

Appendix 3

Pocket Park Consultation – Notes

St Andrews Close, Wednesday 1st May, 2.30-4pm

General Themes

- A place to take the grandchildren
- A peaceful place to sit and relax
- A place for the community to use
- Somewhere to run around
- Somewhere suitable for younger children
- Something for younger children to enjoy
- Somewhere to sit and read a book
- Locked and maintained
- A secure location – safe for children to ‘run off energy’
- No dogs
- Quiet area
- Quiet place for drawing and reading

Games and Activities

- Climbing frame/hanging bars
- Swings
- Baby swings
- Cargo nets
- Adventure slide/ropes
- Games like snakes and ladders/hopscotch
- Playground
- Slide and swings
- Treehouse
- Playground with sensory toys
- Logs to climb on
- Wind chimes
- Ground piano
- Wall glockenspiel
- A space to play football
- Football goals
- Football space
- Grass for football

Nature

- Bird boxes and bat boxes
- Bird feeders
- Insect Hotel
- Flowers and colour
- Nature mural to disguise the buildings
- Something to screen the children's centre car park – a natural screening
- Flowers
- Flowers – daisies
- Bird boxes
- Bug houses
- Trees and leaves
- Keep the trees
- Keep some of the trees
- Natural resources – trees, bug hotels – things for children to learn and investigate from

General Design

- Benches
- Pathway
- Tyres to sit on
- Painted pebble paths – pebbles painted by the community
- Sensory paths
- Different textures – gravel, grass, paving slabs, wood bark
- Do something with the Play Zone deep fat fryer vents
- Source sponsorship from local garden centres