

By getting involved, together we can make a real difference!

The Friends Of Newport's Ornamental Parks are pleased to announce that their next project is to investigate the possibility of creating a new community feature by redeveloping the area that was formerly used as a paddling pool in Beechwood Park

The area has been now been disused for a number of years and offers a fantastic space to create something in its place for the whole community to enjoy.

The Friends would like to put forward the following suggestions and would love to hear what the local community would prefer.

These are our current suggestions:

- Maze
- Bandstand
- Community garden and polytunnel to raise plants
- Picnic and performance area

If you would like to suggest an alternative community use for the area we would be pleased to hear your ideas.

Please forward your ideas to our Chairperson Kerry Battrick at kerry.battrick@ntlworld.com by 31st May 2013 who would be pleased to receive your ideas.

Once all of the votes have been gathered we will announce the most popular choice on 1st June 2013