

A community hub with something for everyone



ADMERS CRESCENT & THE LYNDONS

Client: East Hampshire District Council

Address: Admers Crescent, Liphook, GU30 7HP

Budget: £170,000

Age Range: Toddlers, Juniors, Teenagers

Ranges: Kanope, Diabolo

Surfacing: Wetpour, Suds-bond pathing

In 2025, East Hampshire District Council released a two-site tender covering a smaller local play area at The Lyndons and a larger community facility at Admers Crescent, with project budgets of £33,000 and £137,000 respectively.

With limited ongoing maintenance budgets and previous concerns around delivery timescales, the Council required a provider capable of delivering durable, low-maintenance play facilities on time, on budget and to a consistently high standard and Proludic did not disappoint!

At The Lyndons, the main challenge was the site itself. The play area has a relatively small footprint and sits close to residential housing, so the design needed to maximise play value without introducing unnecessary noise or encouraging anti-social behaviour. Proludic focused on the core play experiences most valuable to younger children, including climbing, sliding, balancing, swinging and sensory play, while deliberately avoiding equipment likely to create excessive noise.



“ Admers Crescent in particular has made a huge impact on the area, it’s great to see the positive difference it is making. ”

Chloe Davanna,
East Hampshire
District Council

Admers Crescent required a different approach. The existing playground had fallen into disrepair and offered limited play value, so the new design reorganised the space into clear areas for different ages and activities. Younger and inclusive play is contained within a fenced area, while equipment for older children is positioned further along the SUDS-bond path, alongside a dedicated hangout space and provision for ball sports. This separation helps create a natural progression through the site while reducing the likelihood of older users congregating around equipment designed for younger children.



The toddler and junior area uses colourful equipment to create a stimulating and welcoming environment, while equipment for older users adopts more muted, natural tones that sit comfortably within the surrounding greenery.

Inclusive play is incorporated into the fenced area through an accessible multiplay unit featuring wide-access steps and supportive handles, allowing more children to reach the upper deck and enjoy the double-width slide. A Climbing Hut (J254) provides further climbing and agility opportunities while also creating a shaded space for imaginative and role play.

Across the site, a variety of swings and hammock seats provide both active and more relaxed play experiences. A Double Perch springer (J986) and Whirlwind roundabout (J2403) introduce movement and “wow factor”, while the ball game and MUGA equipment provide space for football, netball and basketball.

Despite exceptionally hot weather during installation, Proludic completed both sites within the projected programme, delivering two very different play spaces shaped around the needs, constraints and character of their individual locations.

