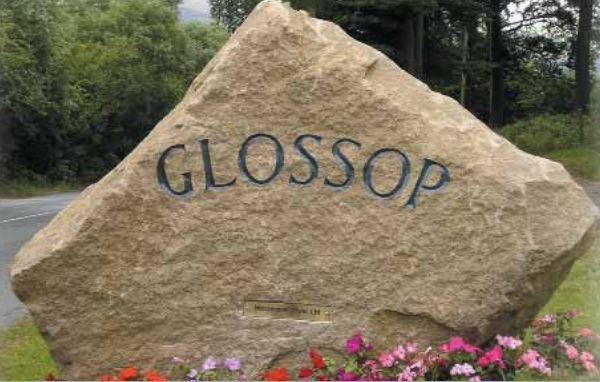


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Issue 6

Glossop Vision

The Regeneration Partnership established by High Peak Borough Council

Glossop Vision Public Realm Improvement Scheme

What are we doing?

Work will begin on the town centre improvement scheme on Monday 30 July 2007 and delivery will be phased over 24 weeks. The main site covers the A57 High Street (East) between Ellison Street and Norfolk Street / Victoria Street and High Street (West) from Market Street to Chapel Street.

Additional works will include the Market Square with improved access to the car park, and on the Station forecourt where new steps will be installed and access to and from car parking will be improved.

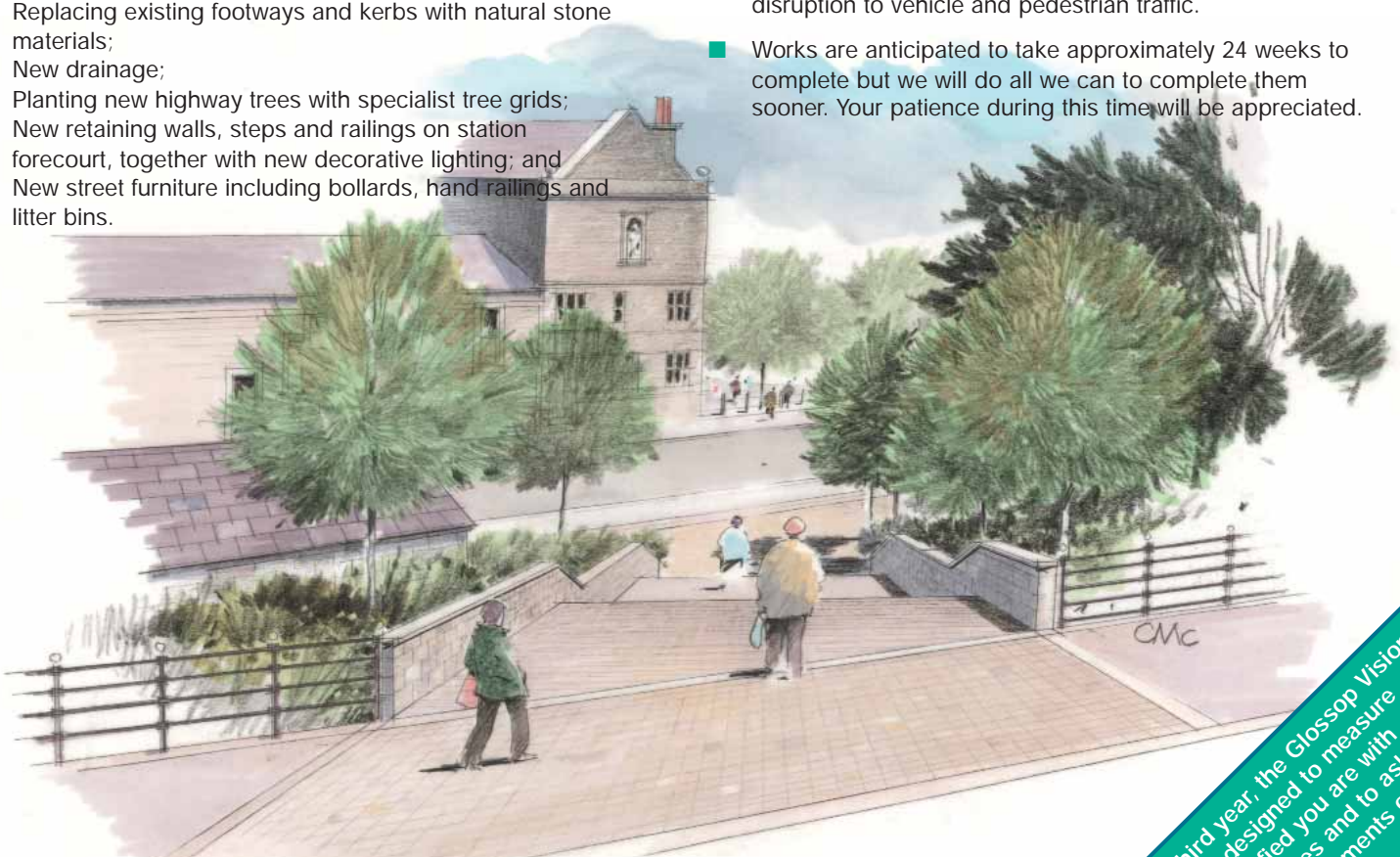
The works generally involve removal of the existing tarmac and concrete flagged footways and replacing with high quality natural stone paving materials.

The main elements of the works include:

- Replacing existing footways and kerbs with natural stone materials;
- New drainage;
- Planting new highway trees with specialist tree grids;
- New retaining walls, steps and railings on station forecourt, together with new decorative lighting; and
- New street furniture including bollards, hand railings and litter bins.

Disruptions

- Works will generally be carried out between the hours of 7am-7pm. Noise and other disturbance will be kept to a minimum.
- Sunday working may occasionally be required. Further details will be given as works progress. If work is necessary at weekends, we will not carry out noisy operations before 9am.
- Access will be maintained to all properties at all times. Where necessary temporary ramps will be installed to premises.
- Traffic management procedures will ensure minimum disruption to vehicle and pedestrian traffic.
- Works are anticipated to take approximately 24 weeks to complete but we will do all we can to complete them sooner. Your patience during this time will be appreciated.



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Now in its third year, the Glossop Vision Survey is designed to measure how satisfied you are with public spaces and to ask for your comments on priorities in each area.

MANOR PARK IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMME

Infrastructure improvements at Manor Park formed a major project within the Glossop Vision programme and Manor Park received an investment of over £1million, substantially improving facilities for the town and offering a key attraction for visitors to Glossop.

Extensive consultation took place with residents in order to agree on the projects that would go ahead in the park.

What you asked for.....

A NEW CHILDRENS PLAY AREA



BEFORE



AFTER

REFURBISHED PAVILION AND PUBLIC TOILETS



BEFORE



AFTER

IMPROVED ROAD ACCESS AND NEW CAR PARK



BEFORE



AFTER



BEFORE



AFTER

NEW PARK FURNITURE



River engineering works have also been carried out to repair damage caused by flooding in 2002. The first phase of this work included the replacement of the temporary bridge near the parks depot, the underpinning of the retaining wall above the weir and the rebuilding of walls adjacent to the formal garden. Further river engineering work will be delivered later in 2007.

Get involved...

THE FRIENDS OF MANOR PARK

The Friends of Manor Park were established in February 2004. Since then, they have worked on a variety of practical projects within the park as well supporting the Liveability improvements. The group have been involved in practical tasks to plant flowers and trees, make and put up bird boxes and general tidy-ups, as well as organising events such as the Santa Special and activities with local schools.

New members to the Friends group are always welcome and if you would like further information about the Friends of Manor Park please contact the Parks Service on 0845 129 77 77.

A NEW YOUTH SKATE PARK



MANOR PARK BOWLING CLUB

Manor Park has an active bowling club, which has recently taken on the management of the two bowling greens. Working with High Peak Borough Council has enabled railings to be installed around the top green, as well as a room for members in the refurbished pavilion. Manor Park Bowling Club, along with Tintwistle, Hadfield and Etherow have embarked on an instructor's course, which will allow members to contact schools and clubs and offer coaching to children. The club now has six teams playing in 5 leagues and they are hoping to start a new mixed pairs league this year.



High Peak Borough Council
working for our community



Glossop Vision Survey

Q1. Had you heard of Glossop Vision before you received this survey?

- Yes
 No
 Not Sure

Q2. If you answered yes, to Question 1 have you:

	Yes	No
Seen a Glossop Vision newsletter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Read about it in the newspaper	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Heard about it on the radio	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Read about it in 'Connect' the Council's newsletter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please state below)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q3. In response to environmental concerns expressed by residents the Council has agreed 10 new Public Service Standards, with response times and maintenance standards. These are listed below. Please tick four that you think are the most important

- Fly tipping removal
- Street Cleanliness
- Graffiti Removal
- Dog Fouling
- Highway Maintenance
- Street Lighting
- Overhanging vegetation on footpaths and highways
- Fly posting
- Gully emptying (drain clearing)
- Damage to Street Furniture

Q4. Do you think Glossop Town Centre is?

Very Attractive Attractive Not very attractive Very unattractive

Q5. Over the last 12 months do you think that the standard of cleanliness in public areas (streets and open spaces) has:

Improved a great deal Improved quite a bit Stayed about the same
 Got worse Got much worse

Q6. How satisfied are you with the way High Peak Borough Council provides the following services?

(Please **X** one box on each line)

	Very satisfied	Fairly satisfied	Neither/ Nor	Fairly dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied
Parks, open spaces and play areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Street cleaning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Household waste collection	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keeping public areas free of litter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q7. How often do you think these incidents happen in your neighbourhood?

(Please **X** one box for each incident)

	Very often	Quite often	Not very often	Hardly ever	Don't know
Abandoned or burnt out cars	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vandalism or graffiti	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rubbish or litter lying around	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cars parked on pavements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dogs fouling the footpaths	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dogs fouling on parks and play areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Noisy neighbours or loud parties	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Groups of teenagers hanging around	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People being rowdy or drunk in public areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q8. In terms of your quality of life how important do you think the following issues being addressed by Liveability are? (Please one box on each line)

	Very important	Fairly important	Neither/ Nor	Not important	Don't know
Enhancing the frequency of street cleaning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improving parks and open spaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fines to tackle litter, fly tipping, dog fouling	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Environmental 'clean up' projects	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improvements to the town centre	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improvements along the A57 corridor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tidy business and fast food litter projects	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improving highway maintenance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Better maintenance of street furniture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community involvement - Civic Pride	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Glossop in Bloom	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
24 hour reporting line	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q9. Which area do you live in?

- | | | | |
|--------------|--------------------------|------------|--------------------------|
| Glossop | <input type="checkbox"/> | Padfield | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Old Glossop | <input type="checkbox"/> | Gamesley | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Dinting | <input type="checkbox"/> | Whitfield | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Charlesworth | <input type="checkbox"/> | Simmondley | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Chisworth | <input type="checkbox"/> | Tintwistle | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Hadfield | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

Q10. Please use the space below to comment on the Glossop Vision Programme or the services provided by High Peak Borough Council.

About You

Q11. Are you? Male Female

Q12. How old are you? 16-24 35-44 55-59 65-74
25-34 45-54 60-64 75+

Q13. What is your economic status?

Working full-time Working part-time Long-term sick Not working for other reasons
Unemployed Self employed Retired

Q14. If you work, where do you travel to work?

I work from home Within Glossop Stockport Manchester
 Buxton Sheffield Tameside
 Other - please state

Q15. If you are not already on the mailing list would you like to receive future copies of the Glossop Vision newsletter? Yes No

Q16. Would you like to be included in the prize draw for £50 worth of shopping vouchers from a Glossopdale outlet of your choice? Yes No

Please enter your name and address below if you want to receive the newsletter or want to be entered into the prize draw.

First Name

Surname

Address

Post Code

Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey.

Please return it by Friday 31 August 2007 to: Glossop Vision,
Freepost NWW1730, High Peak Borough Council, High Peak, SK23 0ZX

Alternatively you can hand in your completed form at Municipal Building
reception, Market Place, Glossop

Harehills

Can you help us to make a difference?

Glossop Vision Board approved funding to work with Groundwork Derby and Derbyshire to develop and deliver environmental improvements to Harehills Park

Groundwork will be looking at a series of landscape design options, based on the aspirations of the Glossop Vision Masterplan, that can be delivered in bite sized pieces. Groundwork will also look to secure external funding to help deliver the improvements.

Glossop Vision and Groundwork Derby and Derbyshire are keen for local people, local businesses and other organisations to become involved in the project. Can you work with us to promote and raise the profile of this valuable green space? Can you give up some of your time to help on a range of projects and ideas including:

- Asking local people how they would like to see the park developed and improved;
- Getting involved with volunteer activities such as clean up days, wild flower and tree planting; and
- Helping to find funding for the improvement projects identified.

If you are interested in becoming a member of a group that can make a difference please contact Christine Latham on 0845 129 77 77 or email christinel@highpeak.gov.uk



Glossopdale Rangers joined forces with the Glossop in Bloom Committee to plant bulbs at Harehills in November last year



A Glossopdale Ranger plants spring bulbs at Harehills

High Peak Borough Council Parks Service recently carried out tree pruning work at Harehills and the Glossopdale Rangers have been busy with a number of projects on site including...

- Clearing weeds and debris from the river wall;
- Refurbishing benches; and
- Bulb planting projects.

Glossopdale Rangers work on sites across High Peak, mainly focusing on 'grot spots' in Glossopdale, Chapel, New Mills, Buxton and Whaley Bridge. Rangers must be over 18 years. For more information please contact Rachel Billings on 0845 129 7777 ext 3527



An action plan for Hadfield

Background

The 2006 Glossop Vision survey identified Hadfield as the only area of Glossopdale where the proportion of dissatisfied residents outnumbered those who were satisfied. Residents asked for projects to tackle anti-social behaviour, more facilities for young people and clean ups at Lambgates and Roughfields.

In response the council has delivered a number of improvements to the town;

- A new climbing frame installed in the play area at Bankswood Park along with 4 new covered litter bins.
- Flower beds at the entrance to Bankswood Park have been replanted and stone walls have been pressure washed.
- A community tidy-up was held in November 2006 and Glossopdale Rangers painted benches in the Park.
- Increased pavement sweeping – particularly Station Road.
- Repainted street furniture on Station Road.
- A bin on Lambgates has been removed due to continual damage. The Clean Team are monitoring the area and will collect dog fouling bags left there.
- Trees have been cut down in Lambgates to help with clean up and to make the area more visible.
- A clean-up of the Rough Fields site took place in February 2007 including pruning of shrubs.
- High Peak Borough Council worked in partnership with the Police to implement the Dispersal Order in operation since July 2006 this is now extended to August 2007 and extra patrols are provided by Derbyshire Police on Friday/Saturday nights.
- Graffiti removed from fences and High Peak Borough Council properties on Vale House Drive.
- A programme of diversionary activities was provided for young people in Manor Park throughout the autumn months.
- A Play Strategy is being developed to ensure that facilities are suitably placed and to identify any gaps in provision.



GLOSSOPDALE AREA FORUM

Why not come along to the next Glossopdale Area Forum when the topic for discussion will be **'Regenerating Hadfield'- What's happening in Hadfield and what needs to be provided.**

The meeting will be held at Glossopdale Community College, Newshaw Lane, Hadfield on **Thursday 19th July 2007** from 7pm until 9.00pm. Light refreshments will be available from 6.45 pm.

There will be short presentations from High Peak Borough Council Officers on:

- Local economic development;
- Leisure facilities;
- Activities for young people; and
- Combating anti social behaviour.

Followed by a chance for you to take part in an exercise to identify what other facilities and activities you feel should be available in Hadfield and the surrounding area.

All local residents, groups and businesses are invited to come along to exchange views, find out about and ask questions on issues important to them. For further information contact 0845 129 77 77.



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