

Marmion Park

Sea Themed Play for Derby

Client: Nottingham City Council

Address: Marmion Road, Saint Anns, Nottingham, NG3 1JG

Budget: £140,000

Age Range: All Ages

Project Story

In 2009 a public green space in the Marmion Estate of St Ann's was causing a problem amongst many of the residents. With little available to inspire the children, they used the park as a 'kick about' area. Unfortunately, this location was densely housed on all sides and neighbours viewed these games as a nuisance.

Nottingham City Council chose local playground manufacturer Proludic, to create a play space that fulfilled the brief. The ball court has been designed with the local children's and residents requirements in mind. Proludic's ball courts are fitted with an integrated noise reduction system to keep panel vibrations to a minimum. The new play area also boasts a host of exciting and dynamic equipment. Children of all ages can swing, slide, climb, balance and traverse on the wide variety of equipment available to them. The local children now have a new play area where they can meet, socialise and play together.

After



The new facilities have brightened the park and provided more play, sport and fun for local children and families. It has been a major investment with plans put together based on the wishes of local residents.



- Councillor Dave Trimble, Nottingham City Council





Bilbox MPU



MUGA



Bilbox Skyrail



Reducing Anti-Social Behaviour

A major cause of anti-social behaviour is because children are playing in the wrong places and causing problems for businesses and residents. Providing children with facilities such as a MUGA or dynamic equipment gives them a safe place to play, benefiting the whole community, not just the children that use it.