

Grant funding windfall for Betws residents

BETWS Community Council has secured two grants that will attract more wildlife to the area and breathe new life into a local playground.

A £86,750 Local Places for Nature Fund grant from the National Heritage Lottery and the Welsh Government will boost biodiversity in Betws Park.

An orchard and a woodland of native tree shrubs with edibles in raised beds will be created thanks to the funding.

This will allow foraging in the park and the creation of a meadow area.

The work will also involve the removal and disposal of approximately 2000m² of tarmacadam and sub-base from the tennis court area.

Topsoil will be brought in and spread and approximately 200 metres of gravel footpaths with edgings will be built.

At the Maesquarre Playground, funding from Mynydd Y Betws Windfarm grant is being used to renew some of the end-of-life play equipment within by Emroch Landscapes.

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