

NEWSLETTER THE SPORT AND ACTION TRUST MORGAN PARK REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT UPDATE October 2023

Work is underway!

After some delays due to the global pandemic, we are excited to be back underway with the redevelopment project. You may have noticed that there is some progress being made on the driveway for access to the car park by the new artificial greens. This is the first step toward developing our new car park. This newsletter is to get us back into the habit of communicating with all the groups connected to the development and sharing news as it comes to hand and as changes occur.

Restart Meetings

Meetings with user groups are being scheduled to update everyone on progress and to re-introduce Geoff from Thrive Spaces and Places who is assisting with the development of Morgan Park. If you are still awaiting a meeting or contact please let us know.

Croquet Greens Development

The croquet greens are currently on hold whilst we work with the contractor on next steps. A meeting has been set to discuss with them about how to proceed so that we achieve the results that community are keen to see.

New Car Park and Driveway

We have attached some photos of the work undertaken to date on the driveway for the new car park. Ther first photo is looking back to Clarke St, and the second photo is looking towards the tennis club and the location of the new car park. The next three photos show the completed concrete driveway.

We have made quick progress on this and you can see that the driveway has now the concrete pour completed and is looking great.











Sports Hub Building Extension, conceptual plans

Work will soon begin on the demolition of the old toilet block by the bowling club. This will include the removal of the power for the lights from this building into a semi-permanent power box so that service can continue whilst the redevelopment progresses. Once this has been completed we will begin to look at the move of the Bowls club into it's new location as per the new master plan

Communications

We are reviewing the communications plan in light of the project getting back underway and will be making sure that all interested parties are kept informed of what is happening and what it means for access to use of the park as we progress. If there is anything that you would like to see or hear in this respect please let us know. It is anticipated that this will continue to include this newsletter and website updates for all sports clubs and users of Morgan Park, as well as irregular update for the public as work milestones are reached.