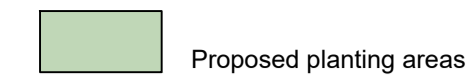




PLANTING STRATEGY



- Sons of Rest Building curtilage** : Approx. 75m². Allow for 225no. plants @3/m². Existing grass areas: remove turf, prepare and cultivate beds to 300mm depth. Incorporate PAS100 organic compost 75mm depth. Following planting spread 50mm thickness decorative bark mulch to surface of beds. Set the beds adjacent to the building and link to existing rocky area. Plant using ground cover roses and low shrubs & herbaceous in drifts:

 - Crococsmia 'Lucifer'
 - Cytisus x kewensis
 - Bergenia spp
 - Geranium 'le Johnson's Blue'
 - Iris germanica
 - Sedum spp
 - Potentilla & Spiraea spp

Ensure the Sons of Rest stands in isolation with views beyond to Sutton Road villas. Remove Eucalyptus & cypress tree group to the north side for visual links to EJF/TWIGS.
- Pool Area**: Create new borders around the re-created pool. Approx. 500m² total area of new planting. All beds will be formed in areas disturbed by pool works. Supply and spread min. 300mm depth topsoil from either on site stockpiles or imported topsoil. Incorporate PAS100 organic compost 75mm depth. Allow for turf edges to beds adjacent to paths. Ready planted Coir rolls to be used to reinforce bank profile.

150m² native bulbs and wildflower seed mix into prepared seedbed by WFDC. Allow for 1500no. plants to species described below:

South beds as flower borders in drifts: 5m²

 - Anemone, Iris spp, Crown Imperials, Martagon Lily, Paeony, Monarda, Campanula, Doronicum, Astrantia

Autumn borders to continue flowering after the removal of the wildflower annual meadow areas:

 - Aster, Caryopteris, Rudbeckia, Perovskia

Low shrubs & perennial planting beneath trees 3-5m² in drifts 7-15 nr.

 - Arum italicum pictum
 - Bergenia cordifolia
 - Cotoneaster spp
 - Euphorbia robbiae
 - Geranium macrorrhizum
 - Hebe spp
 - Iris foetidissima
 - Vinca spp

Ferns in variety

Flowers/perennials as understorey and nature conservation pollinator varieties

 - 5-9 per species.
 - Euphorbia, Digitalis, Geranium pratense, Helleborus foetidissima, Hemerocallis, Lychnis, Lythrum salicaria, Potentilla fruticosa, Paeonia lactiflora, Tellima grandiflora.
 - Primrose, Wood anemone, Brunnera, Pulmonaria, Echinacea purpurea, Verbena bonariensis

Lake Area : approx. 780m² Marginal water plants - 'Marsh zone': Allow for 300no. plants 5/m² in drifts ie:

 - Butomus umbellatus, Caltha palustris, Iris pseudacorus, Myosotis scorpiodes, Ranunculus spp.
 - Submerged aquatics & Floating aquatics as required. 150 no. approx.
 - Rooted aquatics - in wire baskets - 50 no. in varieties of Nuphar lutea, Nymphaea alba,
- THE DELL**

Create borders into existing grass area and ensure min. 300mm depth of cultivated topsoil and incorporate 75mm PAS 100 organic matter prior to planting. Include turf for verge edge 150m² to disturbed areas. Allow for wildflower seed mix & bulb planting by WFDC. Approx. 330m² @ 3-5/m² 1200 no. plants:

Tall in clumps and as accents:	Medium height in drifts:	Summer interest: Flowering shrubs:	Autumn interest: As accent & backdrop Foliage/Berries as specimens 1-3 per species
1-3m ² per species	5-7 per species 3-5m ²	3-5 per species 3-5/m ²	
Altheae (Hollyhock)	Anthemis tinctoria	Abelia chinensis	Cerastostigma willmottianum
Acanthus mollis	Aster spp	Buddleia spp	Cornus spp
Anemone x hybrida	Centaurea	Cornus mas	Euonymus alatus
Crococsmia masoniorum	Hemerocallis	Daphne odora	Pernettya mucrodonta
Peltiphylum peltatum	Kniphofia 'Royal Standard'	Fuschia magellanica	
Rodgersia pinnata	Veronica spicata	Hydrangea arborecens	
Romneya coulteri		Hypericum inodorum	Ferns in variety
		Spartium junceum	

Wildflower in drifts 7-9 m² : supplied as plug plants to include:

 - Achillea millefolium, Acorus calamus 'Variegatus'
 - Filipendula ulmaria, Luchnis flos-cuculi, Primula veris, Scabiosa spp, Viola canina
- Proposed Cafe location:**

Border below Cafe - low hedge planting - 15m length @ 4/m + 60no. ie: Ilex crenata, Lonicera nitida

Borders to enhance cafe & the views towards the pool : 200m²

Remove turf, cultivate to min. 300mm depth and incorporate PAS100 organic matter

Mixed seasonal south facing border to include scented shrubs & perennial plants: 3-4/m²

1200no. plants to include

 - Shrubs 3/m²
 - Artemesia, Cistus spp, Perovskia, Phlomis, Rosemary, Lavender
 - Bulb planting - 1000nr. bulbs in drifts - snowdrop, crocus spp.
 - Groundcover in drifts in shade : 3-5m²
 - Shade beneath trees:
 - Convallaria majalis, Cyclamen hederifolium, Epimedium perralderianum, Tiarella cordifolia, Hedera helix, Helleborus, Lily of the Valley Pernettya, Vinca,
- Infill planting borders between existing seat bays around the Richard Eve Monument**

30lin m Hedge planting: in trench 300mm depth 600mm wide in existing grass area. Backfill with topsoil & incorporate PAS100 organic matter. 150no. Carpinus betulus 0.9-1.0m 5/lin m staggered row
- Annual planting borders to enhance the main entrances by WFDC**

Including an area below the Sons of Rest - possible annual 'badge' location for scouts.
- Screen planting to car park and the maintenance yard - 60m @ 5/lin m**

Boundary hedge planting - 450no. Carpinus betulus (Hornbeam) 0.9 - 1.0m height BR
- Wildflower planting & bulbs in drifts across the banks as viewed from Stourport Road by WFDC**
- Plant specimen pines to reinforce existing avenue when garages demolished**

in prepared tree pit, to fit rootballed stock backfilled with good quality topsoil - 7no. Pinus nigra 'Austriaca' 1.5.-1.75m RB
- Acidic Grassland Areas managed by WFDC**
- Volunteer Project: to create sand bank & stumpery feature managed by WFDC**

PLANTING STRATEGY FOR BRINTON PARK

Historical Precedents

The 1901 Borough Engineers plan indicates limited shrub and decorative ornamental plantings in the park in the form of accent beds, geometric shaped plantings, shrubberies and specimen plantings. Historical photographs and the Town Council Minute Books refer to planting around the park buildings and features to provide interest and colour in the Park.

The 1901 plan indicates the upper pool and bridge crossing, with an ornamental Dell garden in place of the lower second pool. Subsequent maps reproduce this arrangement with slight variations on the perimeter of the pool and edge detailing. Generally the northern shore was laid out more formally with shrubberies and later horticultural sunburst displays at the time of the paddling pool (from 1955)

The extension area was originally partly dedicated for County Instruction gardens for young men to grow vegetables and flowers. This tradition has carried on to the present day with the Emily Jordan Foundation providing horticultural training in the Park.

Designed tree planting has been a distinctive feature of the Park layout since the Deed of Gift from Brinton in 1887 together with older municipal and historical Park boundaries associated with Caldwell Hall and Sutton Common.

Planting Strategy

Planting where possible will provide a valuable source of pollen and nectar for bees, hoverflies and other pollinating insects. This will be achieved by providing a year round interest of flowering plants beneficial to these pollinators as well as the water from the lake and wildflower meadows.

The planting used will also create areas for nesting bees, other insects and species that require these areas of cover for over wintering.

There are opportunities for horticultural planting in association with the existing horticultural display gardens, the Pool and restored Sons of Rest building to be considered in the design of the individual areas.

The landscape setting of the new Café building should complement the adjacent existing sensory garden

Hedge planting between the new seats around the Richard Eve Monument will improve the appearance and create a more contained character to the flower garden.

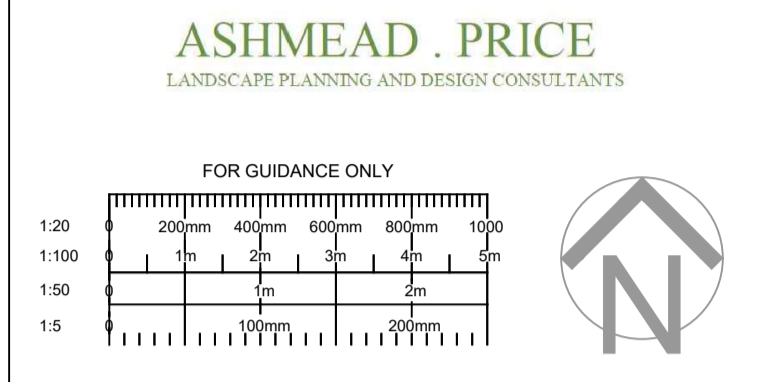
Safety Health and Environmental Information A1

The following risks are identified as unusual or unfamiliar to a competent contractor

CONSTRUCTION RISKS
There are no significant or unfamiliar risks

DEMOLITION RISKS (FUTURE)
There are no significant or unfamiliar risks

It is assumed that all work will be carried out by a competent contractor working, where appropriate, to an approved method statement



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