst boys top three were football (56%, 32 respondents), basketball (51%, 29 respondents) and cricket (51%, 29 respondents).



#### Other comments

Some further suggestions were made for consideration which were: table tennis, badminton, king ball, a gymnastics area, and a dance area.

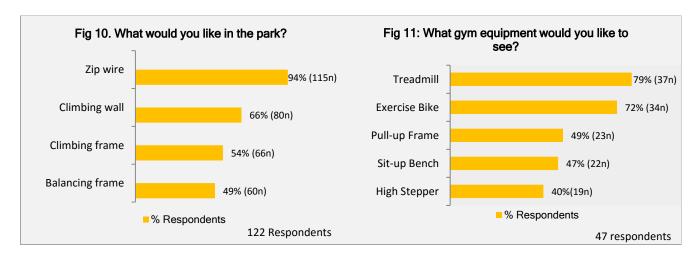
# What park equipment would you like?

# 'A zip wire and climbing wall'

There was a clear preference for a zip wire in the park with over nine in ten children and young people selecting this option. There was also support for a climbing wall. The combined results mirrored the individual children's and young people's results for order of preference.

#### Other comments

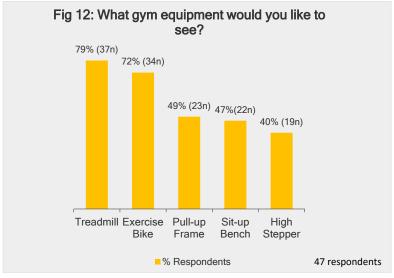
The other comments received were: new swings (2 respondents), basket swing, zip wire not too high, indoor swimming pool monkey bars, swings, slide, trampoline, football goal, a toilet block, bins and lots of different equipment.



# What gym equipment would you like?

# 'A treadmill and exercise bike'

The young people <u>only</u> were asked what gym equipment they would like at the Memorial Field. The most frequent responses were a treadmill and exercise bike, with the pull-up frame, sit-up bench and high stepper having similar numbers of respondents. A further suggestion was a swimming pool for training in.



# **West Croft Drive Park Developments**

# What play equipment would you like?

# 'Swings, climbing wall and slides'

The most popular types of equipment selected by children and young people for the West Croft Drive Park were swings, a climbing wall and slides. A cycle track, picnic tables and jumps were also popular. The results for children and young people were similar, however young people's first preference was for a climbing wall, with a low preference for springers and a nature trail.

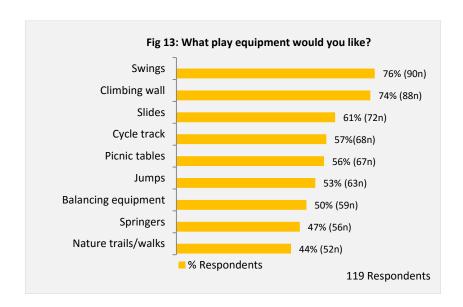


Fig 14: Children, young	people and c	ombined results	
West Croft Drive Park	Children	Young People	Combined
Swings	74%	79%	76%
Climbing wall	69%	81%	74%
Slides	63%	57%	61%
Cycle track	61%	51%	57%
Picnic tables	57%	55%	56%
Jumps	57%	47%	53%
Balancing equipment	53%	45%	50%
Springers	53%	38%	47%
Nature trails/walks	49%	36%	44%

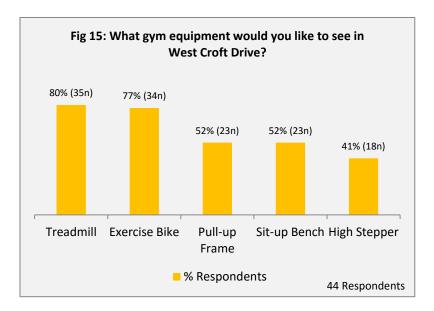
# Other comments

Other suggestions made by children were Trampoline (3 respondents), obstacle course, wooden slide, a gym, BBQ, toilet, football goals, 'lots of fun all age stuff', walls to kick a ball at and tennis courts. No further comments were made by young people.

# What gym equipment would you like?

# 'A treadmill, exercise bike, pull-up frame and sit-up bench'

The young people <u>only</u> were asked what gym equipment they would like at the West Croft Drive site. Like the Memorial Field, the most frequent responses were a treadmill and exercise bike, with the pull-up frame, sit-up bench and high stepper having similar numbers of respondents. A further suggestion was a swimming pool for training in.



# **Employment and Housing in Saxilby with Ingleby**

In the young people's survey (but not the children's survey) respondents were asked for their views on employment and housing in the area. A summary of these results is provided below:

# Do you work in Saxilby or Ingleby?

Young people were asked if they worked in Saxilby. Of those who were aged 13<sup>1</sup> or over, 3 out of 19 respondents stated they did.

# Would you like to work in Saxilby or Ingleby now?

Out of the 16 respondents aged 13 or more, who do did not work in the village, 7 respondents (44%) stated that they would like to.

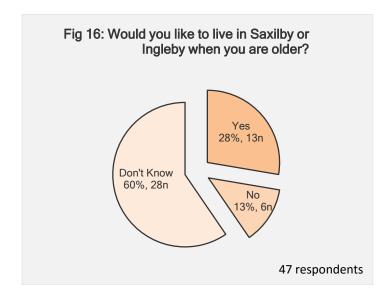
# Would you like to work in Saxilby or Ingleby in the future?

Of the 43 young people who responded to the question, 18 respondents (42%) stated they would like to work in Saxilby in the future.

# Would you like to live in Saxilby or Ingleby when you are older?

Young people were undecided as to whether they would like to live in the parish when they were older, with six in ten respondents not knowing.

If you explore answers from the 12 respondents aged 15 and above, 6 respondents did not know if they wanted to live in the village, 5 respondents stated they would like to live in the village and 1 respondent did not want to live in the village.



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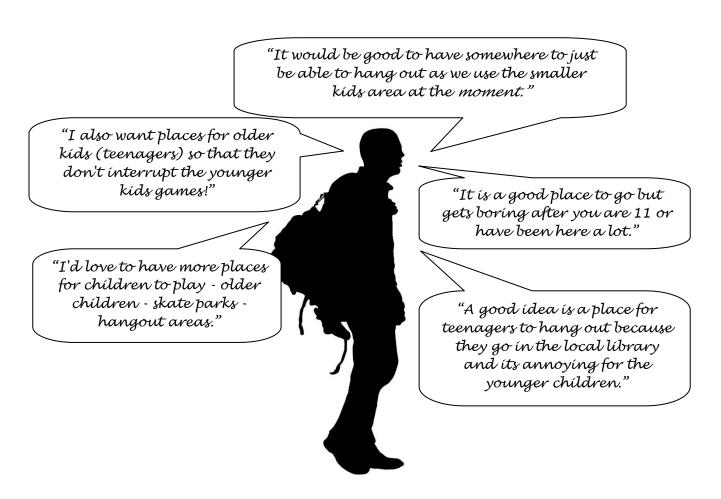
<sup>1</sup> the minimum age permitted for part-time work

# **Further Comments**

32 children and young people took the time to give further comments and suggestions on a number of themes. These are reflected below:

# Improved play and social provision

The strongest theme which emerged from the comments was the desire for improved play and social provision for children and young people, in particular provision for teenagers and older children. This was suggested not just by the young people but also children, with quotes being shown below. Further suggestions included a skate park, gaming/music club, dance studio, leisure centre, a park in the school, laser quest and more parks.



# More shops including food outlets

7 respondents wanted more shops in Saxilby, including food outlets.

#### Housing

5 respondents made comments regarding housing with four against further development and one in support.

# Other

3 respondents requested a swimming pool in the parish, 3 respondents made comments regarding environmental issues (more dog waste and litter bins, less dog fouling, less litter and graffiti), with final requests being for a dog park and a car testing race track!



# Saxilby with Ingleby Neighbourhood Plan

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Boy Girl		
. What do you like about Saxilb	y? (tick one or more)	
Play Areas	Events and activities	
Open spaces to play	Clubs (such as Guides, Scouts, drama, Youth Club etc)	
other (please write below)		
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other (please write below)		

5. What do you enjoy doing? (tick	cone or more)	
Playing with friends at home	Playing computer games/using the internet	Going to indoor play areas
Playing with friends around the village Spending time with family Watching TV/Listening to music	Going to clubs  Skateboarding / cycling / scooting  Swimming	Arts / crafts / baking  Reading  Visiting Places
Other (please write below)		
S. What would you like to do in the	e village? (tick one or more)	
New play areas	Arts / crafts group	Keep fit / gym facilities
Youth Centre	Indoor play area	Cyber cafe - to go on the internet
More sports facilities	Music Centre	Martial arts / self defense classes
Bike trails	Skate / BMX park	
Other (please write below)		



	Neighbourhood Developn	nent Plan	
St Andrew's Play Area			
7. What would you like in the	park near the school? (tick one	e or more)	
Skate Park	Scooter Park		
Bike Park	All of the above		
8. What would you like a gam	nes area to include? (tick one o	r more)	
5-a-side football	Cricket	Hockey	
Basketball	Netball	Volleyball	
Other (please write below)			
9. What would you like in the Zip wire Climbing wall	park? (tick one or more)  Climbing frame  Balancing frame		
Other (please write below)			



# Westcroft Drive Play Area 10. What would you like to see in the West Croft Drive Play Area? (tick one or more) Swings Climbing wall Nature trails/walks Slides Springers Cycle track Picnic tables Jumps Balancing equipment Other (please write below) 11. If you have any other comments about Saxilby or Ingleby please add them below: Thank you for giving your views.

# **Appendix 2: Young People's Survey**

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Other (please write below)		
4. What would make Saxilby a better	place to live? (tick one or more)	
New play areas and equipment	Less litter	A place to meet friends
More clubs	Less graffiti	
More open spaces	Less dog poo	
Other (please write below)		

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Watching TV/Listening to music	ding / cycling / scooting	Visiting Places
Swimming		
Other (please write below)		
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Other (please write below)		
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High Stepper	Treadmill	
High Stepper	Treadmill	
High Stepper Other (please write below)	Treadmill	
	Treadmill	



Swings	Climbing wall	
		Nature trails/walks
Slides	Springers	Cycle track
Jumps	Balancing equipment	Picnic tables
Other (please write below)		
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# **Your Comments** 15. If you have any other comments about Saxilby or Ingleby please add them below: Thank you for giving your views. Please submit online or return a paper copy to St Andrews Community Centre, Pavilion Bar.