



How can I get involved?

Perhaps you would like to get more involved in the project!

Are you one of the original tenants on the Anglia Estate?

Perhaps you would like to share your experiences of when you first moved to the area with the artist but cannot make the dates at Clover Court, if so, please contact **Tony Morris**, Tenant Services Manager Tel: **01473 825771**

Are you interested in helping out with the project?

- Spreading the word about the activity
- Assisting the artist at the workshops in Clover Court
- Sharing memories about the estate for the next newsletter

If so, please contact **Susie Tyrrell**
Arts and Community Development Officer
Tel: **01473 826615**

Student artist **Zoe Martin**, who is studying fine art at **Suffolk College**, will be involved in the project. Zoe will be working alongside Les at various workshops and activities to gain more experience in community art projects.

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Drop in workshops

Saturday 22 April from 10am-3pm
Or
Saturday 29 April from 10am-3pm

After the workshops have all finished, work will begin on contracting a company to carry out site works in the area and Les will work on designs for the artworks

Work is due to begin on site at the beginning of September and end beginning of November 2006.

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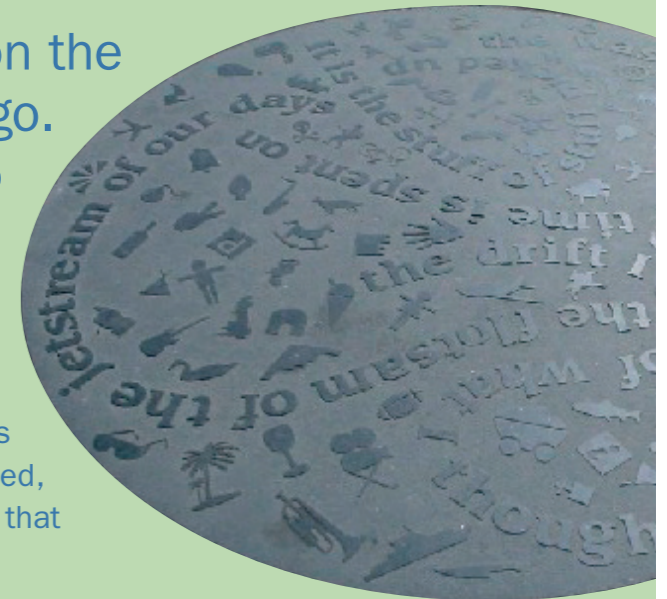


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Anglia Estate Art Project News

Open Space area between **Hartest, Minsmere, Raydon & Rede Way**

The improvement programme on the Anglia Estate began five years ago. As an exciting development to this project, consultation about the open space area between **Hartest, Minsmere, Raydon** and **Rede Way** started about one and half years ago. The last open day event took place on the 8 November 2005. Three designs were presented that artist **Les Bicknell** had created, following on from all the suggestions and comments that were made by you, the residents.



The resulting designs include a series of **pathways** connecting flat **stone artworks** and **lighting** along the pathways at foot level.

The results of the consultation with you were that:

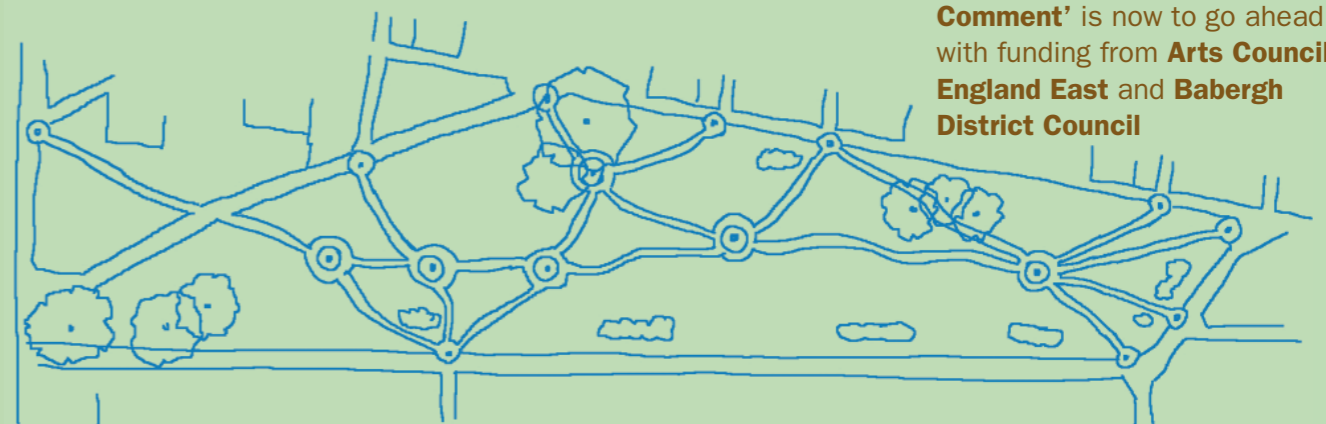
- **76% said that they would like to see one of the designs created in the open space**
- **Many of you liked the lighting and pathways**

- **You thought the lights would make the area safer at night**
- **You agreed that local school children in the area should have the opportunity to take part in activities to create the artworks**

- **You suggested that having raised stones (like seating) would encourage people to hang around in the area**

Since the open day the large stone seating idea has been taken out of the design. The agreed design for the space is shown below. The results of the consultation day were presented to the Anglia Estate Improvement Group meeting on 21 November and it was agreed that funding would be sought to go ahead with the design.

The Art Project '**Passing Comment**' is now to go ahead with funding from **Arts Council England East** and **Babergh District Council**



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