



GREAT NEWS!

INSTALLATION OF EDUCATIONAL POND DIPPING PLATFORM ALL SET FOR THIS WEEK

Dear Friends,

We are delighted to announce that we have reached our fundraising target to install a boardwalk and pond dipping platform at the wildlife pond. A grant has also been secured to provide our volunteers with pond ecology training, as well as enabling us to purchase pond dipping equipment so educational sessions can be held in the park with children and young people in mind.

We are incredibly thankful to a number of organisations and individuals who have been especially supportive of this phase of the project. Special thanks go to Councillor Zoe Metcalfe (£3,000 locality budget); Knaresborough Youth Fund (£2,500); Harrogate Borough Council (£1,060); local businesses who wish to remain anonymous (£326) and private donations (£38).

Huge thanks also to HBC Countryside Ranger Sam Walker for his continued support with this exciting project.

For more information about The Friends of Jacob Smith Park please visit www.jacobsmithpark.co.uk and check the park noticeboard for updates.

