














Stoke Park - Future Plans

1. What is your post code?				
			Response Percent	Response Total
1	Open-Ended Question		100.00%	633
[Redacted – identifying information]				
			answered	633
			skipped	75

2. What are the main reasons you normally visit Stoke Park? (Please tick as many as you would like)								
					Response Percent	Response Total		
1	To walk the dog				31.56%	214		
2	To go walking or jogging				64.90%	440		
3	To go cycling				14.90%	101		
4	To get to another destination				19.47%	132		
5	To meet friends				16.08%	109		
6	To relax/ for peace and quiet				50.88%	345		
7	To have picnics				20.94%	142		
8	To enjoy the wildlife/nature				60.03%	407		
9	To play non-organised sports				4.87%	33		
10	To go fishing				1.47%	10		
11	For events and activities				9.44%	64		
12	I never visit				8.26%	56		
13	Other (please specify):				12.39%	84		
Analysis	Mean:	17.19	Std. Deviation:	21.64	Satisfaction Rate:	116.99	answered	678
	Variance:	468.46	Std. Error:	0.83			skipped	30

Other (please specify): (84)

1	to cycle through on route elsewhere
2	Take children from nursery for Forest School visits
3	Walk through as my commute to work
4	To enjoy the views and scenery and rare opportunity for natural outdoor space and woods in the city of Bristol
5	to visit purdown percy and the site's history
6	Litter pick
7	To enjoy the views, internal and external.
8	Cyclocross race in November, part of the Western League series
9	I have taken school groups here for outdoor learning sessions

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		Response Percent	Response Total
10	Home-Start Bristol is a charity which supports families with young children who are struggling to cope. Many are isolated and part of our role is to help them access local spaces and parks as we know getting out like this helps with emotional and mental wellbeing.		
11	Orienteering		
12	visit ww2 battery		
13	Help manage the woods & run activities		
14	forage		
15	Elm Tree Farm, adjoining farm		
16	I have only been once - for a walk and out of curiosity		
17	I take art and design students on research visits. I also create artworks related to the area.		
18	Fly my drone		
19	Horse Riding		
20	I commute on bicycle daily from Fishponds		
21	Riding my horse		
22	Didn't really know anything about it!		
23	TO VISIT THIS HISTORIC AND INTERESTING PARK		
24	Forest school		
25	I was employed at stoke park Burden Hall also i visit with the dog sometimes to go down memory lane		
26			
27	To visit an historic landscape		
28	For a walk (I don't jog, so couldn't tick that box).		
29	Check on the condition of the monuments		
30	to study nature		
31	I enjoy the historic landscape features		
32	Orienteering events when Bristol Orienteering Klub arrange them.		
33	Would like to visit. I see it from the motorway but not sure how to get to it.		
34	To take photos		
35	Near Elm Tree Farm		
36	Walking the children in a natural environment		
37	Watch fireworks on special events nights		
38	To walk, although the proximity of the M32 motorway makes it less than peaceful		
39	Walking with family, to look at the anti-aircraft battery		
40	Horse riding		
41	Playing Pokemon Go		
42	Ingress		






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		Response Percent	Response Total
43	Litter picking/history walks/wildlife and education talks and events		
44	For my children to experience their environment and learn about so many things.		
45	To show my children wildlife and nature		
46	Running		
47	History events		
48	flying kites. blackberrying/collecting apples		
49	The clean air it protects and generates.		
50	To take my children		
51	using the M32 (I love Stoke Park from the M32)		
52	Photography		
53	Playing with daughter		
54	To take the children out		
55	watch the baloon fiesta and fireworks (New Year and Bonfire Night)		
56	Monthly litter picks		
57	I work in the area		
58	sledging!		
59	Photography admire views		
60	have been en route to snuff mills years ago		
61	School children use the woods for Forest School at South Purdown		
62	I go occasionally and my interest is in the whole picutre of green space and its use in Bristol		
63	I grew up in Lockleaze		
64	Deliver events and activities		
65	Own an Aerial Photography business using Drones and test fly here		
66	To take my niece out who lives in Filton		
67	Sculpture trail with the kids		
68	For the sculpture trail. For forest school. With visitors.		
69	Enjoy the views		
70	Photography		
71	comute to work		
72	to see the trees		
73	To lead a Walking for Health group from my area. As a volunteer (helped a little with the walking trails).		
74	To appreciate amazing Grade II Listed Heritage		
75	visit the park with my husband and three children. I am a registered childminder and also take the 0-5yr old children in my care there for walks, play and forest school activities. I do not have a car and would not be able to access another green space.		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
76	Litter picking/volunteering		
77	To tidy it		
78	Monthly litter pick, to attend organise talks/walks (mostly by ██████████) [Redacted – identifies individual]		
79	Go with children to play and get fresh air		
80	regular walk for health walking group		
81			
82	Not accesible to wheelchairs		
83	Lots of the above with children		
84	Do activites with the kids		

3. How do you normally get to Stoke Park?

			Response Percent	Response Total				
1	By foot		55.36%	341				
2	By bike		10.88%	67				
3	By bus		2.76%	17				
4	By car/motorbike		28.73%	177				
5	Other (please specify):		2.27%	14				
Analysis	Mean:	2.12	Std. Deviation:	1.39	Satisfaction Rate:	27.92	answered	616
	Variance:	1.92	Std. Error:	0.06			skipped	92

Other (please specify): (14)

1	I don't
2	Families will walk or drive
3	there is no normally, sometimes car, sometimes walk or bike
4	disabled scooter
5	MOBILITY SCOOTER
6	access to fields with tractor
7	I have only been once.
8	sometimes i walk
9	On horse Back
10	Horse ride and walk
11	live in Stoke Park
12	I get to Bristol buy car to my friends house then we walk to stoke park it's a short walk to it

3. How do you normally get to Stoke Park?






		Response Percent	Response Total
13	Foot and Bus		
14	Either by foot or by car depending on the weather - we are about 2 miles away		






4. How often do you use Stoke Park and when?

	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Occasionally	Rarely	Response Total
Spring	18.8% (114)	30.1% (183)	18.8% (114)	28.8% (175)	3.5% (21)	607
Summer	22.0% (134)	34.9% (213)	16.1% (98)	24.3% (148)	2.8% (17)	610
Autumn	17.8% (107)	29.2% (175)	18.8% (113)	27.3% (164)	6.8% (41)	600
Winter	15.0% (88)	22.6% (133)	16.3% (96)	27.6% (162)	18.5% (109)	588
					answered	617
					skipped	91

4.1. Spring						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Daily					18.8%	114	
2	Weekly					30.1%	183	
3	Monthly					18.8%	114	
4	Occasionally					28.8%	175	
5	Rarely					3.5%	21	
Analysis	Mean:	2.68	Std. Deviation:	1.17	Satisfaction Rate:	42.01	answered	607
	Variance:	1.38	Std. Error:	0.05				

4.2. Summer						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Daily					22.0%	134	
2	Weekly					34.9%	213	
3	Monthly					16.1%	98	
4	Occasionally					24.3%	148	
5	Rarely					2.8%	17	
Analysis	Mean:	2.51	Std. Deviation:	1.16	Satisfaction Rate:	37.75	answered	610
	Variance:	1.34	Std. Error:	0.05				

4.3. Autumn						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Daily					17.8%	107	
2	Weekly					29.2%	175	
3	Monthly					18.8%	113	
4	Occasionally					27.3%	164	
5	Rarely					6.8%	41	
Analysis	Mean:	2.76	Std. Deviation:	1.22	Satisfaction Rate:	44.04	answered	600
	Variance:	1.49	Std. Error:	0.05				

4.4. Winter						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Daily					15.0%	88	
2	Weekly					22.6%	133	
3	Monthly					16.3%	96	
4	Occasionally					27.6%	162	
5	Rarely					18.5%	109	
Analysis	Mean:	3.12	Std. Deviation:	1.35	Satisfaction Rate:	53.02	answered	588
	Variance:	1.83	Std. Error:	0.06				

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?				Response Percent	Response Total
1	Open-Ended Question			100.00%	584
1	Views	Woods			
2	wood sculpture trail - please extend this :-)	proximity to residential areas			
3	the views and the the location				
4	Duchess Pond	Green open space			
5	Woodland walks/Green Space and Duchess Pond.				
6	- the Green space and tranquillity				
7	Lots of open green space great views of the city.				
8	Location and wildness.				
9	Massive area with amazing views.	Best place locally to give the dog a good run.			
10	The vast open green space within a city and its vast amount of wildlife and nature. The availability of attending groups such as those run by [Redacted – identifies individual]				

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
11	Slightly wild green space 1 good cycle route		
12	It's a very unspoilt place full of nature & good walks		
13	1. Its a beautiful and diverse landscape. 2. There are no livestock		
14	The view over green space from the hill tops and being in the old woods. Foraging for blackberries and apples.		
15	Views How many different places to explore		
16	Open space wildlife		
17	Views Open natural landscape		
18	Big open space, location		
19	Beautiful area lovely place for walking the dog		
20	I have been using this park for 3 years and i am still finding new areas to explore, paths, features etc. it is an amazing place to visit on our doorstep		
21	Perfect place for family time with kids. Big enough to have a few hours walk/other activities		
22	Open to everyone. Space		
23	Yellow House Cycle path Open space		
24	I love that it's a quiet, food-free large space where I can walk my dog and interact with other dog owners.		
25	Space Vistas		
26	The range of areas to explore with woodland, fields and lovely views towards the house. Its accessibility from where I live.		
27	Peace and quiet. The pond		
28	Variety of habitat for wildlife and the sculpture trail		
29	open green space, wildlife,		
30	open space for kids to enjoy away from traffic		
31	the events and the educational activities		
32	1) The fact that there are no roads and few paths, once you enter the park, you don't have to worry about kids running out into roads or dodging cars. You don't have to stick to a path, you can feel free to walk wherever you fancy! 2) The variety of terrain - whether it's a woodland walk you can get lost in, or a lush grassy meadow, combined with the views - Wow! In the summer, the long grass is perfect picnic and balloon watching territory, in the winter, it's still a fantastic place to go for a run in.		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
33	1. The natural environment and wildlife - it's very hard to find this in North Bristol and it's so important for health and wellbeing, as well as education. 2. The variety of opportunities for recreation, which again is hard to find elsewhere in North Bristol and wider Bristol. The woodland, variety of fields and fishing lake are all fantastic and very much appreciated. The park always has a variety of people using it, dog walkers, runners, cyclists, fishermen, families etc.		
34	The peace and quiet, and variety of woodland and parkland, as well as gradient change.		
35	Big sweep of meadow with lake and woodlands. Fantastic view.		
36	A mix of forest and open space		
37	Nature		
38	Nature and other people enjoying it.		
39	hills woodland paths		
40	The view and the fact I know the place inside out.		
41	The open spaces and the wild life		
42	Open green space		
43	Safety away from cars Open views		
44	Proximity and Open Green Spaces		
45	It's easy to get to and is really big.		
46	Size of this green space Mix of grassland and trees		
47	Open space Quiet		
48	Open area and the play		
49	nice views, wooded areas		
50	Nature and wildlife		
51	Large open spaces and the woodland trails		
52	Woodland and natural open space		
53	Views, open scenery, a hill to run up		
54	Open and natural		
55	The sense of space The countryside		
56	It's size and varied terrain		
57	Lovely walks		
58	Allows an off road route that avoids busy, scary roads to Frenchay Open space without trees too see the sky		
59	Open spaces Wood anemones		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
60	The tranquility of the woods That it is not as busy as other areas, such as Blaise Castle and Oldbury Court		
61	The fishing lake/duck pond, and the yellow mansion		
62	OPEN SPACE WALKS		
63	It's very large, and there is a lot of wildlife & nature to enjoy.		
64	Open spaces and area where I can let the dog run.		
65	Green space		
66	The variety of woodland and open parkland. Usually peaceful and uncrowded		
67	The fact it feels like countryside ie no visitor centre / not too much management - and how easy it is to get away from the motorway noise		
68	It's unspoilt (i.e. No play park) so feels very natural It's generally very quiet		
69	It's views		
70	The interconnecting woodland paths The views		
71	The woods and the views from the top by the BT tower.		
72	Quietness and its lack of manicure		
73	The peace and calm		
74	Views, big old trees, more wild/unmannicured than other parks, wildlife, bluebells & wild garlic, lack of people, it's near my house		
75	The shape of the landscape dramatic! The nature trees.		
76	Views and natural setting		
77	It's a big, safe place to walk the dog and let her run around, and it's a beautiful place to just be - the landscape is interesting and it makes me feel good to be in it.		
78	The meadow flowers on Purdown and to the west of Duchesses pond, and the fantastic views		
79	Quiet Less children than other local areas which means the dogs can run free.		
80	big space		
81	Space, peace		
82	trees and wildlife		
83	Range of terrain Views		
84	Wildlife quality of the fishing lake		
85	The variation of landscape and things to look at		
86	Views and history		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
87	The variety of landscape - from woodland, to open grassland, to marshy bits and water.		
88	Its countryside feel. It is green. The presence of many varied trees.		
89	wilderness trees		
90	It is a local space for local people It has so much history		
91	The woods and the old park features.		
92	The lakes and it's country park feel		
93	large area of open ground and forested parts makes this a perfect place for my children.		
94	Wildflower woods, views		
95	Open green space.		
96	The wide open spaces. The lack of fencing and cordoning areas off.		
97	The variety of terrain, including woods and open spaces. The path network.		
98	Open space and long distance views		
99	It is a wonderful space so close to a large city and the history of the ww2 battery I feel very strongly should be promoted		
100	1. Great open space to walk the dog. 2. Diversity of landscape - no 2 walks are the same.		
101	Heritage		
102	Green space within the city Look for bugs		
103	Quietness, natural beauty		
104	Fishing lake and open space		
105	Green open space to walk wild life		
106			
107	peace, diversity of the landscape		
108	vast open space which is great for dog walking		
109	The open space with room for everybody to do their own thing and the friendliness of other visitors		
110	The nature. The peace.		
111	Its landscape		
112	the fields and the woods		
113	The wide open views. Wild woodland with hidden archaeology features.		
114	variety, historic elements		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
115	Views. Relatively quiet		
116	Easily accessible. The views.		
117	Rolling green spaces. Woodland patches.		
118	The beautiful ancient woodland and the open fields		
119	The views. Long walks without traffic, and we've never been troubled by motor bikes.		
120	It links up with other green spaces really well. From boiling wells in St Werburghs right through to Snuff Mills and Eastville Park. I start by Easton Leisure Ctr and walk in a big loop, back through Greenbank cemetery and down side of M32 through Fox Park and to Riverside Park It's not too manicured. It's quite 'wild' right in the centre of a city.		
121	Open, safe and varied space Views are best in Bristol It connects to loads of other walking and areas. I used to walk across to get to work.		
122	open space, nature, wildlife, fairly good pathways		
123	Accessible landscape with historic and wildlife interest. It maintains a wildness and is not a tame landscape like many city parks.		
124	the archaeology, , follies and ponds all the open quiet space		
125	1. I love to be able to walk in an area of such variety - fields, woods, beside the lake, high on the ridge. Every season has its wonders - the wood anemones, then the bluebells and celandine followed by the wild garlic. The green grass then the long waving golden grass. 2. And then there are the birds - both on the lake and in the woods, and the animals - deer, foxes, fish, even snakes. The area is a constant source of interest and amazement.		
126	Space Views		
127	The vast open unspoilt space Views		
128	It is beautiful and retains its original pre war character. I grew up local so have always known the history. I love it		
129	The variety different habitats present. Having so much open countryside in the city		
130	The House as a backdrop The range of natural environments		
131	The wooded areas & the open spaces		
132	Views Peace and quiet		
133	The landscape The sense of freedom		
134	The beautiful specimen trees. The wonderful view of Bristol from up by the com tower.		
135	All of it		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
136	The views and the history.		
137	The wildlife & scenery		
138	Tranquillity Varied habitats		
139	It's a large continuous belt open fields and woodland which is easily accessed from the city, it is large enough to get away from other users		
140	1) Expanse/size 2) Vistas into and across		
141	Large open spaces/views across bristol AA battery		
142	Beautiful open space Open-ness		
143	Large, open spaces where I can walk anywhere. Variety of landscapes and habitats - woods, fields, hills.		
144	Big open space. View from the top.		
145	It's a really attractive park. You get a sense of what it used to be. More open space is much appreciated.		
146	Bluebell woods Sculpture trail		
147	Green space Historic sites		
148	The landscape The nature		
149	The variety in the space - woodland , open space, hilly, flat open bits, summer meadows, muddy wet bits in winter! The flora and fauna throughout the year It is not over used so there aren't too many people who use it - so selfishly I would like it if you don't make it too popular		
150	The open space and tranquility		
151	1. The natural landscape 2. Natural paths - I would be very disappointed if lots of tarmac or hardcore paths were introduced - it would need to be done sensitively and well.		
152	Walking in the woods/doing the nature trail/wild life spotting with our 2 children and blackberry picking in summer (my little boys love the picking and then making the jam)		
153	NICE OPEN SPACE, QUIET, NATURAL WILDLIFE HAVEN..		
154	The woodlands are a great asset and I would like to see the Forestry Commission Woodland management plans fully implemented. Developing scrub in a biodiversity asset and should only be selectively cleared in favour of rich grassland habitat. Other areas should be allowed to develop.		
155	The diverse open space I.e. Grassland, Lake, Woods and the nature it attracts. The beauty and history of the area.		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
156	The varied spaces and vistas The size of the spaces		
157	It has lovely walks and views over the city		
158	its history and beauty		
159	The wilder areas and lack of development		
160	The wooded sections. The ability to let the dog off the lead		
161	Wide open spaces, contoured and varied with a stately centre piece of the house		
162	You can still enjoy what was a beautiful historic landscape. Open space		
163	Peace and quiet		
164	Long, varied paths through the park, so walks can be varied "Wild" wooded areas		
165	That it remains untouched and it's connection to other green spaces ie. snuff mills and old bury court.		
166	The feeling of being in open countryside The sculpture trail (tree carvings)		
167	Variety of landscapes - wood and open spaces Ease of access		
168	Large area where I can let my dog off the lead Getting a view over the city		
169	Quiet and peaceful		
170	Open space & views Trees		
171	Excellent Views Traffic Free		
172	It's nearby and easily accessible. It's not over managed. I like it's slightly wild.		
173	Quiet to walk in and views across the city.		
174	The views and the amount of plants growing there		
175	Fantastic open space with lots of potential and a way to connect with the local community		
176	Uninterrupted open land of all varieties - woodland, heathland, lakes and fields. Unrestricted for dog walking. Great views of Bristol.		
177	Views, nature		
178	Nature fresh air. Green space.		
179	The views across the city and beyond are fabulous The 'unspoilt' nature in the environment this could be enhanced by the return of grazing cattle and the haymaking.		
180	The views, The sweep of the landscape		
181	Duchesse pond Berry laden bushes		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
182	It's a unique bit of greenland to walk around, very good for the local neighbourhood. Also the history, ruins and great views over the city.		
183	I used to come to park runs here until they were stopped		
184	wildlife and landscape		
185	I love the views towards east Bristol especially on a sunny day. I also like the modern history of the site; Stoke Park Colony and the World War Two Battery.		
186	Being able to walk in high up open space and wandering through the woods		
187	It's size and the mixture of woodland/open fields.		
188	The main path that runs from top to bottom is smooth and free of debris. I also like the views of the city and the amazing skies you can see when you visit at different times.		
189	Rolling terrain / views Semi-wild habitat		
190	Open spaces and close proximity to my house		
191	The space the views		
192	Green space. Great views. Monuments.		
193	Natural wild rugged beauty & historic feature of ww2 gun emplacements		
194	The feel of Freedom in the Open high space, views		
195	Open views. Solitude.		
196	Sense of open space, but easy to access		
197	The Pond and the View		
198	That is has not been interfered with and no 'improvements have been made. It feels like actual countryside, which is incredibly rare and precious in our city.		
199	The beautiful feeling of countryside		
200	Scenery Tranquility		
201	Feels like a big area, greenery near city centre.		
202	Purdown Repeater Station-Bristol's finest landmark. Visible from all over the city and from as far away as Bath and The Severn Bridges		
203	The woods		
204	Wildflower grasslands and other wildlife habitats The sense of space		
205	The open views The green aspect		
206	Beautiful grassland park in an urban area		
207	how open it is and how natural it feels		
208	The view and open space		
209	I have known it since achild and it fascinated me and just enjoy the walking and the view from Purdown and the Oblisk.		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
210	Large Green space near centre of town parkland on the way into Bristol		
211	Open views		
212	The views Varied parts- wooded area, open areas, hills etc		
213	Open spaces and discovering new paths		
214	Space		
215	It is sparse. The views are great: The open area around duchess pond/the dower house can be spectacular on some days - early morning frosty sunrise in particular.		
216	Hilly varied open space that is more enjoyable than the Downs for running Blackberry picking		
217	Wide open space with a great sweeping path down the middle.		
218	Wilderness Views		
219	It retains its natural state It is vast with unlimited access		
220	The obelisk and the views.		
221	The open space Good for meeting people		
222	Natural area and views		
223	The open space with choice of either path or field, and the views across Bristol		
224	How it is so quiet yet do close to town. The history of it		
225	The gun site The wide open space		
226	The chance to see wildlife, I have seen badgers, many sorts of bat, Roe deer, Muntjac and more birds species than I could list .Add to that the history that is all around		
227	Views Wildlife		
228	It's close to town but feels a bit like moorland. You get a lovely view.		
229	Oasis of wild life peace and tranquility within a fast moving city, with a major motorway a stones through away, that enables me to take stock, destress, and relax.		
230	The views It's history & geology		
231	The Frome Greenway cycle route through the space and freewheeling down the hill!		
232	Open land in the city		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
233	Wonderful views, history.		
234	Open space Away from the road - good cycling path		
235	Wide open spaces with interesting things here and there.		
236	Open space fine extensive views over the city		
237	It is a very nice park and i like watching the wildlife		
238	That it stays the same.that it is a lovely green place on the very edge of bristol		
239	The open space		
240	Unspoilt green space and relative peace and quiet (apart from the m32!)		
241	That there is no big car park or cafe and children's play area. It is peaceful.		
242	Opportunity for extended walking Extensive views		
243	The view. The space and mixed natural environment		
244	Huge open space that I can walk to from home. Benches where I can sit and look at the view of Bristol.		
245	Wildlife and tranquility		
246	Bird watching and walking		
247	The views and the space		
248	IT IS NOT BUSY IT HAS MUCH OF INTERESY		
249	Hills Scenery		
250	sense of space hidden gems in the woods		
251	wildlife, open green space, nice scenery		
252	Wide uninterrupted green space Large trees		
253	(1) The ecological mix: grassland, woods, pond, marsh. (2) The chance to escape from the city into a natural environment - this keeps me sane.		
254	Woodland and pond area		
255	The green open spaces as well as the bits of woodlands.		
256	The Dower House, church, clock tower, walks also pray there as it is haunted and unhappy in areas, due to what i send below Its not free also Farliegh Hospital taken over by property developers new residents had to get the houses exorcised/blessed its a lot better now you will have to do the same if you what the environment free to enjoy flourish. Read below... Electroconvulsive therapy and psychosurgery at the Burden ... https://ectstatistics.wordpress.com/.../electroconvulsive-therapy-and-psychosurgery-at-... 17 Nov 2010 - It was at Bristol, at the Burden Neurological Institute (BNI), that Britain's first psychosurgical operations, or leucotomies as they were called in .		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
257	Wildlife Expanse of green		
258	Feeling of open aspect to the spaces, with a good amount of woodland for the wildlife as well.		
259	Wildlife and good views		
260	Wide open space woods sculpture trail, views, wildlife		
261	The open space and the greenery		
262	It's really big - you can walk for a long way in one direction. The wildlife - insects, wildflowers etc.		
263	Open space and large old trees.		
264	The fact it is an historic landscape. The views and wildlife.		
265	The green space and beautiful trees and plants. Peaceful environment (despite being so close to the M32).		
266	Big open space with large views		
267	Woodland walks Views		
268	The scale of topography with a highly visible ridge; The history from ancient trackways through to the modern mast		
269	Views Architectural interest		
270	Not too manicured Great views and an interesting place		
271	Views and wildlife		
272	Wildlife Sense of history - from the land boundaries that significantly pre-date the house, to the house, and the later monuments		
273	View Wildness		
274	The naturalness The spring ground flora		
275	It's not crammed full of people. There is a lot of space for everyone.		
276	Wide open spaces, views, feeling of being in the country yet so near to central Bristol, fresh(?) air.		
277	Space, green infrastructure.		
278	Its wildlife and historic qualities		
279	Wild life and trees		
280	The views and wildlife/birds		
281	The space and size. The variety of landscape.		
282	open spaces and grass		
283	The open space and its nearby location		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
284	Teaching my grandchildren about the history Nature and wildlife		
285	Wildlife, Green space outside of the city		
286	Open space		
287	The wide open space in a busy area and the links to other spaces eg Snuff Mills/Eastville Park		
288	I love the proximity to the centre, and how natural parts of it are. The very best thing about Bristol is that in most quarters of the city you are never very far from a decent sized stretch of nature. I love the views from purdown ridge over the city.		
289	1.Natural, wild, not overly cultivated. 2. Usually quiet		
290	views and wildlife		
291	its big, varied, piecemeal, hilly its accessible		
292	It's a very nice open space,		
293	Open space Photogenic		
294	Space and beauty		
295	green space close to the city wild life		
296	-Woodland sculpture trail was great for children -Need greenspace bordering M32 to counter air pollution and loss of allotment/agricultural land for Matro bus project		
297	Peaceful and beautiful views		
298	The view of the yellow house is amazing, nice to see cows nearby		
299	The wide open green spaces and interesting woodland walks.		
300	No traffic Fresh Air		
301	Open space near the city Views		
302	Lack of litter. Lack of cars. Feels rural.		
303	The history of the place and the wonderful green space and woodland areas		
304	It just happens to be there, I am not particularly interested in history of a parkland		
305	Untamed not too crowded		
306	Views. Woodland.		
307	The views and open space, and the fact that it is not a 'neat and tidy' man-made environment.		
308	Not likely to run into other people so good if you have a dog who doesn't like other dogs Gets lots of sun		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
309	The space and views from the top		
310	The forest - it's so big and the woodland trail sculptures are pretty to look at The trails - especially the one up on Purdown		
311	The natural beauty and open space, as well as the historical monuments.		
312	1. the nature, flora and fauna and different wildlife habitats, particularly the meadows 2. the layers of history much of it hidden		
313	Diversity of wildlife. The woodlands. The views of the landscape.		
314	So easy to get to and then so much out there, woodland, foraging, camp site, history, views, just an amazing place		
315	Varied landscape giving peace and quiet in a busy city Social activities such as walks, picnics, bushcraft, christmas campfire		
316	it is unmanicured the wildlife		
317	The natural environment in all its aspects The history and stories about it		
318	Mixture of woodland and open space. Being a green space in the centre of a city.		
319	The woodlands and the open spaces in the heart of the city		
320	The views. The wide open space.		
321	The big green, wild space so close to us and the views - plus the sense of history and heritage -		
322	open space and woodland		
323	The landscape. The view.		
324	Views. Open space		
325	Its great having a green area to use given the significant development that has occurred in North Bristol. The path running through from Stoke Park housing estate to the bridge under the m32. Without this path, I wouldn't use the park and would instead walk to Fishponds via Stoke Lane.		
326	Views of Bristol Sense of getting out into the outdoors and nature		
327	It is countryside on my doorstep. It is natural and not developed/ over managed like other parks .		
328	The open aspect Being able to walk long distances off road		
329	How rural it feels despite being so accessible from central Bristol. The number of sites of interest hidden around, from the purdown battery to the newer sculptures.		
330	The forest area, great for taking the kids especially for forest school sessions. Nature, bird life.		
331	The peace and quiet The wildness		
332	Mixture of habitats (water, wood, open fields) and the stoned pathways through the woods		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
333	Easy accessibility Open space		
334	Size, the woods		
335	Diverse landscape Fantastic views		
336	the views, the isolation, trees		
337	Green space nice woods		
338	The picturesque nature of the park and its views. Also the flora and fauna.		
339	Woodland Wiltlife		
340	Lovely open space. Really local.		
341	The natural and spacious environment so close to home. The views across the city.		
342	Access and variety of landscape		
343	Peaceful,it feels like being in the country side		
344	The big hills and cycling opportunities The woods and open green space		
345	The open spaces Peace and quiet		
346	Sculptures Open spaces		
347	Just the open space .I walk my dogs around the field every day .i often chat to lots of other people with dogs .		
348	Woodland wide open space		
349	Wide open spaces and easy to follow trails.		
350	Being in nature whilst looking at the city. Green breathing space.		
351	It is very peaceful and not as heavily used as other Bristol Parks. The Sculpture Trail is really good fun.		
352	A varied, green, environment full of nature in a city - the cities green lungs, so important for physical and mental health A vital community space which is full of history and future potential for the community		
353	The wildlife and the variety of different environments		
354	Peace & nature		
355	The Wildlife and the Scenery		
356	The duchess's pond and the monument		
357	It's a lovely open space and on my doorstep		
358	Natural and educational. beautiful place. Great for kids to be in nature.		
359	The variation of landscape and the wildlife.		
360	The space and freedom		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
361	Nature and a relaxing atmosphere.		
362	Close open space. Nice circuit to walk.		
363	It's heritage. Greenery.		
364	Oasis close to bustle of M32 with good vista. Good cycle/running surface.		
365	The green spaces The lake.		
366	The wooded area with good all year round footpaths, ██████████ organised events. [Redacted – identifies individual]		
367	the variety of habitats the views		
368	Open space. Views. Trails through the woods. Sculpture Trail. Lake and it's wildlife. Gun Emplacement and exploring the old gardens and monuments in the woods alongside Stoke Lane. Very interesting history. I have researched the Beauforts and their Stoke Park History. Wonderful place right on my doorstep.		
369	Beautiful outdoors area		
370	Views and varied landscape		
371	Landscape. Wildlife		
372	Trail The woods		
373	The woodland areas and the open space		
374	big green space and exciting little pathways		
375	Open green space. Prospective for improvement for wildlife.		
376	The size The openness		
377	The location. The woodland and wildlife. The different terrains and views		
378	The sweeping hills and wide open space. The views.		
379	The variety of habitat types for wildlife and the size of the park to explore.		
380	The woodland, the campsite		
381	Gorgeous views, peaceful		
382	The wildlife The lake		
383	The green space - to walk, run and play The Views of the city		
384	Combination of woods and open ground It's right on my doorstep		
385	Location		
386	peace and quiet at times apart from the hum from m32 and the beauty		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
387	its beautiful wildness		
388	The views, the variety of walks.		
389	Wildlife, open space,		
390	Good size and not too busy		
391	Woodland View from the ES hill and blackberry foraging.		
392	It's a beautiful way to cycle from the town centre to UWE. You feel like you're in the countryside as it's so large, despite still in the city centre. The beautiful and iconic yellow house!		
393	Woods Views of Bristol		
394	Great views,. Really nice for running		
395	The open space so near the built up areas. The wildlife		
396	The wide open space for dog walking The beautiful views		
397	Large open spaces and it's so peaceful.		
398	Wide open spaces Chance to see wildlife		
399	Beautiful scenery and quiet areas.		
400	The fact that it is a peaceful place for walking the dog and a good place for reflection and relaxation.		
401	Wildlife and nature		
402	Feeling like im in the countryside in central Bristol. Seeing wildlife (esp around the pond) that you don't see everyday.		
403	Very peaceful setting and lots of interesting things to see		
404	The views and the space		
405	Woodland, views		
406	Very close to home, lovely history, great sights and beautiful landscapes		
407	1. Its aesthetic features - such as the views of Bristol, several thickets/small woods, tall hills etc. This provides a large, natural environment, which are too scarce in most cities, to relax, exercise and spend family time. 2. Its historic elements - there are several historical sights in Stoke Park that can be encountered on a walk. Places which contain pieces of history are very important to me and I feel, very strongly, that they should be preserved, but still accessible for all, wherever possible.		
408	The wide open spaces and the birds in the hedgerows		
409	It's right on my doorstep It's a large untouched area which you can freely wander around		
410	Its a wide open space It hasn't been commercialised		
411	Walking dogs off lead. Views and fresh air.		
412	You can have a proper walk as it is so big The wildlife/nature		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
413	The size - a proper length walk of 45-60mins Many different routes		
414	The fact that it is a long stretch of unspoilt land from central the outer suburbs linking areas together. Its a place that has beauty, history, animals and nature throughout the year.		
415	It's safe for dogs, ie away from roads, and no sheep to worry about. Big open space in the city		
416	Peace		
417	The views from Purdown. Sense of history.		
418	Wide open space		
419	Nature on my doorstep - everyday something is different, something new to discover/see...a grass snake, a deer, flowers, fungi, birds (too many to list but I love glimpses of the buzzards and woodpeckers). People say hello. You never know who you might meet		
420	Quiet,accessible		
421	True sense of being out in nature despite being in a city. It has a wide range of environments; forest, meadow, pond, flat spaces, hills, amazing view points.		
422	Open space, views		
423	It would make great social housing land.It needs to be wider use.		
424	links in with other green spaces - purdown and the walk through from Eastville park space and views		
425	The space and the views		
426	1. The beautiful parkland and woods which are full of wildlife - birds, bats, insects, fungi, trees, flowers etc 2. The duchess pond - attractive to local wildlife and especially to bats at night		
427	It's within running distance of home and it;s quite large.		
428	Wildlife. Being able to walk with ease to beautiful country walk in the heart of the city.		
429	The nature The peace		
430	The space and beauty		
431	The varied terrain- field, woods, the views.		
432	Its Beauty and the peacefulness		
433	Fun to explore Gets kids out for excercise		
434	The woodland and open peaceful fields		
435	Views and the open space		
436	Variety of walks. It's well kept and organised.		
437	The open green space, it's natural, unmanaged feel		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
438	Marked out woodland & carvings. Great to have a green space in the city		
439	the greenery and the wildlife		
440	It looks a great place to walk the dog and enjoy fresh air		
441	Open green space Amazing trees		
442	The green spaces and the 'natural' feel of it whilst being in the city. Also the mud for cross-country running		
443	Large open Accessible for me ... car park on the road.		
444	The views and the sculpture trail		
445	The size and wild feeling - feels like a real slice of countryside right on my doorstep.		
446	Views Mixed landscape (woodlands and open grassland)		
447	Extensive green space within the city Wildlife		
448	The wide open spaces and wildlife		
449	open space, no worry about the dogs getting on to busy roads variety of landscape, fields, woods, water		
450	The large areas of unmanaged greenery for enjoyment and nature.		
451	Space nature		
452	Space, hills, woods with interesting features and views		
453	Views. variety of experience eg historical landscape features, woods, fields, hills and valleys		
454	Its a big open area with good views and a varied lanscape offering scope for a long walk		
455	The fact that you don't have to walk too far to get a feeling of being away from it all, and secondly the variety in its environments - I'm always finding new bits to explore there!		
456	Lots of paths available It's wild and natural		
457	Diverse landscape On the doorstep		
458	open aspect. feeling of being in countryside,away from city		
459	Green space		
460	I like most of the proposals		
461	The views and the blackberries		
462	Its open access and varied landscape ie woodland and open space. Also the Heritage opportunities ie world war two		
463	1 Mix of wide open spaces and the woodland. 2 I tend to go fairly early in the morning and there are few people around and you can really see and hear the diversity of nature, eg birds/bird song/ rabbits, wild flowers, butterflies, etc.		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
464	A lot of green space on the doorstep, variation for running paths, view across the city on Bonfire and NY nights.		
465	Heritage Views		
466	Wildlife in and around Duchess Pond It's such a large open green space so near to the city		
467	Wide open space Feeling of being out of the town		
468	Big Green open space The sound of the birds		
469	Natural unpampered Look Size and Diversity		
470	The views and the sense of countryside		
471	Radio Repeater Tower and Gun Enplacement		
472	The view and the biodiversity		
473	Walking, watching wildlife		
474	natural beauty location		
475	The open space/freedom The greenery		
476	Country feel, near home.		
477	Mix of pRkland, woods and historic buildings		
478	Beautiful scenery, interesting history		
479	The little bit of country side, it blows away cobwebs and makes you feel better. I grew up in Bitton I've always played in the countryside.		
480	Views Green		
481	The wild woods. Large open spaces.		
482	The open space and the wildlife The peace and tranquility		
483	The woodland The WW2 air defence		
484	Purdown AA site and the lake area		
485	The expanse and the various routes that can be used. I also really like seeing it when I drive to work (up the m32) in the mornings.		
486	Open space- left relative wilderness. Different habitats		
487	Mixed natural environment: woods, fields, lake, stream History and hidden monument s		
488	The space and peacefulness		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
489	Wild Rampling paths Historical aspects		
490	The Views and the tranquillity		
491	The views,the large space,		
492	Walks through the wood and WW2 site		
493	Big open spaces and the view		
494	Sculpture trail Varied scenery and environments		
495	It is like you have stepped into the Countryside away from the City. I enjoy seeing the wildlife and the wellbeing that Stoke Park promotes.		
496	Open space and views.		
497	the open space and the natural surroundings		
498	One of the green space lungs of the city The peace and quiet it offers		
499	The views and the open space		
500	The beauty and peacefulness and the views of bristol		
501	Wide open space The woodland		
502	Wild nature and not over designed. Always something new and interesting to see.		
503	1. Beautiful views 2. The feeling that you've got out of the city, even though you're actually so close		
504	It's wild (makes you feel like you're outside of the city) and there are not many people around.		
505	it links bristol to the country side. it feels like being in the country		
506	natural setting easy to get to		
507	The hills for running and the nice routes from the UWE area through to the radio tower away from traffic and the fumes and noise!		
508	Green open space with interesting elements to explore		
509	the woods		
510	Open space, historical interest		
511	Freedom to walk.		
512	The new sculpture trail The mix of woodland and open grassland		
513	open space clear views so can safe		
514	Woodland feels like being away from the city; lots of space for the dog to run around		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
515	The green space The views		
516	The lovely sculpture trail through the woodland.		
517	The views from the top of the hill. The open space for my children to run around in.		
518	Unspoilt open space accessible from my home and work (UWE), good for walks and running, good views. Wildlife and wildflowers		
519	The gorgeous walks and the stunning house		
520	Heritage and landscapes Safer routes		
521	The views and the contrast between nature and urban living.		
522	Size, destination, feels a bit wild		
523	Proximity to infrastructure and snuff mills		
524	The green space The views across Bristol		
525	the views and the mixture of types of habitat		
526	The chance to experience meadows, woodland wildlife and a 'breathing space' within walking distance of my family's city home. Forest school sessions.		
527	The nature and the wildlife.		
528	The diversity of experiences it offers and wildlife.		
529	The beauty of the lake, house, changes in height and woodland/grassland contrast. The freedom from the city due to the woods, open space and beauty.		
530	Size Historic connections		
531	How big it is, and how wild it is.		
532	Unspoilt nature and sense of space so near to a major city It's usage ranging from children playing games, dog walkers, cyclists, walkers and joggers- without barriers		
533	It's location (central). You can enjoy the countryside without leaving the city. You can do a circular walk. It's easy and free to park.		
534	good choice of walks ever changing nature		
535	The unspoilt natural environment, i.e. not full of anything except nature The varied woodland and wildlife		
536	Feels open and a bit wild, despite being walking distance from my house. Nice views.		
537	The space and the wildlife		
538	The woods & bushes		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
539	The open space so close to the Duluth centre The sounds of nature in the wooded area		
540	That you can walk for miles and its safe for dogs. Its right on my door step and its been untouched but still maintained like bushes being cut back .		
541	The views and the wildlife friendly environment		
542	the quiet green space wonderful walks to go with my 2 year old daughter		
543	Peace+ quiet wildlife		
544	Open Countryside, fresh air in a large open space.		
545	Peace and Quiet		
546	peaceful walk Enjoy the scenery		
547	THE OPEN GREEN SPACE		
548	Peaceful and the views- no cars		
549	The Natural woodland and landscape		
550	trees and green and wildlife		
551	Woodland Views		
552	Size Variety of landscape		
553	Heritage and sense of wild space		
554	the views the peace and quietness		
555	the woods, the views		
556	the peace and tranquility to enjoy nature at its best		
557	Peace and quiet.open green space		
558	Open space is "safe to walk in.		
559	seats		
560	all fit		
561	Access to a large open space close to Bristol City Centre		
562	Green open spaces the view		
563	peaceful haven within the city		
564	openess nature and natsah		
565	It's huge and has a variety of habitats (woods, fields, pond, scrub)		
566	Wide open green space that I can walk to right in the city. The views are fabulous.		
567	The woods and the fact that it's so close to built up areas.		

5. What two things do you like best about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
568	It is diverse (forest, open space etc) It is beautiful.		
569	The variety of wildlife, the views.		
570	The feeling of being in the countryside, with the combination of field and woods, rather than an urban park, yet being able to walk there from St Andrews. The wonderful feeling of space and marvellous views and skies		
571	The views, the wild spaces, the size, peace and the fact you are so close to the m32 and city centre but it feels so rural.		
572	Sense of being in the country yet still being in a city Not too busy!		
573	Space, surrounding views, forests		
574	Being outside		
575	Nature, easy walking		
576	Climbing up to the obelisk The quiet in the woods		
577	Plenty of open space for the dogs to run around and it's never too busy		
578	wildlife scenery		
579	Natural woodland, car free cycling		
580	Beautiful open space forest walks		
581	The history and diversity of fauna and flora		
582	The history behind the park which should be preserved and I like that the park is rustic and wild		
583	Views, historic features		
584	History and open spaces		
		answered	584
		skipped	124

6. What two things do you like least about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
1	Open-Ended Question	100.00%	540
1	Road noise		
2	all the new gates (as installed when the Stoke Park estate was constructed) that were destroyed by joyriders and never replaced. cyclists ignoring cycle track and taking short cut across the grass at the top of the path alongside the Dower House.		
3	the noise from the motorway		

6. What two things do you like least about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
4	Dogs Mud		
5	Dogs off leads, muddy entrances.		
6	- the sound and site of the M32		
7	would be nice to have information boards around with wildlife / history facts - especially at the gun turrets. a designated running / cycling path would be really beneficial		
8	The M32 next to it and the noise from the M32.		
9	A couple more poo bins would be good. Nothing else, I love stoke park!		
10	There's nothing I dislike.		
11	Lack of cycle routes on key desire lines Motorway noise		
12	The area and path adjacent to the telecoms tower is neglected and feels like an unsafe area. As a woman I would not walk here on my own.		
13	Difficult to get around with a buggy Can be difficult to find the best route		
14	Mud - only just fallen over You can't get a bike in from Lockleaze making it not friendly to commuting		
15	noise from motorway metrobus works eyesore		
16	Lack of paths and signposting		
17	Litter, idiots riding mopeds		
18	Not enough bins		
19	No complaints, I like that it isn't too 'kept'		
20	Dog's crap. Dog's running loose unattended when I walk with small children.		
21	Litter. People driving landrovers around		
22	Nowhere to park		
23	There are very few waste bins, only dog waste bins, so it is hard to dispose of rubbish safely.		
24	Rubbish Overgrown footpaths		
25	The noise from the M32 motorway, the fact that the house isn't a place to visit!		
26	M32		
27	The amount of dogs and the proximity of the M32		
28	m32 noise, lack of cafe, natural stop rest point for families with children and older people.		
29	too many paid dog walkers there draining resources fast		
30	1) The lack of investment or care given to it by BCC, resulting in overgrown areas and vandalism of the work locals do. Even BCC have said in the past that it wasn't part of Bristol and it was south Glos, despite the fact that it is very much BCC! They didn't even know it was one of their assets to care and protect. 2) How few people know about it. It's a real hidden treasure which leaves it vulnerable.		

6. What two things do you like least about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
31	<p>1. The fact that the Metro Bus has destroyed some of the parkland and this will add to the traffic visibility, noise and pollution.</p> <p>2. Gun fire is frequently heard from the park. [Redacted] posted a comment that people illegally hunt the deer and wildlife [Redacted – identifies individual]</p>		
32	The amount of dog mess & litter		
33	Motorway Nowhere to leave bikes when walking		
34	The forest gets overgrown and not cut back regularly enough. Dog poo along the paths.		
35	Unfriendly dogs / litter		
36	Noise from M32 and mud!		
37	M32 dark in the evening (traveling from UWE)		
38	The neglect of the gun batteries and the security guards that treat passers by as potential 'Swampies'. (They either have or will be gone by now thankfully)		
39	Muddy entries and off road bikes		
40	Noise from M32		
41	The way the underpass under the M32 floods inhibiting access to the park. Lack of lighting in the winter		
42	People on Motocross Bikes riding around,		
43	Noise from the motorway.		
44	Dog shit		
45	Dogs Fishing		
46	Next to M25		
47	can be very muddy dog mess		
48	proximity to the motorway. not enough trees.		
49	Nothing - I like it the way it is right now		
50	Woodland opened up too much		
51	Dogs, overgrown footpaths,		
52	Lack of paths No visitor facilities		
53	Mud in high transport areas High speed cyclists		
54	The litter (remnence of bbq/bonfire/fireworks) and lack of dog litter bins on top levels		
55	The big hill!! (Only joking) I worry that fumes from the motorway mean it's not really as healthy as it should be for runners/cyclists. It would be better if there was a cycle path linking from snuff mills/Eastville path end, so that less confident cyclists felt comfortable.		

6. What two things do you like least about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
56	██████████ attitude (█████ threatened to shoot my dog and acts like █████ owns the park) [Redacted – identifies individual] Scrambler bikes		
57	Nothing, I only have positive things to say about Stoke Park		
58	The art sculpture trail is hard to find. and that the motorway is so close you can hear it.		
59	DOG LITTER BINS NOT ENOUGH SEATING		
60	The lake can't be accessed by dogs		
61	Mud in some gateways		
62	Lack of parking		
63	The Motorway Vandalism		
64	the neglect of purdown percey motorway noise in the lake area		
65	Lack of parking No public toilet facilities (Snuff Mills have great facilities in their car park)		
66	Noise (not that it can be helped!) Access		
67	The woodland paths are not pram friendly		
68	The various entrances pose a severe safety issue and there isn't anywhere that is disabled friendly.		
69	Brambles because tree have been cut down and vandalism/destruction to the trees.		
70	M32, it's becoming more popular and manicured		
71	Noise from the Motorway Intrusion of recent housing		
72	Dog fouling and vandalism		
73	Other people's dogs, steep hills.		
74	Litter and the inconsiderate people who drop it!		
75	Mess left from building work		
76	very close to roads, some footpaths to get there don't feel safe		
77	litter, Motorway noise		
78	car noise		
79	Traffic noise Dumped cars		
80	Noise from motorway Dog walkers off leads		
81	Sometimes very busy and very muddy		
82	Colour of Stoke Lodge		
83	The litter and jobs hanging about on the cycle path		

6. What two things do you like least about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
84	Noise from the M32 Lack of waymarks Lack of availability of descriptive information		
85	inconsiderate dog owners/walkers leaving dog poo every where, or poo bags left on trees sound of traffic young boys on motor bikes		
86	N/K		
87	Burnt out cars and night-time dog walkers.		
88	Nothing		
89	difficult to say.		
90	Noise, lack of visitor facilities		
91	Management is pathetic.		
92	The difficulty in accessing it in the winter months. The lack of maintenance and clearing of paths and tracks.		
93	The woods being unmanaged and full of brambles. The lack of toilets and a cafe.		
94	Footpaths between upper and lower levels of Park are often very muddy. Areas of very dense vegetation which is poor for both humans and wildlife.		
95	The run down nature and general neglect of the ww2 battery		
96	Nothing, it's perfect as it is.		
97	Mess		
98	Lack of kids play equipment & picnic benches Lack of safe cycle parking		
99	Anti social behaviour in summer, fishing		
100	Motor way noise lack of parking		
101	Noise from M32		
102	Motorway slicing through - detrimental to both noise level and view		
103	noise from motorway		
104	When people leave litter behind after their picnics and dog walkers who leave dog mess in bags hanging on trees or fences if you bag it bin it.		
105	The dog walkers [uncontrolled dogs]. The litter the dog walkers leave. [black poo bags tied to trees]		
106	The lack of walking paths that don't involve struggling through slippery mud		
107	the motorway traffic and fencing around fields		
108	Muddy paths in winter. State of repair of the battery.		
109	noise from motorway, reports of mugging		
110	1. Dogs 2. Dog owners		
111	Noise from the M32. The paths up the hill coming from Eastville could be kept in better condition.		

6. What two things do you like least about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
112	Unattractive surrounding fences to BT tower. Broken glass and overgrowth of bramble in WWII AA battery.		
113	The sound from the motorway		
114	The mess that is the battery site at present, despite recent scrub clearance. Nothing else.		
115	M32. New bus lane and bridge.		
116	IThere is nothing not to love about the park.		
117	grass/forest type trails		
118	Little attempt has been made to control the use of the cycle track. Walkers, especially those with pushchairs or young children are frequently put at risk by speeding cyclists. Vehicles are too frequently driven into the park damaging the parkland and putting the public at risk.		
119	people misusing the park		
120	1. Cyclists going too fast down the SHARED path. 2. Litter left by Duchess Lake.		
121	Mess Graffiti		
122	Litter Moterway need shielding more		
123	It is extremely noisey when you are there loads of motor way noise. I often feel unsafe when walking by the war shelters as it seems to be a drug den		
124	Noise from the M32		
125	Noise from M32		
126	The subway under the M32		
127	Difficult to park/access the site Not well kept by the old guns		
128	None		
129	The state of the main path from the Dower house end of the estate,very muddy and rough.		
130	Litter		
131	The mud and the traffic noise from the M32		
132	Anglers & their mess		
133	Lack of well maintained routes across the estate Aggressive dogs		
134	the traffic noise from the motorway is very invasive the footpath under the M32 floods when there is heavy rain		
135	1) M32 2) litter/dog mess		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
136	Large mud puddles covering the path (some mud puddles in the fields too, which will TRAP CATTLE but can be easily filled.) State of AA battery.		
137	The proximity of the M32! Difficulty of parking/access		
138	Muddy entrances. Traffic noise from M32.		
139	Noise from the M32. Dog's.		
140	Proximity to the motorway. Too much of the historic landscape has not been preserved		
141	Litter Anything vandalised		
142	Noise of the m32 Mud		
143	The amount of professional dog walkers The muddy paths		
144	The motorway noise and presumably pollution		
145	The bridge by the entrance feels unsafe and always has graffiti and doesn't feel safe walking through at night. Could have a few more attractions		
146	Vandalism & arson lack of visible formal management of the park		
147	Irresponsible dog owners/dog muck. It should still be picked up if it's in the woods/fields!		
148	SOME PATHWAYS ARE NOT SUITABLE FOR MY SCOOTER SO STOP ME GOINF.. FOREST TRAILS ETC...		
149	The woodlands need appropriate long- term management (i.e. they are currently undermanaged); Site is predominantly grassland and areas of amenity (as opposed to conservation) grassland could be woodland planted		
150	The motorway and noise it produces! Owners with uncontrolled dogs or other antisocial behaviour that the open space attracts.		
151	Noise from the M32 - really spoils it. Mud!		
152	antisocial behaviour and decay		
153	the noise and air pollution from the M32, The petty vandalism		
154	The fact that the entrance pathways are often water-logged.		
155	M32 Bright light along top ridge Reduction in woodland, litter		
156	M32 running alongside Lack of information about the history		
157	Litter and vandals		
158	My favourite park in Bristol, so not much. The occasional moto-cross rider who rips up the fields perhaps?		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
159	Footpaths not very clear The M32		
160	Dog fouling Muddy, slippery paths in some places		
161	Gets muddy at pinch points in the winter Bits of barbed wire		
162	Too many commercial dog walkers; should be for mountain viking or motorised vehicles.		
163	Semi-derelict appearance of some buildings Proximity of motorway		
164	Motorcycles in the summer Why the anglers can drive into the park. It's very dangerous the way they drive under the motorway on the cycle path. On a blind corner.		
165	Motorbikes & scooters.		
166	Dog shit and litter		
167	we feel that management of the site through grazing would greatly improve the area for the whole community, and would resound the heritage and methods used in years gone by. We also feel that improvements of paths would provide more opportunities for the community as a whole		
168	The noise of the M32! People who don't pick up their dog poo!		
169	Noise from motorway		
170	Dogs. Sounds of vehicles.		
171	The amount of dog excrement left behind (or worse still thrown in plastic bags into the trees/ bushes/ grass) The use of the area by motorbikes - this has improved but is still occurring.		
172	Some of the very boggy access		
173	Dog mess Wild flowers could be much improved		
174	I remember when the AA gun site was maintained, you could walk down into the bunkers etc and the site was generally well kept, now it's overgrown and parts fenced off.		
175	the fact that Park runs were stopped		
176	noise of M32 and the fact it's going to get busy		
177	I think Stoke Park is a challenge. There are positive steps that could be taken to discourage anti-social behavior. My suggestion would be to create a space for motorbike scrambling. The youth of Bristol deserve one.		
178	M32. Lack of bins/dog waste bibs		
179	Most of the entrances near me are really boggy and hard to get into when there has been a lot of rain. That's all!		
180	The big puddle that forms on the path under the M32. I wouldn't know which route to take on foot if I left the main footpath. Also night lights in the path would be useful.		
181	Creeping development along edges - Metrobus / previously proposed school plying field		
182	Overly muddy paths,		
183	it gets very muddy in the bad weather		
184	The motorway noise and pollution.		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
185	safety concern - reports of attacks on female runners & youths riding motorbikes in wild and intimidating manners - would be good if they had a designated area to use, i.e. Dirt track		
186	Lack of parking , sometimes motorcycles		
187	Dog mess. Noise from the motorway.		
188	None		
189	The destruction of the piece of land where the allotments used to be and the motorway		
190	That the M32 is right next to it. It's so noisy and hideous.		
191	Fly tipping, knowing how the area is likely to change.		
192	M32 noise M32 noise		
193	Sometimes not many people around, feels a bit exposed.		
194	Dog shit Dogs Shit Any combination of the above, really		
195	The unloved feeling of the place Noise/fumes from the M32		
196	Dog mess litter		
197	Nothing		
198	the signs I prefer it to be left as natural as possible i think the battery should be demolished who wants a reminder of war		
199	Loose dogs roaming Attitude of some users Lack of parking		
200	The M32.		
201	The M32 thundering nearby		
202	Motorway noise		
203	'Professional' dog walkers using a public space for their business dominating the space with unruly dogs. People with out of control dogs.		
204	Motorway noise		
205	M32 tunnel should have its graffiti returned, tunnel is too gray Lots of waste left behind by student bbq'ers		
206	Noise from M32 Sense that it is inferior and less valued than the Downs and so more threatened as an open space		
207	The M32 and the grim underpass.		
208	Traffic noise Flytipping		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
209	Parts of it are quite run down Lack of parking		
210	Don't have any		
211	The motorway		
212	The mud at 'pinch points' after rain and the lack of direct access from the city farm path to Sir John's Lane		
213	Rubbish left in the summer after bbqs Rude cyclists		
214	People with uncontrolled vicious dogs and people who place their bags of dog s**t anywhere and evreywhere		
215	Noise from the M32		
216	Access is a bit limited by car (Although I guess having it less busy is nice for walking). Focus seems on dog walking rather than bikes- not balanced access.		
217	The greenery, the peace, friendly people.		
218	Lack of accessibility Lack of proactive management		
219	The hill and the M32!		
220	No parking to access		
221	M32 at bottom Path is very dark at night in winter - lighting/cats eyes needed		
222	Mud!		
223	Litter and lack of land and boundary management		
224	The motorway		
225	People leaving litter, especially in summer		
226	Not many poop bins. The paths made of ballast in the woods. They are not easy to walk or cycle on and no good for dogs or horses.		
227	Access beyond steps on Muller Road can be very muddy Poor condition of gun locations		
228	the proximity to the M32 and the traffic noise.		
229	A bit precarious in places due to muddy paths and steep slopes. Dog shit.		
230	Nothing		
231	Proximity to motorway		
232	IT NEEDS CAR AND CONSERVATION IT IS NOT PROMOTED		
233	Muddy passages Limited number of paths		
234	litter (particularly in woods) it looks run down		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
235	a bit too far from me litter		
236	Seeing passing traffic Not easy/clear access		
237	1. Proximity to the M32, but obviously can't move! 2. I can't think of anything else.		
238	No toilets, and danger zones in woods		
239	The graffities on the WWII bunkers		
240	new development too many properties		
241	Dog poo /litter Antisocial dogs		
242	Not enough and not being able to locate a dog bin. The historic elements not being preserved.		
243	Dog poo		
244	The motorway and the route to get to it -the bridge under the m32		
245	Seeing and hearing the M32		
246	There eis a dog poo issue. motorcycles		
247	Muddy/slippy paths.		
248	Dogs and burnt out scooters		
249	Temporary disruption by contractors		
250	Encroachment of M32 and Metrobus Poor access from Stapleton with a poorly thought out layout for pedestrians & cyclists at Broom Hill and unlit tunnel underneath M32		
251	M32 Lack of information		
252	Doug pooh Very muddy paths around BT tower		
253	Motor bikes Damage both to trees etc and the monuments		
254	Litter Slippy		
255	Poor quality paths Lack of ecological management		
256	It's just fine as it is		
257	BT tower, some of it feels dilapidated and unloved, derelict WW2 gun emplacements.		
258	shabbiness. Lack if visitor facilities and attractions to make you want to visit it and experience it.		
259	Motorway noise		
260	Barbeques and people riding motorcycles		
261	The motorway noise		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
262	The yellow building on top of the hill. How muddy it can be, especially in the low area.		
263	the motorway being close by, and lack of woodland		
264	The M32 and lack of prepared paths		
265	Dog faeces		
266	It's closeness to the motorway, noise from motorway		
267	Poor lighting and pathways, lack of facilities		
268	Sometimes there is a bit of litter around. I dislike the noise of the M32, could we consult on demolishing that ;)		
269	1. Can be boggy in places 2. M32 noise, more natural screening needed		
270	noise from M32 and litter		
271	grassy areas are bland/sterile occasional dog mess		
272	Its by the M32		
273	Muddy Some areas difficult to access		
274	lack of amenities		
275	colour of the building parking		
276	-Accessing it by bike from Broom Hill mini roundabout- cyclists right of way is confusing and dangerous. -No car park		
277	Litter and neglect		
278	You don't have much paths to follow...e.g. you can't just wonder down a path and see lots of lovely wildlife. there is not enough trees		
279	The lack of toilet facilities is a small issue although Snuff Mills isn't far away. Some paths are occasionally too muddy to walk but again this isn't a big problem.		
280	Mud at pinch points Professional dog walkers		
281	Cyclists and dogs off their leads		
282	The yellow flower house. It is garish and ugly.		
283	The amount of dog mess not picked up and the lack of toilets/facilities		
284	It's just a park		
285	encroachment by new buildings		
286	Slippery mud on slopes.		
287	The only thing I could think of is that the old anti-aircraft gun emplacements are not looked after.		
288	Noise from M32 Sometimes some iffy characters around at night		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
289	The noise from the motorway, the pollution from the motorway		
290	No cafe! Toilets would be useful		
291	The lack of visitor facilities and disabled access.		
292	1. the huge rise in dogs- they are starting to increasing effect my experience of being there. i have been attacked several times and many people walk with large and larger large groups of dogs- presumeably dog walking companies. 2.the noise of the motorway 2		
293	The sound of the M32. The lack of an urban agriculture project / city farm.		
294	Dog poo and dog walking companies with 8 dogs to 1 person off the lead and no regard for safety or fouling		
295	Lack of signage so difficult to navigate Out of control dogs and dog fouling		
296	poorly controlled dogs litter		
297	No cafe/parkling/toilets		
298	The gravel paths in the woods and surrounding new builds		
299	The M32! The noise.		
300	M32 In winter it can be wet and muddy underfoot but some maintained paths do help - big puddle under motorway access route is a nightmare		
301	boggy tracks and dog poo		
302	Too few dog poo bins. Litter.		
303	The lack of lighting. I think it would be great if the park had some discrete (minimal impact) lighting along the main path and especially under the M32. When walking home from a friends I often get caught in the darkness of the park. When you emerge from under the M32 bridge walking towards stapleton the path often gets submerged by a large puddle. This makes people get dirty when using the park for walking to university/school. Its not a problem for dog walkers, but for some its not practical to where walking boots/wellies.		
304	Dark and unsafe at night Not very accessible access points or routes with buggy or baby carrier		
305	The M32 noise. The encroachment of housing close to the woods on the north side		
306	Out of control dogs/dog mess		
307	The M32. The number of dogs that seem to dislike cyclists!		
308	Dog mess Rubbish		
309	Motorbikes Fly tipping		
310	Lack of bins (litter left behind) and dog walkers with too many dogs - out of control and not collecting their mess		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
311	Impassable paths in woods when raining Dog poo,		
312	Litter Occasional anti social behaviour-motorbike riding		
313	graffiti, lack of enough walking/cycling paths		
314	Dog fouling		
315	Speeding cyclists dangerously fast going down the path from the Dower House, approaching pedestrians from behind without warning of their approach by a decent bell. It can spoil the walk for those that can only keep to the concrete path.		
316	Noisy bikes being ridden through the park at high speed		
317	Nothing		
318	The mess and destruction around the gun battery The lack of lighting at night which makes it feel unsafe.		
319	Dogs running loose Lack of livestock		
320	To see building work and peoples destruction of the environment		
321	Lack of events and facilities Lack of focal social space		
322	Speeding cyclists not looking out for dogs Lack of litter bins		
323	Disrepair of different areas Dog mess		
324	I like all of stoke park		
325	Traffic noise		
326	No toilet facilities nearby/ no cafe!		
327	The noise from the m32. The dog poo.		
328	The M32, and the relatively low number of paths.		
329	That historical areas such as the gun ramparts are not looked after. Some pathways can get very slippery		
330	Rubbish tipping,		
331	Not enough bins & rubbish left behold bad by lazy people		
332	I would like to see more trees planted and the meadows to be left to grow longer in more places.		
333	Nothing		
334	Dogs - have had a few too close encounters, but had one where 2 very large dogs ran and jumped up at us barking and growling in a very aggressive way man had 3rd on lead and was struggling to control that they had just gone for another dog just ahead of us. Thankfully my husband was with us then but I will never take kids again without him which is a shame as they loved it there.		
335	Tall fences and lack of clear signposting/maps.		
336	The noise from the m32 and I can't think of another		

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337	M32!		
338	Motorcycles. Seeing it in it's unique restored state.		
339	Underpass under M32 floods. Poor cycle entrance due to obstacles at entrance and drivers not expecting cyclists to go straight across roundabout to east of M32		
340	The sound of traffic. Dog poo.		
341	Small number of irresponsible dog walkers, not being able to easily access the historical gun emplacements and the amount of Graffiti they have suffered		
342	No proper access from Stoke Lane. Have to walk all the way to the top or scramble across the overgrown ditch half way up. Not enough litter/poo bins.		
343	Road noise and too many other dogs		
344	Motorway. Road works		
345	The dogs		
346	Noise from the M32 and the parking around the lake by the lazy fishermen who should be made walk from outside the estate plus the litter they leave behind		
347	pushing the buggy around m32/metro bus cut into it		
348	The muddy choke points. The pathetic management.		
349	Total lack of play equipment No cafe		
350	Dog dirt, litter, not enough dog poo bins.		
351	The noise of the motorway.		
352	As I always access on foot, I do not have any access concerns but I can see how people with pushchairs or wheelchairs would struggle especially when the ground is soft. It would be nice to see information signs about the park's history and wildlife.		
353	The litter, too many dogs		
354	Muddy boggy entrance Dog waste		
355	Travel Roadworks		
356	Nothing - maybe the fact that there needs a little investment to repair / repaint a few things		
357	The idiots you get on motorbikes The M32		
358	groups of dog walkers, I find them intimidating and leave dog muck around		
359	The lack of bins, the feeling that BCC don't really care about it.		
360	nasty dogs, motorbikes.		
361	Lack of cycle lane and narrow path.		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
362	The motorway noise and the lack of cycle path connecting Stoke Park with the Frome Valley route along Broom Hill I think it is.		
363	M32 traffic Dogs		
364	The noise from the M32		
365	Sometimes feels a little unsafe Very muddy during winter		
366	Dog poo Mud		
367	Dog poo		
368	Muddy entrances in Winter.		
369	Motorbikes racing up and down and people not picking up after their dogs.		
370	Car Parking		
371	the noise of the M32 and the dog mess.		
372	VERY muddy can also be difficult get around when the grass is uncut in the summer		
373	Nothing!		
374	Dog poo, motorway noise		
375	Very muddy in wet weather (although understandable!) dog mess/dogs off leads who are overly 'friendly'		
376	<p>1. Graffiti problems - there are several areas that have been covered with graffiti in the park. The main area where this has occurred, is the WWII battlements. Almost everything there is absolutely covered in graffiti. As a local resident, I would be happy to help clean the graffiti, but I fear this will simply keep happening. It is important, in my view, that these pieces of history are open and accessible for everybody, so I do not want to see these areas fenced off (this will not solve the problem anyway). Security cameras may deter people from doing this, but I accept this is a solution that may be expensive.</p> <p>2. Litter problems - this is actually a minor issue, as the amount of litter, that I encounter, is small. This could probably be almost completely stopped by adding just two or three extra bins to the park.</p>		
377	Mud in winter can make walking difficult and ..er cant think of anything else		
378	Not enough dog bins and therefore quite a lot of dog mess around		
379	Fumes from the M32		
380	Motorway noise. Mud.		
381	dog poop		
382	Parking. Feel intimidated in some areas		
383	The thought that this green belt land will be used for housing in the future without developing brown field sites first. In winter some muddy areas and conversely in summer some overgrown areas become inaccessible for all people to use.		
384	Bad paths Dog mess		
385	Litter and dog mess left about		
386	Nothing.		

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387	Noise from M32		
388	The motorcycles which rampage round the area in the summer. Winter, the lack of people who don't carry torches and have lights on their dog's collars. It's quite scary for something to appear out of the dark.		
389	Dog mess,		
390	Lack of litter and dog waste bins. Vandalism/litter.		
391	Littering, anti social behaviour		
392	Not enough people can get there by bus and therefore not enough people can use it.		
393	The rubbish in some parts and the dog mess		
394	It is difficult for a person who doesn't know it is there to find it tucked away at the top of Lockleaze with no dedicated car park. Vandalism by some local young adults who try to spoil the sculpture trail and other places of beauty by riding motorbikes etc in the park and by starting fires / leave barbeques which may harm wildlife.		
395	Dodgy folk from the nearby council estate Burnt out motorbikes/ rubbish.		
396	Fly tipping and unnecessary destruction by people who use the space - bbq scorch marks, moped racing etc.		
397	Professional dog walkers with too many dogs The muddy entrances to park		
398	Sometimes rubbish left		
399	No toilets, play area, cafe. The M32 noise.		
400	The Graffiti on the gun emplacements		
401	Lack of bins No park for kids		
402	Bad dog owners and lack of poo bins		
403	Lack of trees pathways		
404	Regularly motorbikes in there at night. Some of the historic parts are looking unloved.		
405	The sight and sound of the m32		
406	dog mess having to drive there		
407	I live so close and didn't realise I could go there.		
408	Felling that is a low priority to some aspects of society- e.g. planning applications to build on the space		
409	Litter and many parts are over-grown with brambles etc		
410	Lack of maintenance. Mud		
411	Dogs and Dog owners		
412	Lack of mountain bike trail? Certain areas that get un-passably muddy in winter.		
413	Noise of the M32!		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
414	There is a lot of litter including dog poo bags - more bins are needed unfortunately I'd prefer it if the pond/lake was exclusively a wildlife area rather than it being a fishing lake		
415	too many loose dogs no lighting when dark		
416	dog poo, rubbish		
417	Mud in busy places		
418	Vandalism. Lack of cafe.		
419	its position near the M32 motorway - noise and views of the motorway ,		
420	The M32 being so close and loud and the quality of the paths in some of the woods.		
421	No coffee stop anywhere Some parts of trails and paths too waterlogged		
422	Overgrown		
423	expansion of scrub Motorway Noise - worse in places		
424	i am not convinced that the Council should be promoting access to the park by car. I suggest that much greater effort should be made to encourage access from all directions by bicycle/ There is potential for a high quality cycle route, entering the park at the South end via st John's Lane, containing on the existing surfaced driveway to the Purdown tower, and then continuing northwards along a reasonably flat route and emerging in Cheswick village. the barriers at the access points (especially the extremely obstructive barrier on St John's lane) need to be removed or significantly modified to promote easy access by cyclists and disabled wheelchair users.		
425	Do you ever get it right! We have a lovely area in Stoke park and i do hope you are NOT going to commercialize this area with cafes etc. If people want to eat they can take a picnic!!! Don't waste this money if you get it- you have wasted enough in this City. You are a disgrace.		
426	dog poo		
427	litter and dog poo		
428	Mud in winter!! But it's the UK so to be expected. Can't think of another one		
429	Sometimes seeing people on mopeds within the boundary of the park, Some of the parts of paths are very muddy and difficult to get across.		
430	Barriers at entrances which restrict cycle access Lack of a well-surfaced and clearly signposted cycle path between Sir John's Lane and Cheswick Village		
431	Traffic noise No paths suitable for toddlers/buggies		
432	Sometimes need your willies!		
433	The over grown path that was just to the right side going down by the woods		
434	A large deep pool forms on the path just on the blackberry hill side of the bridge		
435	traffic noise and traffic noise		
436	Football Fields and lack of facilities		
437	Bit far from my house, close to noisy traffic		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
438	Motorway noise, motorbikes		
439	The noise from the motorway The muddy paths		
440	Nothing in particular.		
441	Litter and vandalism and noise!		
442	It isn't safe There aren't paths all the way through it so if it's muddy it's hard to explore		
443	The amount of dog's, I think paid dog walkers should pay something or have just two dogs at a time. People need to feel safe over there. There should be a full time ranger to oversee the park and someone to talk to if ever you feel vulnerable.		
444	Mixed use pathway Not enough variety		
445	Muddy paths. Access routes obstructed with motor bike barriers.		
446	The M32 running through it. The amount of unkempt brambles.		
447	Dog poo Litter		
448	The rubbish by St Johns Lane		
449	Dog poos not being picked up Not enough benches Unable to access with buggy		
450	M32 noise Perhaps could have more wooded area in lower section by lake		
451	Dog mess and lack of bins		
452	Litter including dog poo bags hanging in the trees		
453	The way it's been destroyed by the Council for a bus route no one likes		
454	The mud!		
455	Constant vandalism of fire site in hermitage and WW2 being run down		
456	The rubbish and vandalism		
457	Sculpture trail is poorly signposted.		
458	The mud in the winter. Lack of control from dog owners meaning that I get chased and barked at and dog poo everywhere.		
459	Litter and damage to environment.		
460	the proximity to the motorway and the associated noise		
461	The damage done by metrobus works The fact that historic elements are being damaged		
462	The lack of pathways and run down nature of the anti aircraft battery and radio tower.		
463	Dog poo everywhere		
464	The rubbish left behind The M32		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
465	Lack of light on the M32 underpass. Irresponsible dog owners.		
466	1. The noise of the motorway 2. Lack of information signs, especially regarding WW2 battery		
467	I love everything about this park and hope it doesn't get replaced by housing estates in the future.		
468	the motorway. the tv/ satellite tower.		
469	metro bus works traffic noise		
470	Lack of access through to Lockleaze.		
471	run down nature of many of the elements of the park, the motorway noise!		
472	the litter		
473	Road cutting through Noise pollution		
474	No toilet facilities . pathways left unkempt Need more waste bins'.		
475	Litter and the way monuments are gradually deteriorating.		
476	no designated parking - using streets		
477	New housing adjacent to it makes area feel overdeveloped/less of a place to relax & enjoy nature; M32 road is intrusive & dominates		
478	N/a		
479	Nothing. It's a lovely quiet open space.		
480	There are no security cameras by the entrance / subway. It's very close to the motorway.		
481	Some parts don't feel as safe as others Litter and broken glass		
482	No parking and the state the house has been left in		
483	Access from Stapleton because of dangerous drivers and pollution. No park cafe and toilets		
484	Not easily found, better signposting needed. No idea how to get there other than driving.		
485	Would like to see more trees and flowers		
486	The Territorial Army garages The disrepair of the WW2 bunkers The M32		
487	mud and access		
488	Dog fouling. Intimidating dogs running free.		
489	Lack of rubbish bins, motorway noise		
490	Not enough bins and dig waste bins		









6. What two things do you like least about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
491	Irresponsible dog walkers and I don't feel safe at night cycling through the park.		
492	Lack of paths. Few wildflowers		
493	The left-over barbed wire fences everywhere. Some of it's collapsed and not obvious. My dog's cut herself on it a few times. Also, there could be more dog poo bins, and some of the ones that are there could be in much better locations.		
494	The M32		
495	dog waste the odd grumpy dog		
496	Rubbish & anti-social behaviour Dog mess		
497	Some bits are difficult with a buggy.		
498	Not enough litter bins Need a few more benches dotted around		
499	Clutching at straws a bit..... The wet muddy area just below the church The motorway!!		
500	Dog poo and motor bikes		
501	muddy paths especially at gates between grass		
502	dog poo. No toilets +cafe +pub		
503	muddy paths in winter		
504	gets very muddy for walking pathways are very baggy		
505	N/A		
506	motor bikes- bins not emptied and people leaving litter		
507	mind in gateway uncontrolled dogs.		
508	dog poo		
509	mud underfoot steep bits		
510	muddy entraces parking		
511	Proximity of the M32, flooding of path under M32 bridge		
512	not enough seating in the woods dog walking groups		
513	loose dogs access		
514	very low no seats about		
515	N/a		
516	dogs must be kept under control eg kept on a leash		






6. What two things do you like least about Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
517	bramble overgrowth muddy entrances need urgent attention		
518	not enough seating for people with disabilities		
519	the very fact that it is a resource under used		
520	need more seats		
521	Lack of toilets and lack of bike racks.		
522	Litter - dog waste in particular Lack of signage		
523	Would be nice to get a cup of tea. The inconsiderate motorbikes.		
524	The guys who come and abuse the campsite area - sometimes barging in and swearing when we're there with our kids. Dog mess.		
525	Footpaths become quagmire for most of the year. High speed cyclists going down the hill in front of the Dower House.		
526	The sight and sound of the M32! The scrubland and battery being so overgrown		
527	The pathways are sometimes confusing. Unruly dogs.		
528	The M32 and its noise Impenetrable scrub		
529	Bit boggy in winter. Noise from m32		
530	Not connected to Eastville park		
531	Muddy paths		
532	The neglected gun battery The vandalism		
533	It gets very muddy, especially at gateways between fields. Nothing else		
534	dog poo aggressive dogs		
535	Traffic noise, not enough cycle paths		
536	Dog poo Huge amounts of paid dog walkers/out of control dogs		
537	People who leave litter/dog poop bags around..need more bins. Dog walkers with poorly behaved dogs.		
538	Students and others having bbq in summer leaving rubbish and not respecting the parks heritage..dogs being off leads		
539	Lack of cycle access, air of neglect, eg, tumbledown walls		
540	Parking and the man leaving food in the woods for "wildlife"		
		answered	540
		skipped	168

7. Please follow this link to see the site description areas. Which area of the park do you use the most?

						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Area 1 - Barn Wood					2.13%	13	
2	Area 2 - Hermitage and Long Woods					7.69%	47	
3	Area 3 - Sims Hill					0.82%	5	
4	Area 4 - House Park					10.64%	65	
5	Area 5 - Duchess Park					7.04%	43	
6	Area 6 - Purdown and Lockleaze Open Space					21.77%	133	
7	Area 7 - Heath House and south end of Locleaze Open Space					2.95%	18	
8	I use the whole site					46.97%	287	
Analysis	Mean:	6.25	Std. Deviation:	2.04	Satisfaction Rate:	74.96	answered	611
	Variance:	4.18	Std. Error:	0.08			skipped	97

8. If you don't visit Stoke Park please can you tell us why?

						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	I don't know how to get there					8.25%	8	
2	I didn't know it existed					15.46%	15	
3	It's too far to travel					13.40%	13	
4	There's no parking					19.59%	19	
5	Other (please specify):					43.30%	42	
Analysis	Mean:	3.74	Std. Deviation:	1.36	Satisfaction Rate:	68.56	answered	97
	Variance:	1.86	Std. Error:	0.14			skipped	611

Other (please specify): (42)

1	None
2	N/A
3	NO CONCERNS
4	i live nearer to oldbury court so usually go there
5	Effects of advancing years has reduced my use. Above describes my former use and my ambitions for future use.
6	Completing this on behalf of families
7	I've always prioritised other green spaces in Bristol
8	
9	I make the effort to get there even from BS11

8. If you don't visit Stoke Park please can you tell us why?

		Response Percent	Response Total
10	I visit the other Estates in Bristol: Ashton Court, Blaise, Kings Western, am put off by proximity to Motorway and am not sure how to access the park		
11	its a dump, there is no cafe there is a wall that restricts access to the park and its overgrown		
12			
13	The motorway noise and pollution		
14	lots of other parks much closer		
15	I didn't realise it was open to the public		
16	Its not on my to do list.		
17	I was not aware that it was open to the public		
18	I do visit		
19	Nothing there to encourage me to visit it		
20	I don't go to that side of town		
21	Just hasn't been on my list of 'places to go'		
22	no great visitor attractions		
23	I have other parks in walking distance: Arnos, Perretts, Victoria, Redcatch, Callington Road Nature reserve, and we love Snuff Mills, Oldbury Court ... both have parking		
24	Nothing of interest there		
25	NA		
26	Na		
27	its a long way from where we live		
28	I visit other areas		
29	no reson to go there		
30			
31	N/A		
32	Have seen it but don't know how to access it, whether I could take the dog and what the facilities are eg parking, toilets etc		
33	i use it		
34	Difficult bicycle access		
35	i tend ot use the open space close to me for everyday walks		
36	More likely to visit Ashton Court or other parks nearer to me		
37			
38	Driven past but not visited		
39	I do visit! But I do feel it isn't well known about		
40	N/a		
41	Not wheelchair accessible		

8. If you don't visit Stoke Park please can you tell us why?

		Response Percent	Response Total
42	No cafe visitor centre		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
1	Open-Ended Question	100.00%	344
1	sign posted off road running trails. dog mess and litter bins by gates. better route sign posting , including maps and links through to other similar spaces		
2	More facilities		
3	Visitor centre/shelter of some sort for use in inclement weather would be good.		
4	Anything that helped screen the M32 from the park so you are less likely to notice it		
5	more information - on boards re wildlife/maps/history giving it more a sense of community - designated paths / trails would make me more likely to take friends up there, as sometimes i get lost!		
6	An exercise area, more wildlife (that would probably need a green corridor across the park as at the moment it has too many open fields and few woods.		
7	All that stops me going is not having the car.		
8	Better cycle routes Better facilities for kids Less intrusion from the motorway Improved feeling of safety More things to do Keep the wild feel though!		
9	I live within walking distance but if i didn't the parking would be a problem		
10	I already visit every day.		
11	I think it would be great to have a rail link for visitors, but also benefit isolated local people massively!		
12	Better paths		
13	map at the entrance showing how big it is - I walk through everyday and don't know many of the areas		
14	Maybe more benches and litter bins for those who use the park in the summer for picnics. Often rubbish is left and more bins may help this		
15	Weather :)		
16	Parking		
17	A local cafe near to the main part of the park, if sound mitigation was erected along the motorway, if monuments and places of interest were looked after better (i.e. the gun emplacement, the historical features - monuments, house etc) with information points. Although a beautiful place to visit, it feels as though it has been neglected over the years by various owners.		
18	accessible footpaths like in Ashton court estate, so I can take whole family out, with prams, wheelchairs, people who don't own walking boots.		
19	Improvement to path, parking, reduction in M32 noise and restoring the landscape/heritage features.		
20	Easy public transport access from Fishponds. Current bus stop means crossing a busy road at top of Blackberry Hill		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
21	Signed circular routes. More management for wildlife		
22	more events like a bat walk sculpture or interesting art feature adult play area		
23	A cafe and museum based at the gun batteries. Trips to the top of the tower, and a rope slide from the tower. There is huge potential in that part of Purdown.		
24	Mountain bike cycle path		
25	more wildlife like deer, or bird life		
26	More trees		
27	I already visit fairly regularly, would visit with family more if there was a focus such as play equipment or a destination like a cafe		
28	Visitor facilities and accessible paths		
29	More dog litter bins!!		
30	If there was outdoor gym equipment for adults, or a children's playground. If wildlife were roaming around, like rabbits, deer and blackfaced sheep.		
31	n/a		
32	Parking		
33	Car park. Less litter		
34	Better parking facilities		
35	Mountain bike trails		
36	N/A		
37	SP is a lovely open space that doesn't need anything other than careful maintenance		
38	More wild secluded areas out of the way of foot traffic. However, I think the addition of a cycle track running the length of area 6 from the Stoke Park housing estate to St. Johns Lane via the established path and linking to Concord way & the city centre would be a beneficial addition linking people with bikes in North Bristol & S. Glos to the Centre		
39	I would visit more with a bit of rejuvenation! A cure for arthritic knees!		
40	Better pathways		
41	More info to help me know what's there and what to look for - e.g. interesting history, plants, animals etc. Also, maybe a recommended walk / trail.		
42	More parking		
43	Benches		
44	feeling safer - CCTV/ part of police patrol		
45	Rejuvenation! More waymarking. Scrub clearance along minor paths.		
46	Family friendly facilities		
47	A play park.		
48	Proximity to our house		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
49	Improved access and walking routes, visitor facilities		
50	Better access in bad weather would make it easier to access.		
51	A permanent orienteering course		
52	Publicity and information about what's available to do, especially for children.		
53	Free parking		
54	Better parking arrangements would be desirable.		
55	The renovation of the ww2 battery site		
56	Picnic spots - benches Kids play area but made to fit in with the environment Cycle parking		
57	Better parking		
58	Better and more joined up footpaths as it gets very mucky when wet		
59	Seeing this consultation has raised my awareness anyway. More things for children to see and do would make me more likely to visit.		
60	More emphasis on the nature, nature trails, nature and conservation related activities, meditation classes. Ecologically sound management of the natural environment and enforcement of nature protection by wardens. Measures to reduce anti-social behavior and activities i.e. illegal camping, illegal drug taking, litter, illegal campfires e.t.c.		
61	My living closer. The motorway view and noise being reduced and screened from the park more than it is.		
62	More information about the site including walks and what to see. I have driven passed many times on M32 but did not know what was here until I began working nearby.		
63	it's fine as it is!		
64	Control the dogs		
65	Barrier to the M32		
66	if I knew where to park to get access		
67	Keeping the park how it is without organised activities, there is not enough untouched open space where you can just go and enjoy all the nature		
68	Visitor centre - cafe		
69	More tourist aimed. Better parking.		
70	N/A		
71	Parking		
72	Litter bins and dog waste bins		
73	Well maintained pathways		
74	Parking		
75	To have facilities that are different to other parks and Estates in Bristol, in particular something that would engage my children, such as a large natural play trail. Convenient access from South Bristol, potentially via a route from M32.		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
76	More time on my part.		
77	Some facilities eg toilets refreshments		
78	n/a - I visit the park regularly		
79	Car-parking needs to be improved (currently very limited).		
80	if the antisocial behaviour stopped and the decay started to reverse		
81	cycle trails like the ones in Ashton Court, preventing motor cross bikes and other vehicles access , trim-trails		
82	If it was tidier, had an outdoor gym, a lido next to the M32 and had the bushes cut back. They could hold concerts here instead of in Eastville park. Also it would be good to see the circus here instead of the downs and perhaps a flower show, like Chelsea visit.		
83	Planting of more woodland, mixed use trails, as with Ashton Court. Protection of mature woodland, grasslands and associate nature. Introduction of a visitors centre and café run along similar lines to Snuff Mills, i.e. not a chain like Starbucks!		
84	Better facilities. Better access		
85	Increased wooded areas		
86	if I needed a facility there		
87	Not sure if there is any parking. If not, I don't know how I would get there		
88	Parking, more toilets (including disabled), play area.		
89	Nothing; commercialising and 'organising' will make me less likely to visit		
90	Better understanding of what is available there.		
91	Easy bus link from city centre		
92	Nothing.		
93	Protection of WWII gun battery - been going there since I was a kid - now 57!		
94	We would be very please to be able to contribute to the future of the park by managing the grazing in a way that promotes conservation throughout the site and increases access/make improvements for the local community.		
95	Screening from the motorway		
96	No dogs. Fruit trees and bushes. Vegetables.		
97	Some improvements to paths in certain areas		
98	Better wildflower display		
99	footbridge over Muller Road		
100	I would like to see Visitor's Centre that tells people the history of Battery Percy.		
101	Better weather! (Sorry, that's not helpful, but it's true.) Outdoor exercise equipment.		
102	If I knew where to walk when I got there		
103	To locate it and have free parking		
104	Screening the motorway with trees. A cafe.		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
105	Parking,WCs,		
106	A cafe!		
107	Good maintenance		
108	Knowing where to access the park . Free parking		
109	Having the free time to do so		
110	Already visit		
111	If there was an area to play tennis or a sports fitness area		
112	More/some information about walks, facilities etc		
113	For it to remain as it is. Bristol City Council have a long and distinguished history of fucking things up whenever they go near them. Clean up the shit and leave it the hell alone		
114	The kind of attention and community engagement that this plan would give it. The Park always feels like a great space that is not properly used and neglected compared to the Ashton Court and Kingsweston/Blaise Castle estates		
115	Nothing - it meets my needs		
116	Something happening there		
117	I visit often, I love it there.		
118	Car parking could make this an equal to Ashton Court, but that would make it a lot busier - which would detract from appeal. You should consider whether Oldbury Court would make for a good partnership-how about improving pedestrian/cycle links between the two parks.		
119	Having a dog or upping frequency of running.		
120	Better screening of M32 and better lighting of underpass.		
121	Sunshine		
122	Convenient bus route		
123	Easier foot connection to Snuff Mills? Currently difficult to cross road		
124	More info		
125	More paved routes		
126	Bike trails, especially if some were for children too.		
127	Improved access e.g. Parking Improved all-season access for walking		
128	Restoration and environmental issues		
129	Easy transport or parking area		
130	Better parking as there is none.		
131	Little cafe! Better map so know about what is there		
132	If there was parking. I run so it might be a nice place for a long run but it is too far from my home for me to run all the way.		
133	More information about it		
134	A dedicated car park with secure cycle parking		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
135	More info, public awareness so that there is a reason to visit the place.		
136	Good walkways please do not build on it.		
137	More information about it		
138	Better nearby parking (as long as none of the existing green space is taken for this)		
139	Better awareness of what it has to offer and how to get there.		
140	If it were of historical significance.		
141	Now I know about it, nice weather on a week-end would prompt me to go and have a look around.		
142	General improvements would improve frequency of visiting		
143	Easy access, somewhere to park, way-marked trails		
144	Less slippery steep slopes		
145	BETTER WALKS BETTER INTERPRETATION BETTER CONDITION		
146	Accessible paths (pushchair friendly)		
147	toilet facilities limited dog section more described circular walks with things to find more benches refreshments available		
148	better bus connection		
149	Knowing that I can		
150	Having more free time.		
151	Toilets, small play area, place to get a drink?		
152	Good parking for Bristolians from further afield, possible income stream if charged the same as Ashton Court?		
153	To keep it natural		
154	My children get older and more willing to walk there!		
155	Hiding the M32. Screening. Nature trails. A cafe.		
156	It needs to be disabled friendly as my wife cannot walk far		
157	Better paths on the sloped hills , no dogs		
158	on a bus route		
159	Better connections to other Frome Valley parks at Eastville and Snuff Mills, including advertising bus links, appropriate parking provision for the complex of parks and improved connectivity of the Frome Valley Greenway		
160	More wildlife		
161	Tidied up a little, especially area around the gun emplacements. Make it feel more loved!		
162	This exercise will encourage me to visit		
163	If something could be interpreted, or something made of the gun emplacement. Some bicycle parking - some available information.		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
164	Parking		
165	Parking would make it so much easier to use. Café facilities. Decent all weather paths for use all year round		
166	A car park would be ideal		
167	Even more wildlife		
168	More activities for children, i.e. Play area.		
169	Better access especially parking, improved pathways and more biodiversity. Better woodland management and I would like to see grazing to increase native plant species.		
170	I didn;t realise how much more there was to it until just looking at the map so better mapping and directional signs would be helpful and make the visit more interesting		
171	Leaflets eg like those available for Clifton Downs etc. Circular paths accessible from Eastville Park side. (Maybe they exist already.)		
172	if I owned a car !!!		
173	If I lived closer		
174	Curiosity now, and parking		
175	More amenities		
176	better parking		
177	A museum about the house and grounds.		
178	At this time I am not sure as to how you would get there.		
179	More community events- like sculpture trail which are aimed for children as I am a parent of a 3 and 6 year old		
180	More for children		
181	Nicer paths more woods with wildlife, better steps or gravel in some parts it is very muddy so difficult to navigate around		
182	Already visit regularly		
183	Improve drainage on open space footpaths put down hard surfaces, just for pinch points plant more trees in open spaces noise barriers along M32		
184	More freetime		
185	clearer linkage of the different areas BUT not making it too organised, pathed etc which also takes away much of the fun of this semi-wild area. Please don't tidy it up too much and take away its heart.		
186	Better drainage along footpaths.		
187	Unfortunately, better access by car. I usually park just off Muller Road or next to Barn Wood.		
188	More parking		
189	No motorway		
190	IF parkrun were allowed to operate here		
191	Greater visitor facilities, and more information about what the park has to offer.		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
192	a guided walk by [REDACTED], more opportunities to join in on activities such as coppicing/wildlife surveys/archaeology, when the meadows are in full flow i visit more often [Redacted – identifies individual]		
193	I go so often, nothing really - keep it wild		
194	better facilities such as toilets and cafe, educational facilities and information on walks , local history and wildlife.		
195	café, less dog poo (wouldn't take my children)		
196	More benches and dog poo bins.		
197	Better accessibility and more facilities		
198	Play area Exercise group / equipment		
199	less mud! better paths		
200	We already visit it a couple of times a week.		
201	Better weather. More places to sit down.		
202	Better weather! ;-)		
203	Better facilities and access Muddy wash stations Events		
204	I already visit regularly as I walk through it on my way to work and take my family to the woods for walks, but I'd attend more if there were a playpark.		
205	More wildlife enhancement and interaction with this for kids		
206	I would visit more only if I had more time, I love the park as it is but recognise it might benefit from some improvement to make it more accessible and inviting for a wider section of the public		
207	Na		
208	No dogs off leads, but know it's a great place for those who have dogs to walk them too, I just don't feel safe going with the children.		
209	Nothing		
210	For the park to be closer to me, as I mainly travel by foot.		
211	If they had a Parkrun on Saturday mornings - Ashton court has 400 - 500 people visiting every week for its parkrun. Also if there were interesting events - a may day fair, fireworks. Or if I knew what of interest I might see there. Oh and I'm a sucker for good coffee and homemade cakes as well.		
212	better paths that don't get too muddy.		
213	Having it's garden walks, ponds and monuments restored.		
214	Occasional hosting of events there. Park run. Cross country race venue.		
215	Easier access from Stoke Lane.		
216	A cafe and a kids play area		
217	a swimming spot		
218	Better foot paths. Less destruction and money wasting by management.		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
219	Play equipment and a cafe		
220	It's already one of my favourite places, would be good to have more bins.		
221	N/A I regularly visit the park		
222	More seating		
223	Dog waste bins, gravel/ managed entrances		
224	If I decided to keep fit and walk <input type="checkbox"/>		
225	N/A		
226	Some.sort of coffee shop along the way/toilet facilities I guess would be good. Would also be good for the fishing lake to have intact fencing the whole way around. We've not walked down near the lake for a while now, not since we walked through with our dog, who got in through an opening in the fence and got a hook stuck in his leg. Ensuring an intact fence would mean we would know it was safe down there for everyone, if we have to run off to get the dog, what do we do with our kids?		
227	A new concrete skatepark		
228	Nothing. It's perfect the way it is.		
229	I will visit now that it has been brought to my attention through this consultation		
230	knowledge of what facilities are there		
231	A children's play area like snuff mills (I think this is the one I mean, it has a sand pit and water fall)		
232	Better signposted paths/maps		
233	if it was a road		
234	I've heard the idea of some outdoor gym equipment floated, I think that would be great even if it's some monkey bars, jumps etc :)		
235	if it was in south bristol		
236	If there were toilet facilities / mobile coffee and snack van allowed it would be easier to plan family trips and picnics there.		
237	Less dog poo more dog bins dig warden visiting area		
238	Café facilities and car parking		
239	I feel a little unsafe jogging there alone, its an under used space and should be frequented much more like Ashton Court in South Bristol. Encourage mountain bikes and kids.		
240	More historical facts, better maintenance of the historical gun battery		
241	Activities and community events		
242	Less motorway noise		
243	Dogs under control, less dog mess. More ability to picnic/play without dog intrusion		
244	I already visit the park frequently.		
245	Stop building near it		
246	More gravel on muddy areas by gates. It has improved massively over the years but still could do with a bit more gateway gravel.		
247	working less so I can visit when it is light during the day		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
248	Walking paths more accessible. More events. More focal points. More community engagement. Less dog fouling.		
249	More covered existing pathways for the wet mud.		
250	If I lived locally I would visit more often.		
251	If it is left in a natural state,no development.		
252	Nothing - I enjoy the park daily,		
253	Social Housing,playgrounds,shops..		
254	Easier access		
255	Entrances to be less muddy during the winter. The mainroutes in and out of the park - except for the cycle path - are very slippery for an older person.		
256	Toilets, play area, cafe		
257	Knowing I was helping to protect its future		
258	I already enjoy it on a daily basis		
259	all dogs to be on leads and no dog mess		
260	Knowing where it can be accessed eg a map and info about where to park and what's there.		
261	Weekday evening meet ups for wildlife/ bushcraft		
262	If it was kept tidier and was a bit more 'cared for'		
263	would be great if it had a Parkrun		
264	Something exciting, new interesting. Cafe		
265	A cycle path between Broomhill and Romney Avenue		
266	Anything that encourages wildlife there. Good wildflower meadow. Dedicated wildlife lake.		
267	Car park and visitor centre		
268	If I lived nearer by and didn't have a job :)		
269	Toilets available More picnic benches		
270	Nice cafe, themed garden's and adult outdoor gym		
271	younger lets, inconspicuous seating, way marking-discreet		
272	On your website I was expecting to see a visual display at 'The Hub' all it was, was 2 boards on the wall!! I am most disgusted!!		
273	n/a		
274	A small cafe with outdoor seating space would be a welcome addition, perhaps a few picnic tables in certain spots.		
275	Better cycle access and cycle paths, including a zig-zag path south of the park through or near to Allot Gardens Recreation Ground to enable step-free and traffic-free access up the slope between Muller Road and Sir John's Lane.		

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		Response Percent	Response Total
276	Better paths/access More time off work		
277	A mountain bike path would be good		
278	More free time		
279	Café, Car Park, Children's play area		
280	If I lived closer to it		
281	If there were something there worth visiting - all I understood about it before this consultation was that it was parkland with the M32 running through.		
282	We used to have event days like wild walks, camp fires talks about history of the park but now nothing.		
283	More time!		
284	A central location for information about activities taking place.		
285	Bigger car park		
286	Better signposting and naming the entrances to make it easier to meet friends there. Proper signposting of the sculpture trail and more sculptures over a wider area (2-4 miles total). More waymarked trails.		
287	Probably visit this year		
288	Designated bicycle / cyclocross route.		
289	not a lot		
290	Being able to get involved in preserving what is already there		
291	Toilets and refreshments availability and better dog poo bin placement and regular collections		
292	coffee shop with a view.		
293	Smarten up anti-aircraft battery area and add info signs		
294	stop the motorway. take down the tower.		
295	Some gravel/hard core around the areas that get too muddy in the rain (around the lake) and more access routes to Lockleaze.		
296	better management		
297	Activities for children and information about areas of interest		
298	Parking		
299	Toilets better pathways café.		
300	More leisure time		
301	children play area and nature trail		
302	The end of noisy & intrusive building work/construction/housing developments around it		
303	N/a		
304	Nothing. It's a great day out. Please don't change it!		
305	Parking and more events		
306	Cycling and walking provision from from Stoke Lane to Duchess Way via the parkland.		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
307	Parking, toilets, benches, path for prams		
308	Events		
309	Demolish the TA garages and replace with a play area for children and families. Renovate the WW2 bunkers and create a site of historic information		
310	Nothing else, over development may stop me visiting as much though		
311	Keeping it as beautiful as it is and keep the park rangers, especially [Redacted – identifies individual] who does such a good job		
312	Links to and from other parks and routes e.g. Concorde Way, St Werburgh's for city walks.		
313	Open space, free to all		
314	Better cross - city bus services		
315	Cafe and good play area for kids		
316	A playpark for kids		
317	If I could get there easily on public transport.		
318	Cafe + pub		
319	Less muddy footpaths		
320	Maybe a play park for children		
321	having a dog		
322	better all weather paths		
323	More information and access to the heritage areas of site. More wilding of the area to create better environment for wildlife		
324	better paths, better access		
325	more seats and picnic area		
326	i have lived in this area for almost sixty years, in the past it has been a foot wall area with changing rooms provided, then suddenly they were pulled down and shrubs have grown in its place i dont like the height pf the rebuilding at the wall.		
327	Less noise from M32-Some quiet tarmac would help		
328	Picnic area		
329	wheelchair accessibility outdoor gym equipment accessible for disabled		
330	a car park and to feel it is organised enough to be "safe"		
331	More seats		
332	Facilities such as toilets, bike racks, cafe.		
333	A cafe		
334	No improvements needed!		
335	Better management of footpaths.		
336	A cafe		

9. What would make it more likely for you to visit Stoke Park?

		Response Percent	Response Total
337	Easy access from Eastville park		
338	Design decent running/walking routes with exercise stations like on the Downs and in Portishead sea front		
339	A cafe		
340	guided walks		
341	A direct cycle link from bottom of stoke lane to heath house lane bridge - cut out some of those hills!		
342	Park ranger coffee hut		
343	I go regularly		
344	Cycle path from Muller Road right through to Stoke Park		
		answered	344
		skipped	364

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	1	2	3	4	5	Response Total
A car park located at a point just inside the park in Lockleaze, to encourage visitors from across the city	32.3% (214)	15.0% (99)	22.7% (150)	14.8% (98)	15.3% (101)	662
A café which could be run as a social enterprise or commercial operation within an existing community building	15.1% (101)	11.5% (77)	21.0% (141)	25.4% (170)	27.0% (181)	670
Encourage more community involvement in the management of the park	5.1% (34)	9.9% (66)	27.2% (181)	29.8% (198)	28.0% (186)	665
Install interpretation boards and visitor information about the parks landscape and archaeology, including the WW2 anti-aircraft battery (a Scheduled Ancient Monument).	3.9% (26)	10.9% (73)	17.4% (117)	32.6% (219)	35.3% (237)	672
Repair and protect the parks historic structures (walls, follies and ponds)	3.4% (23)	4.5% (30)	13.1% (88)	30.3% (203)	48.7% (326)	670
Replant parkland trees and remove some tress and scrub to restore the historic open parkland and views as well as restoring species rich grassland.	4.5% (30)	5.4% (36)	18.4% (123)	28.8% (193)	42.9% (287)	669
Introduce good woodland management to restore its historic character and increase biodiversity	2.4% (16)	4.1% (27)	12.6% (84)	28.7% (191)	52.3% (348)	666
Restore historic paths so that everyone of all abilities can enjoy the park	4.4% (29)	6.6% (44)	14.4% (96)	29.1% (194)	45.5% (303)	666
Develop a programme of community events and activities for volunteers	6.9% (46)	10.6% (70)	27.5% (182)	31.5% (209)	23.5% (156)	663
Provide signage to direct visitors around the park	10.2% (68)	13.6% (91)	22.3% (149)	26.2% (175)	27.6% (184)	667
					answered	674
					skipped	34
Other (please specify): (129)						
1	Bins Repair/replace all the damaged gates Stop vehicle access off Long Down Ave into Hermitage Wood (the security bollards have been removed)					
2	Think about anything that could screen the M32 from view/noise pollution					
3	Remove the massive antenna and other metal fencing in the park.					
4	Bins					
5	Dog's under control.					
6	Having a park manager and dog warden to keep on top of regular issues in the park and have a person to report to. This could be funded by selling felled wood from woodland management (as National Trust do) and from fundraising activities and cafe profits.					
7	A ranger to look after the park.					
8	The car park is a god idea, however it depends on how much natural space it would involve taking up.					
9	Drinking water taps. I know there were many and that they still exist but are now covered.					
10	Cycle paths					
11	Please no more signs and please do not tarmac paths through the woods or parkland					

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		1	2	3	4	5	Response Total
12	Provide good map in preference to excessive signage						
13	<p>maintain and restore Purdown Percy</p> <p>I am horrified by question 12, which does NOT tie up to the nuanced and careful coverage in the report. I want it restored and still accessible, At least one of the concrete and brick structures (gun positions 1, 2,3, or 4 in the archaeological report) , which formed the shelters to the guns should be retained as accessible as part of the scheme, although the others could be banked over with earth following careful recording, but one should remain as part of the interpretation centre.</p> <p>An oral history project should be established urgently, to ensure the memories of those who manned the battery and of the children from Lockleaze who played there in the post war period are captured. It is noted that there is oral history from those who lived in the Camp, but not from others who knew the site well.</p> <p>The plan as included in the papers, and the report fail to record the elements of the work which lie to the east on the edge of the slopes, just north east of 12. These lie just outside the hedge line on the top of the slope and are a pattern of concrete footings, different from those marked on the plan. We thought they are position 1 on the plan, but in fact they are between small gun position 1 and position 6 - in the hedge to the right of the footpath, but before position 6. If this is position 6, then fine, but it looks to be in a different location.</p> <p>I attach some photos of that element. These need to be included in the schedule.</p> <p>the conservation report at 2.6 talks about post war use by squatters. If this were true, it was only true briefly, as my husband lived in a house backing onto putdown from the early 1950s and he, his friends and his older brother had unrestricted access to the Command Post, which they called the dungeons, as well as to the circular more open areas. The children found an old tin helmet there, and the site was not at that point occupied by anyone, and they did not find remains of habitation, except the military helmet. The Camp, referred to in para 2.6 and 3.5 were not actually in the buildings we now have surviving. it is important to distinguish the Camp and the archaeological site items 6 - 12 on the Draft Proposals Masterplan.</p>						
14	Toilet facilities						
15	I 100% agree with replanting trees..but a woodland has grown up..that was not on the original plans...to remove that would be devastating...especially since tree removal seems to have only resulted in an abundance of brambles and nettles.						
16	Planting more trees - yes, not sure it needs scrub removing unless it prevents tree establishment. The attraction of it is that it doesn't look like someones manicured garden. If you make Stoke Park a place rich in natural wildlife and history, and where people feel like they can escape busy city life rather than be reminded of it with signs and cafes, then it'll be a place that will automatically attract people. A fairly discrete cycle way from Stoke Park to St. Johns lane via the established path will link people to the park in a green way - don't build a car park where people can loiter, drink, do drugs, and leave litter to blow over the park etc. Put in a few cycle lock-ups and bus stops/routes near by.						
17	Provide a space for outdoor learning activities and an area dedicated to independent forest school providers to enable young people to experience the woodland in a safe and exciting way.						
18	Encourage use of public transport/cycling/walking for access. Show bus stops and entry points on maps & guides						
19	Plant more wildlife friendly trees. Especially with the onset of ash die back.						
20	Install a permanent orienteering course						
21	A museum type area around the ww2 battery site						
22	Kids play area - picnic benches dotted around - sculptured art in natural environment - more dynamic and inspiring than what's proposed						
23	Although signage is very useful I do enjoy the opportunity that the park provides for 'getting lost' in the woodland.						

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		1	2	3	4	5	Response Total
24	Control the dogs. Like every other open space in Bristol, this park belongs to the dogs and their owners. You do not stand any chance whatsoever of encouraging more people to visit (and support) this park unless and until you have addressed the threat to their physical safety posed by dogs and their (often violent) owners. People will not visit this place while there is a risk of going home injured, or worse still ending up in hospital. Until BCC removes the blinkers and pulls it's collective head out of the sand and recognises the dog problem, you are wasting your time with consultations such as this.						
25	Don't make it too sterile and managed. It's nicely wild.						
26	as many area as possible should be disabled access,						
27	There is a lot of walking about through the woods (not on paths) and this is slightly concerning as the spring flowers could be crushed before they have a chance to bloom. How can they be protected?						
28	Regular security patrols. Lone women vulnerable.						
29	Ensure gangs of youths don't hang out making it feel unsafe Some sort of noise barrier scene from the motor way						
30	I would like the Council to adopt a minimal intervention approach, to avoid destroying or damaging Stoke Park's key characteristics.						
31	I would like the structures made more conspicuous, cleaned and provided with information boards but I don't think that money should be spent on trying to return structures (especially the obelisk) to its original form. I would also like to see benches provided at viewing points and, possibly, more dog waste disposal points.						
32	Creative publicity and social media to raise awareness of what's there						
33	The park would really benefit from a hedgehog conservation project. ~25-50 hog homes throughout the area? [Redacted – identifies individual]						
34	Natural Play / Art trail to attract families and engage younger visitors, such as the one in the woodland at Tyntesfield National Trust site.						
35	This area was designed by Thomas Wright more should be made of it.						
36	THERE IS A DISTINCT LACK OF RUBBISH BINS... this is most important if the area is to stay nice with the encouragement of more visitors they must have plenty of rubbish bins!!!!						
37	More dog poo bins....						
38	Try to keep the wild nature of this space						
39	Provide an outdoor LIDO, clear out the overgrowth, develop a programme of commercial events for local residents. install a child's play park						
40	Consider a section like Go Ape						
41	Litter bins						
42	Provide a large graffiti wall for young people						
43	Woodland 'natural' themed adventure play area						
44	Get rid of the "monument" to war. Move with times, and commission works of art to foster peace. Remember. The British bombed German cities, before the Germans bombed here. To "glorify" war is unwise.						
45	Include a Visitors Centre in the plan.						
46	Sort the drainage under the M32						

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47	Give people the opportunity to hold events at the location so if there is a cafe there can be some education rooms for healthy eating programmes and grow your own food areas.						
48	Consider using trees as screen for motorway.						
49	'Good management' is highly subjective. If it was done in accordance with permaculture principles it would be worth a go, otherwise the usual short-term-ism will likely prevail. Also it would be wretched if more trees were removed- too many have gone from Bristol already and the city desperately needs the remainder, especially near the motorway, to aid with air quality.						
50	As a parent at Fairfield School, I would like to see the playing field developed for shared school and community use.						
51	Clean up the shit						
52	Cycle parking points. Organised one off events to get people familiar.						
53	Toilet facilities						
54	Transport links from central Bristol						
55	Consider putting in some small bike trails and encouraging local events sporadically.						
56	I did not actually know the names of the areas of the park.....						
57	Cycle access should be permitted on all new paths to provide space for families to be able to ride together.						
58	Toilets and waste bins						
59	clear cycle tracks						
60	Just to say when you restore the pathways careful consideration needs to be given to all park users. If faster cycling is going to be encouraged this needs to be separated from pedestrian pathways.						
61	Bins for dog poo						
62	Good transport						
63	Consideration of providing a path that would be of a good enough surface for pushchairs, prams, wheelchairs and mobility aids to increase access for all. This would encourage more visitors.						
64	Signage & notice boards need to extend beyond the park too - eg maps at nearby bus stops to encourage & direct visitors; Info in park about where to catch bus home & cycle routes. Access from Stapleton needs to be considered as well as Lockleaze						
65	Restore the structures, at least partly, including the obelisk. I remember when the obelisk was still stood to a significant height - not the stump that is there today.						
66	maps and marketing and information generally available to the public. IT's not a well known of place.						
67	It would be amazing if the WWII area could be improved and some signage, pictures etc to show what it was like and the importance of it.						
68	Develop the park with partners who will provide disabled young adults with meaningful, long term opportunities for supported employment to manage the grounds and proposed grazing. Use the land to bring on local breeds of cattle. Use their meat in our local schools and food outlets. Provide arable opportunities for enterprises in CICs to develop food production opportunities. Provide apprenticeships in coppicing an woodland management for the benefit of this parkland, and its Bristol park neighbours from Manor Woods, to Eastwood Park.						
69	provide bins						
70	More organised events for children, parents, grandparents and everyone.						
71	Car parking will encourage dogs and fouling, cafe will cause more litter.						

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72	In no way should council funds be used in this manner						
73	Toilets						
74	it would be good to work with artists to interpret the many and natural and historical assets of the park and map out it's many features with local people. i would also like to see more controls on dog use and a limit on how many dogs at once that dog walkers can walk (there have been regulations set to limit this in areas of london). also in places they should be put on leads.						
75	The is a lot of land in the jurisdiction of Stoke Park that could provide jobs for local people to manage. Food can be grown and sold within the city walls. People can be employed by managing food growing projects and maintain the tradition of farming the land.						
76	stoke park is not micro managed and has a wild feel which is the best thing about it. making it into parkland would spoil the unique wildness of the area						
77	Would prefer it left wild as when owned by hospital and as I remember it from my time working in both Purdown and Stoke Park						
78	Bins for users to dispose of litter safely						
79	segregate cyclists from pedestrians						
80	Childrens centre						
81	I don't think a car park is necessary. There is lots of on street parking and we should really be encouraging people to walk or use public transport. Equally, there are two brilliant cafes nearby, and we should be encouraging use of those rather than opening another social enterprise as competition. Surely we want people to visit the park, not a visitor centre :-) If we need to generate income for the park, we should look at alternatives. In my experience, social enterprises take a long time to generate profit to feed back into the original aim.						
82	I think scrub is an important wildlife habitat and that there needs to be a balance of woodland, meadow and scrub to maximise biodiversity. This is more important to me than how the site looks, or restoring it to how how it might have looked at any one historical time.						
83	Provide visitors with brochures and promote the park to both tourists and locals, also emphasize on what makes it unique to other/nearby parks. i.e. coverage from rain, bad weather, a place to socialise, friendly staff, secure and safe at both day and night, student-friendly (discounts).						
84	If you are considering improved car parking you MUST also make sure you provide loads of good quality bike parking as well - and also ensure that the cycle paths to and into the park are fit for purpose and safe						
85	Improve drainage under M32 underpass						
86	Improve the space for wildlife and clean air.						
87	Play equipment						
88	Bins and better litter collection						
89	Seasonal activities, educational and youth activities to support nature appreciation and learning						
90	Stoke Park makes a magnificent entrance and exit to Bristol for the thousands/?millions who use the M32. It may have been a crime to build the M32, but since its there, Bristol should make the most of it as a rather wild but stately landscape surrounding the Dower House, Respect the rural grandeur of the landscaped park. Please do not allow greenery to grow up the fence and stop motorists enjoying the view of the park. The new fence near the bus exit looks like a prison fence - horrible!						
91	This park is large enough to incorporate a recreational space for young people such as a concrete skatepark. This would help bring a new and wider age range to the park and help to promote social inclusion. The skatepark could be landscaped into the park to make it a really attractive space, both for wheeled sports users and the general public passing by or spectating.						



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92	A playground for children						
93	Planting/Screening to reduce road noise nr M32						
94	Dog bins						
95	It would be nice to give the park another use. I think Stoke Park could learn from numerous case studies where art and architecture are introduced into the landscape to encourage and engage more people to the area. Bristol as history of landscape artists.						
96	Do SOMETHING about the site of the battery guns on Purdown before this bit of history is completely lost. So sad that so much is cordoned off.						
97	Dog waste bins to be put at entrances to the park.						
98	More bins! Litter and dog waste!						
99	A bus service which is regular from all over the city-then you wouldn't need car park !!!						
100	Warden or other to make sure Duchess Pond is protected and well run by the fishing group. Habitats were spoilt last year by random clearing at the wrong time of year. Entrances to be designed so that motorbikes cannot gain access. Fences and gates to be redesigned for this.						
101	More commercial enterprises if possible, but only if viable. Horse riding? Cafe if financially viable. Bike rides. Open up proposals to private enterprise.						
102	More litter bins around the park.						
103	I think replant trees is a good idea, but not necessarily the removal of existing trees						
104	More litter bins / litter picks						
105	Childrens plant a tree program School involvement... play area						
106	New cyclepath						
107	Recreation facility for physically disabled like accessible fishing platforms						
108	Involve local school in the signage design						
109	5= Very important: Remove barriers at entry points which restrict access by cyclists, mothers with pushchairs & wheelchair users. 4= Important: Provide zig-zag path south of the park through or near to Allot Gardens Recreation Ground to enable step-free and traffic-free access up the slope between Muller Road and Sir John's Lane.						
110	Make the access points known and obvious - signage to the park from surrounding areas.						
111	increase police patrols in area to make it safer						
112	Employ someone that knows the history, give talks and someone that you can call for complaints etc, pointless ringing council they haven't a clue.						
113	Maintain feeling of wildness, not to allow taming of the park						
114	Create a cycle track						
115	introduction of education and informative events in the park.						

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116	I went on the tour of the park with the council and at the obelisk it was discussed whether recreating the full obelisk would be a good idea. Having seen photos on the walks leaflet I would really like to see this and it would give another good monument to encourage people to visit.						
117	Signage to Stoke Park from other nearby sites such as Snuff Mills, where there is currently parking. Publicity on the bus that serves Stoke Park (24) about Stoke Park. Also buses to Snuff Mills. Signage to existing cafes in the area.						
118	Buy Lockleaze community centre from administration and make this the new Library and park cafe and community facility. Sell the temporary library building plat to make this all possible. Win win and use income from the new centre to help pay for the park..						
119	Get rid of those TA garages. They are an absolute eyesore and have no benefit whatsoever to the local community.						
120	Environmentally friendly low level lights along the path to help create a more secure feel at night. But not at the expense of the wildlife.						
121	Links to public transport e.g. Metro bus, links to existing cycle routes. Create 'walking' routes e.g across to Frenchay and Frome Valley, via Purdown to St Werburgh's and Ashley Down.						
122	What the park needs most is people being involved from the local community and feeling involved. What it does not need is an over-managed woodland where the very essence of it's 'wildness' is destroyed by too many over-engineered paths and signs everywhere. One of the main reasons that the park is so bio-diverse is because nature is mostly managing it the way it sees fit, not so that it looks the way that certain humanbeings think it should						
123	I like stoke park because there are no signs and its wild but maintained and having a giant metal sigh will ruin that						
124	improved access,improved paths						
125	Toilets and bike racks						
126	clearer signage for location of dog poo bins, a few more benches for resting places. I would not want to see a commercial cafe operation unless it was by a community organisation and it should be through open tender where only specific community organisations or very small local businesses were eligible to bid, not 'chains' whether Bristol-based or not.						
127	toilets would mean that people might stay for longer.						
128	Bike path from bottom of stoke lane to heath house lane bridge						
129	Cycle paths						

11. Reintroduction of cattle grazing to more of the park is being considered. Grazing helps to restore and maintain the historic landscape and species-rich limestone grassland, and control scrub invasion. Grazing is a more effective way to manage the land given the nature of the site. The cattle would be moved around the estate which means that, at any one point in time, the cattle would be restricted to a part of the estate, before being moved to new pastures. Hedgerows would need to be restored, and kissing gates provided. Dogs would need to be kept under control in grazed areas. Large areas would continue to be cut for hay. Would you like to see this happen?

							Response Percent	Response Total
1	Yes						80.45%	539
2	No						19.55%	131
Analysis	Mean:	1.2	Std. Deviation:	0.4	Satisfaction Rate:	19.55	answered	670
	Variance:	0.16	Std. Error:	0.02			skipped	38

If no, why not? (146)

1	This would be a disaster for dog walkers. The appeal to me of Stoke Park is that it's a huge area where my dog can run around without bothering anyone. It's like a beautiful piece of the countryside but without any livestock to worry about. If there were livestock to worry about I would probably stop coming :(So would lots of other people. If it has to be done, I don't think cattle should ever be in the main House Park or Purdown areas as these are most used by dog walkers. If they were confined to other areas with fences that would be ok.
2	Gates would make access harder for bikes and prams Cow pats
3	Concern over fencing and security of the cattle. The site is a wonderful site for people to walk their dogs safely at the moment and it would be sad to see this status change.
4	Yes - it would be nice for city children to experience
5	would limit use of the park?
6	Cows can appear quite threatening for visitors and discourage dog walkers
7	As long as you can still let the dog off the lead in don't mind
8	Stupid idea. Would restrict access to the park for bikes using it for commuting and people walking dogs in the park. Ridiculous idea. It's 2017 not 1927!
9	The area is one of the few places in Bristol where dogs can walk off-lead in a relatively safe and enclosed environment, without a large number of picnics or animals. The introduction of cattle, even in a restricted area, would really affect that and we would have to stop visiting the area.
10	However I do remember being chased by angry cows during cross country runs when at school. Question 12...restore but DO NOT BURY!! The arsenal bunkers need to be seen. Restore the metal roofs, install purdown percy and fire blanks at the people on the rope slide.
11	It would restrict freedom of movement to walk around the whole park easily
12	If this is to happen i would like to see an environmental impact assessment to take place as we need to be considering the impact on the environment of having cattle on the site.
13	It would restrict the freedom of dog walkers to let their dogs run freely, and there would be cow pats everywhere too.
14	Cattle are not best placed next to a motorway with fluoride emissions and pollutants, they are also a greater risk in an urban environment and can be threatening, goats or sheep might be more suitable
15	I sometimes walk at the National Trust Frenchy Common they used to graze there but stopped it as idiots used to vandalize the fences and the cattle would escape and theirs and others safety would be compromised.
16	However, being vegan we would not want this should the cows be then sent to slaughter!

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		Response Percent	Response Total
17	Don't mind, so long as gates still allowed easy bike passage from blackberry hill up to Frenchay.		
18	I am scared of cattle due to being chased multiple times with my dog. I would not be able to walk in areas where cattle were and my dog would probably bark at them. If this occurred I would no longer visit Stoke Park. The only way this would be ok would be if they were in a fenced, relatively small area that I could easily avoid. I most often use the area around Long Woods and its surrounds, so if they were far away from there it wouldn't be too bad.		
19	Restricts walking and some people dislike herds of cattle. The area is ideal as it is.		
20	makes it difficult for dog walkers, and at present this is a site where dogs can eb walked with confidence		
21	There are fewer and fewer places in Bristol where dogs are allowed. Priority seems to be given to families with children. This is a very popular place for dog walkers and restricting access just makes exercising dogs even more difficult		
22	Cow are dangerous..also I would worry that they would be victims of torment		
23	Cattle do what you suggest, but they also churn up the ground leaving lots of mud - generally I find most people don't like walking through herds of cows, the mud, having their dog roll in cow pats, having to have their dog overly controlled, and a lot of people are scared of them. Boundaries for cattle would spoil the view. In the middle of Bristol is not the place for cattle. However, seeing a few wild deer in the Park, which I do see from time to time, is always welcome as long as they aren't doing too much damage to the habitat - which I don't see evidence of currently. I'd rather see the woodland expanded with tree planting		
24	Would this generate an income? RE Purdown Percy, SAM: I think it should ALL be cleaned up, then protected from vandalism.		
25	We could no longer walk the dogs there as we have a collie who would herd the cattle.		
26	Cows and dogs are not a good mix. May be harmed by "lovely" locals		
27	I enjoy the park as an open space to walk and exercise my dogs off lead. Defeats the object if they have to be kept on a lead.		
28	I have strong vegetarian principles.		
29	Anything that places further restriction on where dogs can be off lead is unwelcome. There are few enough places already.		
30	myself and family members have been frightened by cows in the past.		
31	I think cows act as a deterrent as they can be intimidating!		
32	The only reason being that this would limit dog-walking		
33	One of the things I enjoyed here is that people were able to let their dogs roam free (even though I'm not a dog owner myself!). If you were to do this please consider having "leash free" zones so that pets and their owners can enjoy the park stress free.		
34	The dogs will attack the cattle. They would be sitting ducks for dog attack. See my comments above. This city needs to address it's dog problem before even thinking about schemes such as this. The text of your question clearly implies that dogs WOULD be allowed into grazing areas with an expectation of them being controlled. Are you joking? Have you walked through a Bristol park recently? Do you know how arrogant, irresponsible and selfish the dog owners are in Bristol? The cattle would be chased down and ripped to shreds.		
35	High ongoing costs.		

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36	Bit big. Goats or sheep instead.		
37	I think the amount of dogs using the park would be detrimental to health of cattle.		
38	but is kissing gates the answer... I use a mobility scooter/wheel chair, so a sprung large gate would be required for people like me to gain access...		
39	Several reasons: Livestock and significant numbers of people seldom mix well. Sooner or later there will be an injury to either a visitor or animal. The majority of dog owners are responsible but there are those who are not - dogs and livestock can be a potentially deadly mix. Livestock in a public parkland setting are liable to theft or injury.		
40	In parkland open 24 hours a day the chance of a mishap to either visitor or cow is potentially quite great.		
41	Only in limited areas		
42	Because it is impossible to walk my big active dog on the lead for more than a few minutes without dislocating my shoulder.		
43	Having to dodge cow pats when playing on the grass with children or having a picnic.		
44	There are very few places I can let my dog off the lead without risk.		
45	Point 12 - include a Visitors Centre over the site.		
46	Prefer hay meadow bio-diversity / non-farmland character / would require additional infrastructure that would diminish open nature / plays cowpats!		
47	Depends on how large the herds would be		
48	Provided that the footpaths did not get lounged I by the cattle		
49	Because if the cattle poison the pond with their effluent it will kill the fish		
50	It would depend on how this was achieved... it would probably probably entail fencing, so hindering access... though traditional hedge laying would possibly be an acceptable conservation compromise...		
51	Because the noise and pollution from the motorway wouldn't be nice for the cattle to have to listen to all day long. Also, and without wanting to sound like a broken record, animals=shit		
52	Very good idea.		
53	Dangerous beasts!		
54	I use the park to walk my dog. There are limited places to walk with dogs off lead and having livestock would limit the ability to exercise my dog.		
55	It would be very difficult with the dog. We avoid Leigh Woods for this exact reason.		
56	BUT , in light of recent accidents with stampeding cattle, the area of grazing will need more substantial fencing than an electric fence, for public confidence.		
57	But access for people on bikes would need to be retained at all times. Access controls should be avoided		

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58	Not sure about safety. If they were fenced off and kept away from the public then yes.		
59	But not on the bike path area		
60	Cattle are an environmental hazard in themselves. Sheep would be fine or deer.		
61	Being selfish - my dog not good with cows so would have to very careful and would be less carefree		
62	As long as there was still access in the park by horseback.		
63	cows are quite destructive, they pull grass up leaving area of very muddy land. Sheep and/ or deer are much better for the grassland.		
64	depends on breed. would they be used for meat? against that. dogs under control or on leads? latter agree with		
65	I think preservation of diversity is the most important thing for Stoke Park. I'm not bothered about whether the park is preserved to the original historic design.		
66	Cow 'emissions' is more damaging to the planet than CO2 emission from cars		
67	Not just cattle could be considered, maybe goats, sheep or deer.		
68	I would like to see the money used to improve local parks that are closer to housing £3,000,000 would make many improvements in such parks.		
69	Primarily I use the area to dog walk		
70	I do not want to see part of the ww2 gun battery buried and nor do I want it to be allowed to continue to degrade over time. I feel this is an important historical site and the whole area should be maintained		
71	more faff for dog walkers		
72	Stoke Park (especially the woods) is a doggy haven. Also, children are able to run around without too much worry about what they might step in.		
73	this is a tentative yes- i don;t know enough about this to really give a an informed answer-		
74	reduced areas to walk dogs off the lead		
75	Would restrict access for horse riders and make access to certain areas difficult for runners and dog walkers		
76	But only if good accessibility can also be maintained with gates suitable for all		
77	Frightened to death of cattle		
78	Love cows (and grazing benefits) but fences / hedgerows will make the park feel segmented/restricted and lose its "open and free" feeling		
79	I like to be able to walk my dogs without worrying about cattle		
80	I think cattle could benefit the site but what is more important in my opinion is planting more native trees and not removing too much of the scrub.		
81	It would be restrictive for my dog. The great thing about the park is that he can be off lead for the whole walk (sometimes almost 2 hours)		
82	As long as cycle movement was not restricted		

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83	Grazing animals would potentially reduce how family friendly the park is for taking young children there.		
84	I like the idea of grazing but cattle can be scary. Sheep would be a safer option.		
85	Cows can be dangerous even when dogs are on a lead. There is no need.		
86	I'm unsure but if it is the best for all wild life and has been researched probably then it would be a yes.		
87	It is a great place to let dogs free without lots of bikes, children's play areas etc. There are fewer and fewer places where this is possible.		
88	Not sure		
89	I don't like cows - why not sheep?		
90	The cow poo that would be left behind. Cows are unpredictable and dangerous and stoke park is not big enough		
91	Cows might put people off walking through certain areas Would the cows be safe?		
92	but why cattle? Sheep may be nicer and create less mud.		
93	It sounds lovely - but as a dog owner it would worry me - if it was clear where the cattle would be so you know when to put dogs on leads then it would be fine.		
94	This is a good place for dogs to run so I would not want to have to restrict them.		
95	Reduced access for dog walkers and runners		
96	Because of conflict with dogs		
97	It would restrict my use as a dog owner.		
98	NB the question below (12) has unfairly loaded answers		
99	I would worry about my dog - it's great that he can run off lead for an hour & a half stress free for us both.		
100	I'm not sure. I agree in principle however I am concerned how much of the park would then be inaccessible for those with young children as well as those with dogs.		
101	This would disrupt many dog walkers who specifically use and most rely on the freedom and space to let their dogs exercise.		
102	Dogs and people need to be able to use all of it.		
103	I'm scared of cows!		
104	Fear that lots of extra hedges/fences will take some of what makes this open space special away		
105	There are fewer and fewer places to take dogs for a run and think that cattle could present challenges for walkers even without dogs. It's a park and should be kept so.		
106	Depends on how it is done and how much restriction there is when running re gates etc.		
107	Would be yes if dog proof fencing is used - I love walking my dogs in Stoke Park, but they are uncontrollable (not aggressively) once they see livestock, so I would otherwise have to stop walking them there, which would be a HUGE disappointment.		

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108	possibly I would, but would need to really consider the fencing and make it dog proof! It's really nice to be able to walk the dogs without the worry of coming across livestock.		
109	The dogs love having such a free and large space to sprint around in		
110	Restricted use		
111	Restricting access to the areas of the path.		
112	BUT, if any gates are located on main paths, they should permit easy access by cyclists, mothers with pushchairs & wheelchair users (i.e. probably not kissing gates)		
113	Kissing gates are a nightmare for cyclists why cattle whats wrong with deer goats or sheep less management is required for these		
114	It's not a farm		
115	Animals would not be able to be kept safe		
116	Difficult access already and unable to use buggy.		
117	Huge numbers of dog walkers use area for off lead walking. Introducing cattle will mean access would be restricted for areas to walk dogs.		
118	Cattle management is a difficult and hard task, I do not believe the Council or Council run projects have the relevant knowledge or experience to properly maintain a herd of cattle.		
119	I like the open space		
120	Need careful segregation of dog exercising and grazing animals		
121	I do not think that this could be managed due to irresponsible dog owners and people who have no respect for livestock.		
122	I would be unable to walk my dogs off lead if there were cattle grazing		
123	I like the fact that dogs can roam free		
124	Who would own the cows and would they be killed for food?		
125	However it would need careful restrictions on the areas available for grazing - cattle can be quite intimidating!		
126	Not sure as most of the people walk dogs they would feel restricted.		
127	Without onsite supervision & a paid warden this will be a disaster. Hundreds of people use the site to walk dogs every week & there will always be some whose dogs cause a nuisance - this will be increasing problems in the park. Spend money actually looking after it rather than trying to find cheap solutions which will actually cause new problems.		
128	I think goats would be better for this idea, not cattle.		
129	I have ticked 'no' but I would be in favour of cattle being re-introduced IF it would still be possible for small children to move around the park without having to walk past herds of cattle, which can be very intimidating. Signage about how to safely walk past cattle would be helpful, and signage giving information about the herd, effect of grazing etc would be interesting.		

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130	Concern about damage to sensitive areas and also the ground - the park can get very boggy the cattle will make these issues worse. The fencing could be damaged which could lead to them running loose in other areas of the park. Many people walk their dogs in the park and cattle would cause a problem with this.		
131	I like how I can let my dogs roam freely over a long walk.		
132	Because I'd have to put my dog on the lead.		
133	Like so many dog walkers, I don't like walking with my dog where cattle are. Moving them around would mean I'd never know where they were. I feel my access would be restricted.		
134	Cattle = a problem where dogs are involved and they tend to churn up any ground they graze on. Just because it historically happened does not make it the right thing to do now		
135	Cattle and city dogs do not mix well. Will cause trouble for owners and the cattle alike		
136	I like Stoke Park because I can let my dog off and don't need to put him on the lead for ages and having cows will just be a worry also I have cows by me just below the Priory in the summer.		
137	We need the meadows for the encouragement of wild life species and plant species		
138	Dogs would be a problem when off leash with some people not in control		
139	Restrictions on dogs, people can also be afraid of them		
140	n/a		
141	would need to know where cattle are. and signs to warn people. and someone to keep eye on		
142	I do think the scrub should be cleared by grazing but given that a large proportion of current park users are local dogwalkers, I would like some consultation should be made with local people on the rollout of this.		
143	Restrictions when walking dog. Cow muck		
144	Only if this is done in a way so as to increase the wildflower population in the park.		
145	I enjoy exercising my dogs across the whole of the parkland. I feel safe with them here. I avoid going to open countryside to avoid livestock. I would be disappointed if I was now restricted here.		
146	Cows are in the way of bike path I want between bottom of Stoke Lane to Heath House Lane bridge		

12. The park has a historic WW2 anti-aircraft gun battery. How would you like to see this managed?

		Response Percent	Response Total
1	Leave it open for public , allowing continuing degradation over time	33.33%	220
2	Save it for future generations by burying less important parts under soil, whilst stabilising most parts for visitors and schools to see, and provide interpretation.	66.67%	440
Analysis	Mean:	1.67	Std. Deviation: 0.47
	Variance:	0.22	Std. Error: 0.02
		Satisfaction Rate: 66.67	
		answered	660
		skipped	48

13. Are you responding on behalf of an organisation?

		Response Percent	Response Total
1	Yes	2.24%	15
2	No	97.76%	656
Analysis	Mean:	1.98	Std. Deviation: 0.15
	Variance:	0.02	Std. Error: 0.01
		Satisfaction Rate: 97.76	
		answered	671
		skipped	37

If yes, could you please provide the name of the organisation: (33) **[Redacted – identifying information]**

14. We aim to build a stronger volunteer and community interest network for Stoke Park. If you would like to be kept informed please give us your name and contact details:

	Response Total
Name	100.0% (297)
Email address	100.0% (294)
[Individual email addresses redacted]	answered
	skipped
	297
	411

15. What is your age group?

		Response Percent	Response Total			
1	Under 18	0.30%	2			
2	18 – 24	2.54%	17			
3	25-44	42.00%	281			
4	45-64	40.51%	271			
5	65-74	10.31%	69			
6	Over 75	1.79%	12			
7	Prefer not to say	2.54%	17			
Analysis	Mean:	3.74	Std. Deviation: 0.94	Satisfaction Rate: 45.59	answered	669
	Variance:	0.88	Std. Error: 0.04		skipped	39








16. What is your gender?

		Response Percent	Response Total			
1	Female	55.56%	370			
2	Male	39.19%	261			
3	Prefer not to say	5.26%	35			
Analysis	Mean:	1.5	Std. Deviation: 0.6	Satisfaction Rate: 24.85	answered	666
	Variance:	0.36	Std. Error: 0.02		skipped	42




17. Are you transgender?

		Response Percent	Response Total			
1	Yes	0.31%	2			
2	No	90.63%	580			
3	Prefer not to say	9.06%	58			
Analysis	Mean:	2.09	Std. Deviation: 0.29	Satisfaction Rate: 54.37	answered	640
	Variance:	0.09	Std. Error: 0.01		skipped	68









18. What is your ethnicity?

			Response Percent	Response Total				
1	White British background		83.31%	554				
2	Other white background		5.86%	39				
3	Mixed / Dual Heritage		1.80%	12				
4	Black / Black British		0.75%	5				
5	Asian / Asian British		0.60%	4				
6	Other ethnic group		0.15%	1				
7	Prefer not to say		7.52%	50				
Analysis	Mean:	1.6	Std. Deviation:	1.64	Satisfaction Rate:	10	answered	665
	Variance:	2.68	Std. Error:	0.06			skipped	43




19. Are you disabled?

			Response Percent	Response Total				
1	Yes		6.68%	44				
2	No		85.28%	562				
3	Prefer not to say		8.04%	53				
Analysis	Mean:	2.01	Std. Deviation:	0.38	Satisfaction Rate:	50.68	answered	659
	Variance:	0.15	Std. Error:	0.01			skipped	49

20. What is your religion?

			Response Percent	Response Total				
1	No religion		56.16%	374				
2	Christian		28.38%	189				
3	Buddhist		1.20%	8				
4	Hindu		0.15%	1				
5	Jewish		0.15%	1				
6	Muslim		0.15%	1				
7	Sikh		0.00%	0				
8	Any other religion or belief		3.45%	23				
9	Prefer not to say		10.36%	69				
Analysis	Mean:	2.4	Std. Deviation:	2.6	Satisfaction Rate:	17.45	answered	666
	Variance:	6.78	Std. Error:	0.1			skipped	42

21. What is your sexual orientation?

		Response Percent	Response Total			
1	Heterosexual (straight)		77.85% 513			
2	Lesbian, Gay or Bisexual		5.46% 36			
3	Prefer not to say		16.69% 110			
Analysis	Mean:	1.39	Std. Deviation: 0.76	Satisfaction Rate: 19.42	answered	659
	Variance:	0.57	Std. Error: 0.03		skipped	49