

Greville Smyth Park

Tackling Anti-Social Behaviour

Client: Bristol City Council

Address: Ashton Road, Ashton, Bristol, BS3 2EA

Budget: £26,000 Age Range: Teenagers

Project Story

Greville Smyth Park in Bristol had fallen into disrepair due to anti-social behaviour and frequent acts of vandalism. Following a public consultation, it was decided that the area would benefit from the Proludic Sports range, the dynamic equipment provides a challenging and robust solution that engages teenage children and provides them with an area they can call their own.

The site has been open to the public since 2005 and has had a fantastic response from the teenagers and young adults using it. More importantly, acts of vandalism within the park and anti-social behaviour incidents have declined dramatically. It is now very much a popular and thriving park in Bristol that the surrounding communities all love.





The play area is now thriving with the young people of Bristol using it to have fun the very purpose for which it was intended.

- Jill Batten, Play Support Officer, Bristol City Councill











Reducing Anti-Social Behaviour

A major cause of anti-social behaviour calls 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.





