

Haydon Bridge United Football Club Low Hall Park Haydon Bridge Northumberland www.haydonbridgeunited.co.uk

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Re: Community Garden

Haydon Bridge United Football Club was formed in 1881 and has provided football facilities, coaching etc in the area ever since. In the 1970's we acquired our current home ground at Low Hall Park. Over the years the club has grown, significantly and now runs 12 teams and development squads providing FA qualified coaching for children from the age of 5 up to our senior teams playing football across the north east.

This season we have over 200 players registered at the club, with many more supporters and volunteers to keep our club going. None of this would be possible with our home ground which provides a fantastic setting and operates as a hub for not only the football club but the community as a whole and has hosted various charity events, birthday parties and festivals over the years. On a regular week the club is open every day from 8am to 10pm with training sessions during weekdays and matches at weekends.

We have been made aware of the plans for the community garden and the football club is fully supportive of their plans and we would be happy for the community garden to utilise the parking facilities at Haydon Bridge United Football Club. We feel this is a fantastic project and opportunity for the village and people of Haydon Bridge.

Yours sincerely,

Brian Alderson Club Secretary Haydon Bridge United Football Club