

TREES AND HEDGES

New trees will be planted so that when the existing oaks and pines die there will be young trees already growing. This is important to keep the 'New Forest' character of the rec. into the future.

Gaps in the existing tree lines will have oak trees. New groups will be pine and birch.

A new hedge will be planted to Calmore Road, to improve the appearance of the street and slow down rain water

GRASS

King George V Recreation Ground grass areas are currently mown as 'amenity' grass, meaning that it is cut in the spring and summer every 3-4 weeks.

Grass is very good at slowing down the run off of rain water, especially long grass. Therefore some areas will be left long, which will also add variety and texture to the rec., encourage more insects and therefore more birds, and dogs enjoy long grass for snuffling through.

Because it only is a change to mowing, the areas left long can be reviewed and changed easily.



NEW FENCING

There will be some new fencing and replacement fencing, in the style shown below.

You may wish to see the dog activity area fenced in, much like a children's play area. However, it is important to provide escape routes for dogs, to prevent unwanted situations arising between dogs.

The fencing shown around the dog activity area is designed to direct activity, while providing escape or sanctuary for dogs and humans



NEW SIGNAGE

There will be new entrance features and waymarkers which will incorporate information about the Green Way project at King George V Rec.

The dog activity area will have information on how to use each activity with your dog too.

