

Mallows Grange Public Open Spaces Risk Assessment

Location

Public Open Spaces within the residential development Mallows Grange

Description

5.36 acres of public open spaces comprising of grassed areas, shrub beds and trees.

Hazard	Who	Level of risk	Action
Trips and falls typically giving rise to minor cuts and abrasions, twisted ankles etc.	Visitors, contractors	Medium	Care to be taken by individuals; should be alert to local surface conditions.
Falling trees & branches causing injury	Visitors, contractors	Medium	Regular inspections take place. Qualified tree surgeon to inspect trees every 3-5 years or more frequently if required.
Scratches from low hanging branches	Visitors, contractors	Low	Branches to be lifted as required.
Personal injury through ground work being undertaken	Visitors	Low	Parish Council grounds maintenance contractors have risk assessments in place, inspected by NNC risk assessment officer.

Note: Level risk represents both the likelihood of occurrence as well as the severity of injury.

This report was offered to the Council in January 2023.

Risk Assessment to be reviewed January 2024