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What you told us about Hexthorpe Park

In November 2021, residents were invited to complete a survey about Hexthorpe Park. Get Doncaster Moving and Doncaster Council wanted to know more about what local people wanted Hexthorpe Park to look like in the future, and what the community would like to do within the space (such as events/activities). A summary of key findings are below. You can find survey responses from other Doncaster Future Parks sites at:

www.getdoncastermoving.org/future-parks

Number of responses to the survey:

162

The top 5 reasons people visit Hexthorpe Park:



- 1 Physical exercise
- 2 For relaxation and contemplation
- 3 To observe wildlife / nature
- 4 To meet with friends
- 5 To exercise a pet

The top reasons people don't visit (or don't visit more often):



- 1 Feeling unsafe or uncomfortable
- 2 Environmental hygiene e.g. litter
- 3 I don't know what activities are available
- 4 Lack of activities or facilities

The top 5 activities that would encourage people to use Hexthorpe Park more often:



- 1 Nature walks
- 2 Community events
- 3 History walks
- 4 Crazy Golf
- 5 Being part of volunteer activity

The most popular improvements people would like to see made to Hexthorpe Park are:



- 1 Strategic lighting
- 2 Better visibility through the park
- 3 Improved footpaths
- 4 Improved signage and interpretation
- 5 Wider range of activities

How often do you visit Hexthorpe Park?



39% said they visit daily
37% said they visited every week

Top sporting activities which would encourage people to visit the park more often :



- 1 Rowing
- 2 Football
- 3 Bowling

