

Wild Exmouth 2018

Have your say and you could win £40 of vouchers!



Wild Exmouth is an exciting project led by East Devon District Council's Countryside Team that will help enhance the environment of the town, engage residents with green spaces and improve access to nature. This will be through community events, volunteer days and improved information. To help secure funding to make the project even bigger and better East Devon District Council's Countryside Team are asking Exmouth residents to complete this questionnaire. All responses will be used to make sure the project delivers on what residents identify as important sites, improvements or mini projects.

Please give us your views by 5pm on 8 February 2018 by filling in this questionnaire and dropping it off at Exmouth Town Hall for the attention of our Countryside Team, or post it to Countryside Team, East Devon District Council, Knowle, Station Road, Sidmouth, EX10 8HL.

If you need a copy of this consultation in large print or any other format please email countryside@eastdevon.gov.uk or call 01395 517557 with your name and address.

1. Would you like to enter the prize draw, where one person that replies to the questionnaire will win £40 of Marks and Spencer's vouchers?

- Yes No, please move onto question 2

If yes, please give your name and phone number below:

This information will be treated in accordance with the Data Protection Act and will only be used for the purposes of contacting you if you win the prize draw.

2. How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the amount of parks, nature reserves and other outdoor, public open spaces in Exmouth?

Please select one answer only

- Very satisfied
 Fairly satisfied
 Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
 Fairly dissatisfied
 Very dissatisfied
 Don't know / unsure

If you're fairly or very dissatisfied, please tell us what sorts of public, open green spaces you would like to see more of:

3. Have you visited outdoor, public open spaces at any of the following in the last 6 months?

	Yes	No	Don't know / unsure
Woodbury Common	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Otter Valley	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sid Valley	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Blackdown Hills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Jurassic Coast	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Exmouth beach	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dawlish Warren	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

4. Which of the following outdoor public open spaces in Exmouth are you aware of?

Please select all that apply. If you're not sure what some areas you are aware of are called, please see accompanying map.

- Phear Park
- Exmouth Local Nature Reserve - known as the Duck Pond
- Exmouth Beach - Harbour towards Orcombe Point
- Coast path from Orcombe Point to Sandy Bay
- Exe trail towards Lympstone
- Imperial Recreation Ground
- The Maer Local Nature Reserve
- Manor Gardens
- Exmouth to Budleigh Salterton cycleway
- St Johns Road playing field
- Valley Way Woodland
- Plantation and Madeira Walks
- Denesdene Farm open space
- Hillcrest Community Nature Reserve
- Other, please tick and write in box below:

5. Which of the following are the MOST important outdoor public open spaces to you in Exmouth?

Please choose a maximum of FOUR options.

If you're not sure which open spaces you use please see accompanying map.

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- Other, please tick and write in box below:

6. Thinking about the public open spaces in Exmouth that are most important to you in question 5, what do you use them for?

Please choose all that apply

- Walking
- Playing outdoors
- Cycling
- Other, please tick and write in box below:
- Watching wildlife

7. Which of the following improvements would you MOST like to see in the outdoor, public open spaces that were the most important to you in question 5?

Please choose a maximum of FOUR improvements.

- More wild flower meadows
- Better access around the site, such as surfaced footpaths
- More tree planting
- Installation of bird boxes and bug boxes
- New orchards
- Better signage and information boards
- Other - please tick and write in box below:

8. Is there anything that would make it easier for you to enjoy any of the outdoor, public open spaces in Exmouth, such as those mentioned in question 4?

Please choose all that apply

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| <input type="checkbox"/> More transport available to get to them | <input type="checkbox"/> More organised events taking place in them |
| <input type="checkbox"/> More information about outdoor public open spaces in Exmouth, where they are and what's there | <input type="checkbox"/> More confidence to go and visit them |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other - please tick and write in box below: | <input type="checkbox"/> Having more time to visit them |

9. Could access be improved to any of the current parks, nature reserves and other outdoor, public open spaces in Exmouth such as those mentioned in question 4?

- Yes
- No - please move onto question 10
- Don't know / unsure - please move onto question 10

If yes, please tell us which open spaces access could be improved at, and how you feel it could be improved:

10. We are thinking about producing a detailed map showing all of the parks, nature reserves and other outdoor, public open spaces in Exmouth, such as all those mentioned in question 4. Would you use this map if we produced one?

- Yes
- No - please move onto question 11

If yes, what format would you like this in?

- Paper map
- Both paper and online map
- Online map
- Other - please write in box below:

11. Would you be interested in coming along to outdoor events set up by the Wild Exmouth project? This could be walks, activities or practical wildlife conservation tasks for a variety of ages and abilities.

- Yes
- No - please move onto question 12
- Don't know / unsure - please move to question 12

If yes, what kind of Wild Exmouth outdoor events would you be interested in coming along to?

12. Are there enough opportunities to get involved in volunteering on public parks, nature reserves and other outdoor, public open spaces in Exmouth such as all those mentioned in question 4?

- Yes - please move onto question 13
- No
- Don't know / unsure - please move onto question 13

If no, what other volunteering opportunities would you like to see and where?

About You

We are asking these questions so we can see the views of different age groups and people from within and outside of Exmouth. The information below will be kept in accordance with the Data Protection Act.

13. Which age group do you fall into?

- Under 18
- 18 to 29
- 30 to 49
- 50 to 69
- 70+

14. Do you live in Exmouth?

- Yes - please move onto question 15
- No

If no, please tell us which town or village you live in:

15. Would you like to...

	Yes	No
....get involved in the Wild Exmouth project, or find out more about it?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
....be added to the Wild Exmouth mailing list to receive a regular emailed newsletter about the project, including information about outdoor events?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
...be added to the East Devon District Council's Countryside Team's mailing list to receive a monthly emailed newsletter about their outdoor events and news?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

If you've answered 'yes' to any part of question 15, please leave your name, phone number and email address in the box below:

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Thank you for taking the time to take part in this consultation.

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