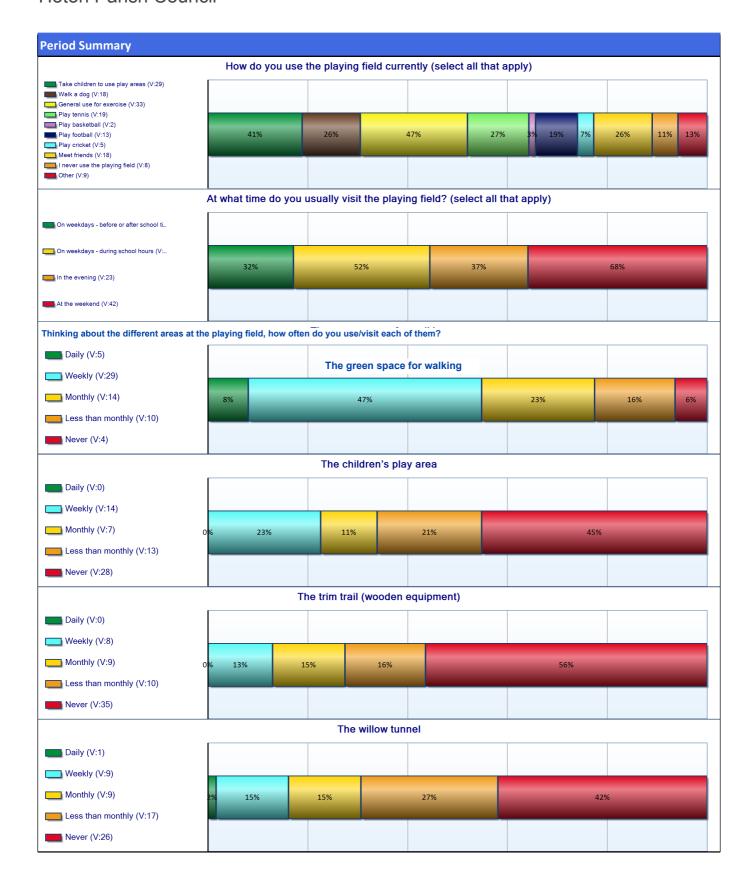
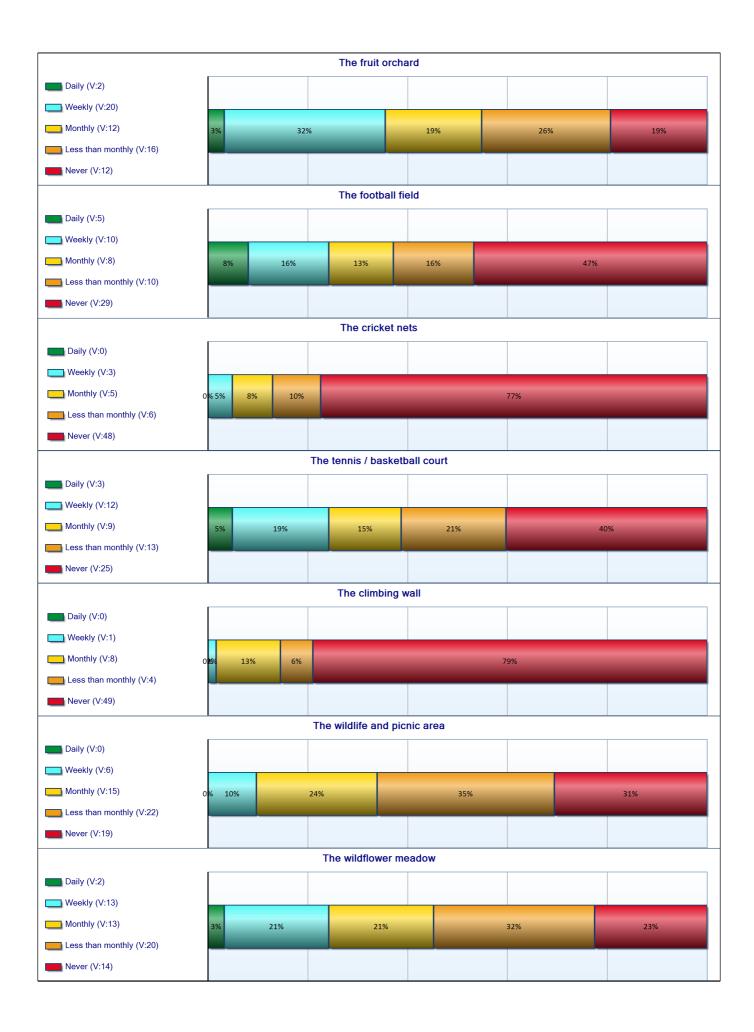
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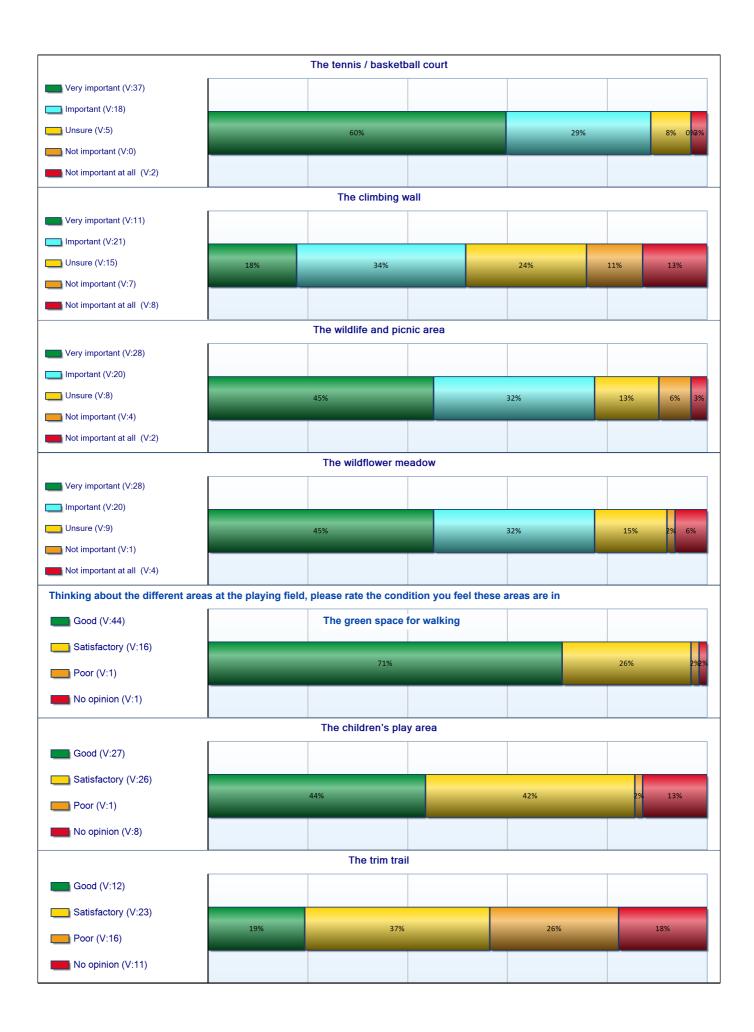
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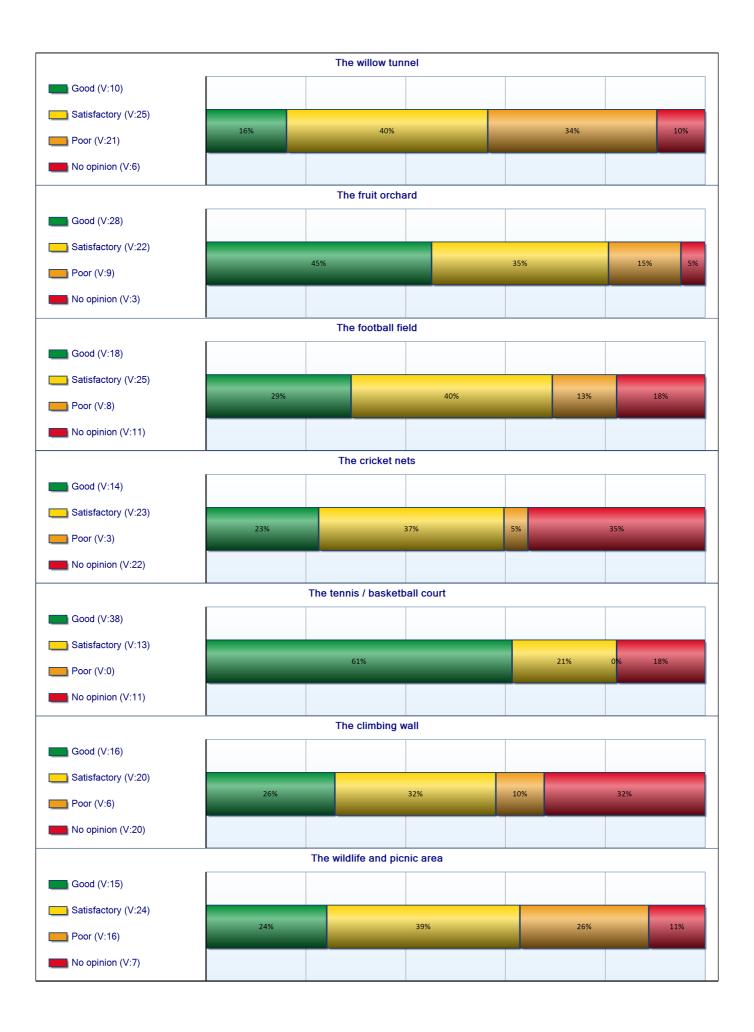


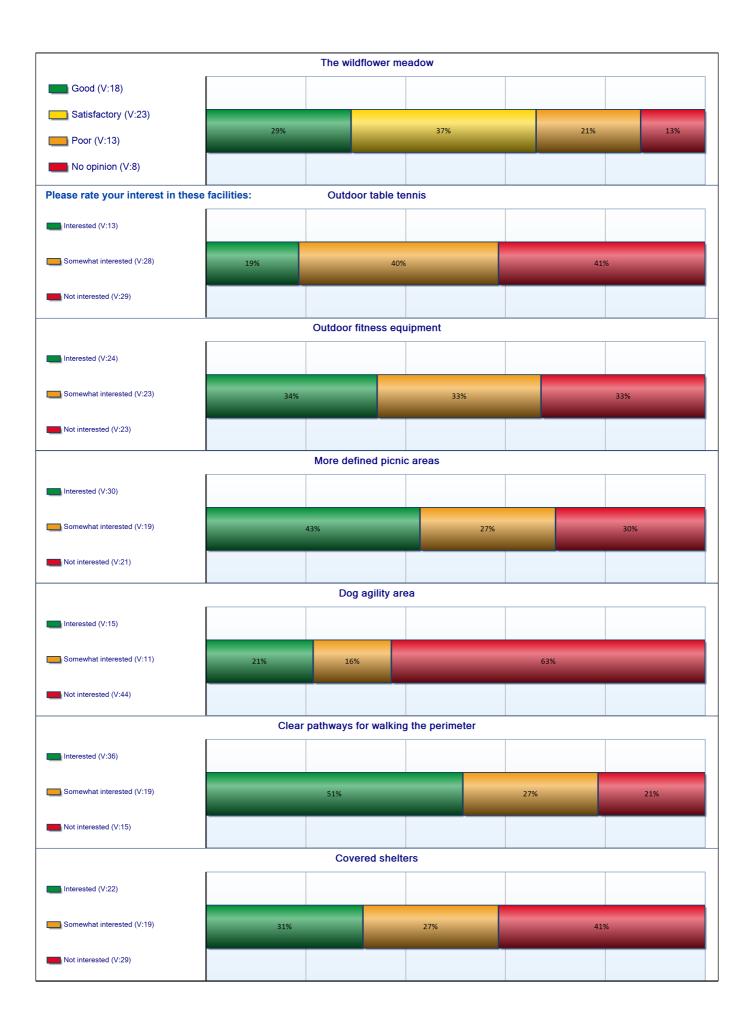


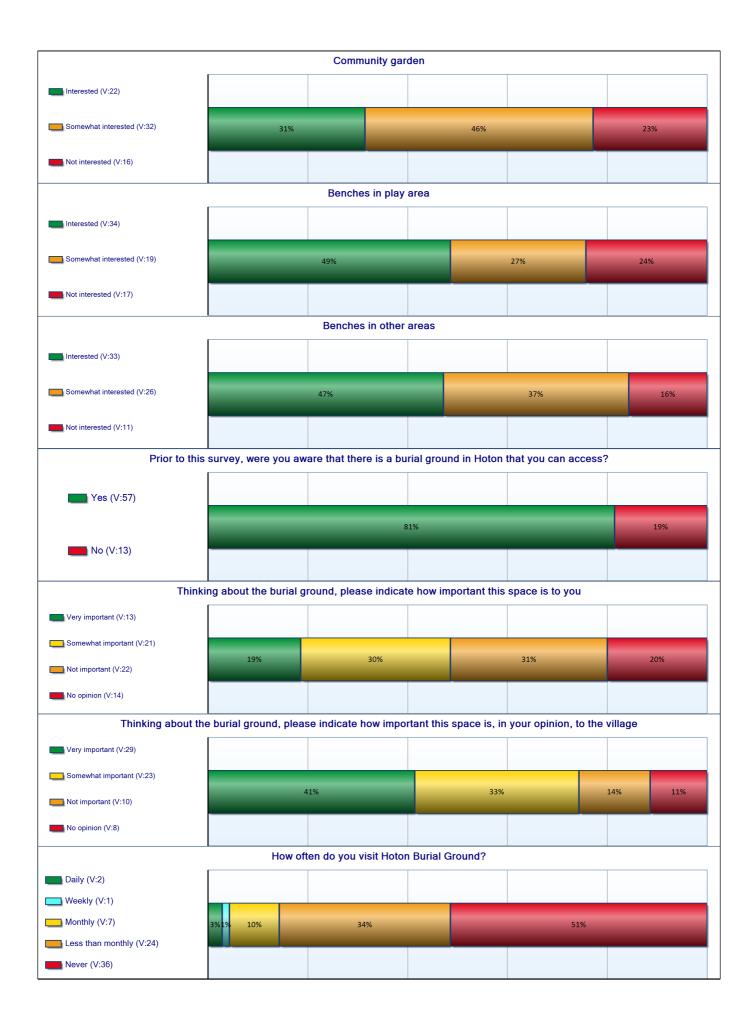
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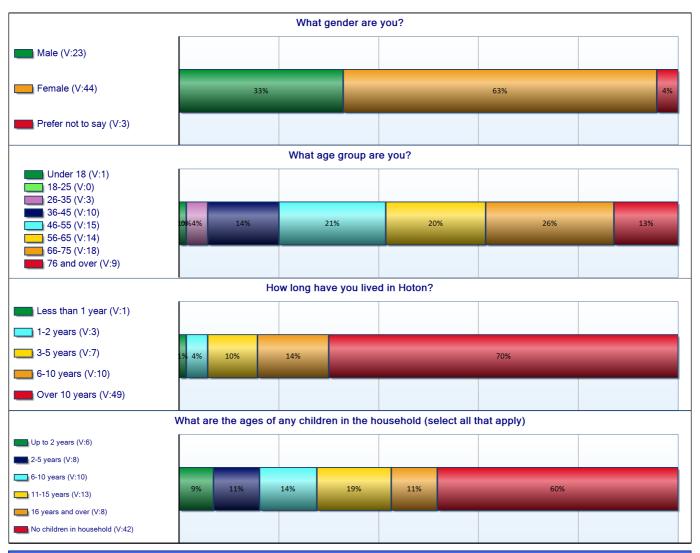












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For what other reason/s do you use the playing field?				
245323	18-Apr-21 18:16	Hoton Parish Council	Playing frisbee	
245328	18-Apr-21 19:47	Hoton Parish Council	Enjoying nature trees etc	
245361	19-Apr-21 14:42	Hoton Parish Council	Jogging around	
245366	19-Apr-21 16:15	Hoton Parish Council	Children ride their bikes on the tennis court	
245367	19-Apr-21 17:25	Hoton Parish Council	check tree	
245411	20-Apr-21 09:47	Hoton Parish Council	Part of a run	
245412	20-Apr-21 11:10	Hoton Parish Council	Children love climbing the trees.	
245484	21-Apr-21 20:31	Hoton Parish Council	N/A	
246026	01-May-21 18:34	Hoton Parish Council	Just wander in from time to time to see what's going on, ocassionally go to look at the tree the family donated to the orchard	
Do you have	any comments abou	t the facilities availa	ble at the playing field?	
245323	18-Apr-21 18:16	Hoton Parish Council	I'd love to be able to ride my mountain bike to practise some skills but I'm unsure if I'm allowed!	
245327	18-Apr-21 19:45	Hoton Parish Council	Great facilities for kids. Be nice if there was more / larger picnic benches.	

245328	18-Apr-21 19:47	Hoton Parish Council	Would like some adult exercise equipment
245330	18-Apr-21 19:41	Hoton Parish Council	Great facilities for our village - whoever got this built did a great job. Not sure the football field is something g we need as we don't have a village team so far as I'm aware and similarly we don't have. Cricket team but if people wanted to form one the facilities would be available. I think the wild picnic area is a little overgrown needs some tic but that's doable. Some benches neat or inside the children's play area would be good for grandparents -my mum pointed this out on s visit. Also some picnics tables and benches in the open space where people could picnic would be really nice
245340	18-Apr-21 20:31	Hoton Parish Council	A small skate park/ ramps would be good. More up to date adult fitness equipment to replace or add to the trim trail. A sandpit could also be good and maybe a few extra benches around the perimeter of the park. It would be good if the football pitch could be 'flattened out'.
245342	19-Apr-21 06:48	Hoton Parish Council	Council as evidenced by minutes surface disproportionate time on the playing fields
		Council	Village hall is underutilised and needs vehicle access fur parking behind the hall
			Council doesn't focus on quality of life in village
			Wymeswold road now plagued with hgv 're store change of use
			Council did very little to oppose the creation of the chicken farm
			Council refuse to put a grit bin are known risk area
			Council are not actively trying to get half marathon diverted away from Hoton when there is an entrance to the airfield on wymeswold road
245344	19-Apr-21 08:33	Hoton Parish Council	The playing fields are kept remarkably well and provide a great facility to the village
245348	19-Apr-21 09:34	Hoton Parish Council	Cricket nets need artificial surface
245356	19-Apr-21 13:02	Hoton Parish Council	Drainage seems to be a issue !!
245360	19-Apr-21 14:30	Hoton Parish Council	The wooden play trail needs fixing Some of the fruit trees need replacing It's a shame parking has been stopped outside the park by the Packe estate.
245362	19-Apr-21 15:26	Hoton Parish Council	Such an important village facility
245366	19-Apr-21 16:15	Hoton Parish Council	Another picnic bench would be useful, particularly within sight (or inside) of the playing area. The one in the woodland is unusable because of being over grown by trees.
245371	19-Apr-21 22:00	Hoton Parish Council	They are acceptable for a small village
245412	20-Apr-21 11:10	Hoton Parish Council	It is a real shame that the wildlife area beyond the gate has become overgrown and unusable. My kids love the trim trail and are very disappointed that it is out of use. Things like the willow tunnell and wildflower patch need looking after properly if they are to be of any value. The football ptich is too lumpy to play football.
245431	20-Apr-21 21:15	Hoton Parish Council	Good range for small village. my grandchildren enjoy visiting and their are activities to suit as they get older.
245470	21-Apr-21 12:38	Hoton Parish Council	A compost loo would be good
245479	21-Apr-21 17:31	Hoton Parish Council	Excellent facilities for our village.
245486	21-Apr-21 21:58	Hoton Parish Council	OK but need to stay maintained as some areas on the cusp of not being repairable. More seating would be useful. Clearing the wildlife area may make it more usable although accept then it may not be classed as wildlife area! Clear the outer edge of green area so larger area to walk.
245720	26-Apr-21 10:22	Hoton Parish Council	Facilities could be extended to have play equipment for older children.
246020	01-May-21 11:34	Hoton Parish Council	Would be fab to get the trim trail back to former glory. Climbing wall could use some intermediate height holds for smaller climbers. Zip line?!! Maybe some larger play equipment for slightly older kids.
			Did there used to be a bike track out the back?

246024	01-May-21 14:38	Hoton Parish Council	NA
246026	01-May-21 18:34	Hoton Parish Council	It's just a pity the surface fof the football pitch is not more even
246027	01-May-21 19:21	Hoton Parish Council	Although I don't use all the facilities I think it's important the variety that is offered to service all age groups in the village.
246063	03-May-21 11:06	Hoton Parish Council	Be great to extend the walking area into woods to rear and also improve wildlife space. Hedge to builders yard needs some serious work to maintain and remove rubbish left by builders yard. Drainage could be improved for football pitch by sinking a drainage pipe and then also levelling along route of old ditch, plus alongside fence / hedge. Drainage channel in wildlife area also needs clearing. Ideally an artificial cricket pitch could be installed but appreciate that may not be cost effective for overall levels of use. Previous ideas about having outdoor exercise equipment with willow hedge around it in place of willow tunnel could be pursued if funding allowed. A removable tennis net would allow for area to be used for football when pitch is waterlogged.
246067	03-May-21 22:47	Hoton Parish Council	Although only occasional users with visiting grandchildren, it's always a highlight for them. It is a fantastic village amenity.
246736	17-May-21 08:35	Hoton Parish Council	very good facilities for families
246738	17-May-21 08:47	Hoton Parish Council	Underused
What do yo	u like most about the	playing field?	
245323	18-Apr-21 18:16	Hoton Parish Council	It's a great place to play sports as there isn't really any option in a village made up from two very busy roads
245327	18-Apr-21 19:45	Hoton Parish Council	Lots of different sports catered for
245328	18-Apr-21 19:47	Hoton Parish Council	That we have it
245330	18-Apr-21 19:41	Hoton Parish Council	The children's play area and the wild spaces for wildlife - olive the view over to the horse field - the orchard and wildflower meadow. I've not used the football pitch but appreciate it's nice for others to use - I think the tennis court is something I'd like to use this year and is a fantastic resource!
245332	18-Apr-21 19:57	Hoton Parish Council	A lovely facility for the village.
245335	18-Apr-21 19:52	Hoton Parish Council	Easy to access. Feels safe. Not heaving with children. Lots of space for walking, bike riding, picnics and playing. Lots of different activities available. Good for the community - i.e. meeting up with people from the village or meeting new people.
245340	18-Apr-21 20:31	Hoton Parish Council	The green space, tennis court and children's play area.
245342	19-Apr-21 06:48	Hoton Parish Council	That it is there very few walking oaths in Hoton and the ones that are are being compromised by planning apol8catijbs that the council doesnt actively oppose
245343	19-Apr-21 07:46	Hoton Parish Council	Ease of access to tennis and cricket facilities for the children
245344	19-Apr-21 08:33	Hoton Parish Council	ideal short walk for the village
245345	19-Apr-21 08:44	Hoton Parish Council	Something for everybody
245351	19-Apr-21 10:55	Hoton Parish Council	It's a safe space where the children can run wild with minimal supervision
245356	19-Apr-21 13:02	Hoton Parish Council	We need green space not just for children but also adults , which seems to be well covered , not sure about the wooden play equipment and I wish people using the play equipment would close the gates before they leave the area as it prevents dogs from wandering in !!
245359	19-Apr-21 14:19	Hoton Parish Council	Tennis and ability for every age group to use.
245360	19-Apr-21 14:30	Hoton Parish Council	Children's play area Fruit orchard Tennis court area Plantings are attractive now
245362	19-Apr-21 15:26	Hoton Parish Council	Adds value to the village

245366	19-Apr-21 16:15	Hoton Parish Council	The children's play equipment is ideal for tiny and bigger children. The tennis court is the only safe place on the village to learn to ride a bike
245371	19-Apr-21 22:00	Hoton Parish Council	That we have one
245411	20-Apr-21 09:47	Hoton Parish Council	Meeting others by coincidence
245412	20-Apr-21 11:10	Hoton Parish Council	It is peaceful and quiet. Lots of different areas. Great trees for climbing.
245414	20-Apr-21 12:00	Hoton Parish Council	The fact that it is there. Before it became available there had been no facility available, especially for young children in the village, for many years.
245431	20-Apr-21 21:15	Hoton Parish Council	ease of access, range of facilities to suit a broad age range generally good standard of maintenance
245470	21-Apr-21 12:38	Hoton Parish Council	Free community facility
245479	21-Apr-21 17:31	Hoton Parish Council	All good facilities but the tennis court is outstanding.
245481	21-Apr-21 19:14	Hoton Parish Council	The tennis court.
245486	21-Apr-21 21:58	Hoton Parish Council	Lots of different areas and appeal to all. Easy access
245714	25-Apr-21 15:19	Hoton Parish Council	It is a very important green space for families
245720	26-Apr-21 10:22	Hoton Parish Council	We enjoy the tennis court but often when we go we have to wait as others are on it. It is important to have a green 'safe' space for younger people however it is a shame that the location is so remote.
245768	27-Apr-21 07:43	Hoton Parish Council	Tennis court
245880	29-Apr-21 15:40	Hoton Parish Council	General layout, facilities. Good for all ages of children.
246020	01-May-21 11:34	Hoton Parish Council	Really nice variety of things to do.
246024	01-May-21 14:38	Hoton Parish Council	It's been there for us lockdown I don't think I properly realised that it was so nice, as working full time, I didn't use it. I'm a reformed character.
246026	01-May-21 18:34	Hoton Parish Council	It's such a good facility for the village, right on our doorstep
246027	01-May-21 19:21	Hoton Parish Council	Good outdoor space with many facilities
246063	03-May-21 11:06	Hoton Parish Council	The football pitch with the goals and nets. The tennis court / hard court area.
246067	03-May-21 22:47	Hoton Parish Council	The setting, tranquility and overall layout.
246736	17-May-21 08:35	Hoton Parish Council	The wide range of equipment for different age groups of children
246738	17-May-21 08:47	Hoton Parish Council	Childrens play area and facilities to sit and relax
Do you have	any ideas about how	the playing field co	uld be improved/better utilised in the community?
245323	18-Apr-21 18:16	Hoton Parish Council	Some bike jumps! :-) (probably only important to me though!)
245324	18-Apr-21 18:27	Hoton Parish Council	Allocate some space for small allotments to grow veg etc
245327	18-Apr-21 19:45	Hoton Parish Council	Informal 'booking' for tennis court, maybe just in the evenings so you know if it's in use before you go down. Definitely more seating for picnics would be great.
245330	18-Apr-21 19:41	Hoton Parish Council	I think s community garden is wonderful and a special children's community garden would be great. Place for community gatherings.
245334	18-Apr-21 19:54	Hoton Parish Council	We use the playing field and playpark and enjoy these things mostly as they are. Better seating in the playpark would be good but as far as shelters etc I feel these could potentially attract antisocial behaviour or groups hanging around the area.

245335	18-Apr-21 19:52	Hoton Parish Council	It would be great to have a couple of benches in the play area. Also, a covered area/gazebo for picnics/meeting friends/watching children in poorer weather would be good.
245340	18-Apr-21 20:31	Hoton Parish Council	Please see comments in other box.
245342	19-Apr-21 06:48	Hoton Parish Council	Pin code that only Logan's know to tennis courts
			Too many non residents taking advantage of these facilities
245345	19-Apr-21 08:44	Hoton Parish Council	General overhaul of wildlife areas
245348	19-Apr-21 09:34	Hoton Parish Council	Dog walkers should be asked to avoid exercising dogs on the football area
245349	19-Apr-21 09:57	Hoton Parish Council	Gym equipment
245356	19-Apr-21 13:02	Hoton Parish Council	Village fate, team sports ie rounders etc
245359	19-Apr-21 14:19	Hoton Parish Council	competitions? Community growing area for fruit and veg?
245360	19-Apr-21 14:30	Hoton Parish Council	Add all of the above and then post the details.
245362	19-Apr-21 15:26	Hoton Parish Council	All is fine with the playing fields however what is urgently required is a footpath/track between Hoton and Wymeswold . Runners / walkers / cyclists are having to use the main road at present and it is only a matter of time before someone is going to be injured or killed in a road accident . Funds would be better spent on this project
245369	19-Apr-21 17:38	Hoton Parish Council	Seeding areas for wildflowers and encouraging insects, birds and wold animals. Also cover for animals. Not having children I pay for the area but get nothing from it. I object strongly to the pc spending my money to murder wildlife in this area. Very cruel. Very heartless. I pay for stuff that is of no value to me and wildlife is not being killed in my name.
245412	20-Apr-21 11:10	Hoton Parish Council	Make the wildlife area past the gate more useable. It goes all the way back to the airfield but it is so overgrown that is is a miserable place to have a picnic. Many children are frightened by dogs and I am surprised that dogs are allowed on the palyign field at all. The idea of a dog agility area is horrific and would spoil the tranquility. There are already places to sit in the playground area, but it would help if they were kept cleaner.
245470	21-Apr-21 12:38	Hoton Parish Council	Events Summer fair Sports days
245479	21-Apr-21 17:31	Hoton Parish Council	The facilities are fine at present and as long as the grass is mowed regularly it is a pleasure to go there.
245481	21-Apr-21 19:14	Hoton Parish Council	I'm afraid I can't think of any.
245486	21-Apr-21 21:58	Hoton Parish Council	Have a monthly weekend get together. BBQ area.village football. Village tennis ladder.
245720	26-Apr-21 10:22	Hoton Parish Council	In it's current location there is little else that can be done really. For my child to access the park from home he would need to cross the A60 twice so we would not increase the frequency of our use as we mainly go straight after school (in the car) depending on the weather. It is worth adding that it is hard to park near the park and sometimes neighbours have been quite hostile towards us wanting to park in that area. Not a good advertisement.
246020	01-May-21 11:34	Hoton Parish Council	Mentioned in previous comment but: Trim trail restored, more holds for smaller climbers on the wall. Maybe bits of equipment for older kids (larger tunnel slidezip line?!)
246026	01-May-21 18:34	Hoton Parish Council	make the football field surface more even
246063	03-May-21 11:06	Hoton Parish Council	Some ideas provided on previous question. Link up a round walking trail from Wymeswold road through woods near airfield (with estates permission) into playing field. Built in BBQ area
246738	17-May-21 08:47	Hoton Parish Council	More organised events to bring the village together