

## Wychwood Road Play Park

### a) Contractor Concerns

The contractor has worked to resolve the concern, which they flagged early to the Town Council.

### b) Contingency Budget

The Town Council is keen to ensure that the installation of this play park runs to schedule. Mindful that Town Councils are not the nimblest of organisations to deal with, to keep this project agile, Bingham is seeking to hold a contingency budget from its recreation reserve of £5,000 should it be required.

### c) Delegated Authority

It is RECOMMENDED that delegated authority is granted to a group of at least 3 Councillors (to include both the Chair and Vice Chair of Recreation and Amenities) to manage and agree the use of any of the contingency budget. All expenditure to be documented and reported to the Clerk.

### d) Rock Snake

A growing rock snake is colourfully expanding, thanks to our youthful local community. The rock snake started during the lockdown and it continues to wend its way down Wychwood Road. There has been a request to permanently site the stones and rocks in-situ but not in a way that will restrict its growth because it should remain a living piece of street art. The Town Council will look at a way to best do that. It would be good if the local community could get involved too in setting the stones and rocks but we still need to be mindful of keeping safe during these times. So, we'll have to think on that. It is RECOMMENDED that £1,000 is allocated from the recreation reserve for this project.