

A PROGRESS REPORT FROM THE STEERING COMMITTEE AND A REQUEST FOR YOUR HELP

Firstly, a big thank you from the Steering Committee to all residents who shared their ideas about the future use of the North Field of Orchard Ground.

The overriding theme suggested by those who thought a change of use might be appropriate was to use the field to create a woodland amenity with features including walking and running trails, picnic and activity areas. In contrast, there was also support for leaving the field as agricultural land generating rental income for the Parish Council. However, the number of suggestions we received could not be taken to represent the majority view of the village. We think therefore the best way forward is to ask you to take a few minutes to complete the ballot below. The ballot is open to all residents. If you have children in your family, please take account of their opinion. If you have children who are too young to articulate an opinion, we leave it to your own good judgement to decide whether their vote should be cast.

Please complete the following ballot and cut it out of the Crier. One of us will call at your house to collect your ballot paper during the week commencing the 11th May.

House Name/Number	THE NORTH FIELD BALLOT
Road Name	
Number of Household Residents	
Number of Residents in favour of North Field	remaining in agricultural use
Number of Residents in favour of North Field	becoming a woodland amenity —————
Number of Residents who have no preference (note this option will not count towards a maj	
If the majority view of the ballot is for a woodl amenity and you want to be involved in makin change, let us know by writing your name(s) h	g the

THE NORTH FIELD BALLOT

Thank you