

Your Gipton Wood'

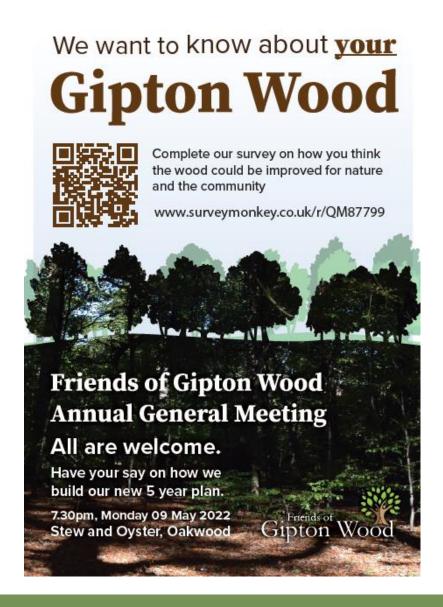
Survey results
May 2022



Your Gipton Wood' survey

Survey run to understand how Friends and the community want to see the wood improved and think it could be used better.

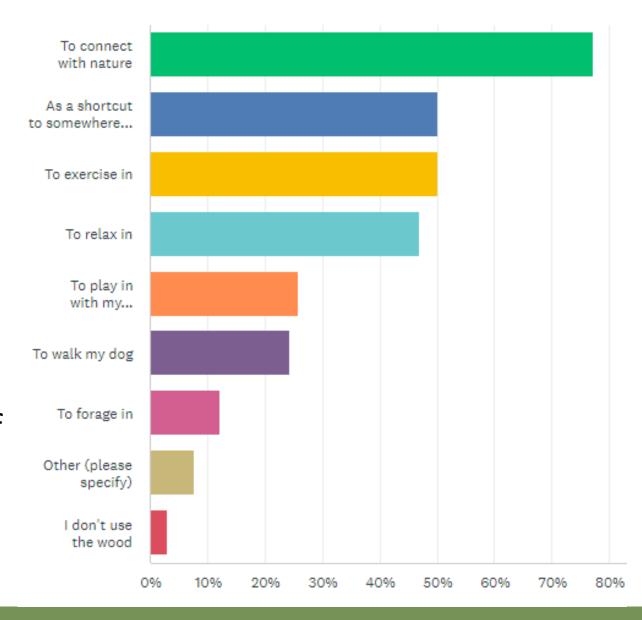
- Survey advertised to 1000+ homes around the community
- Posters placed in wood, library, Oakwood & Oakwood notice board
- Posted on social media by FOGW, REAP, Labour group, Chapel Allerton Runners and others





Clear indicators as to how people use the wood.

- How can we make it more of a destination space?
- How do we increase knowledge of the wood?

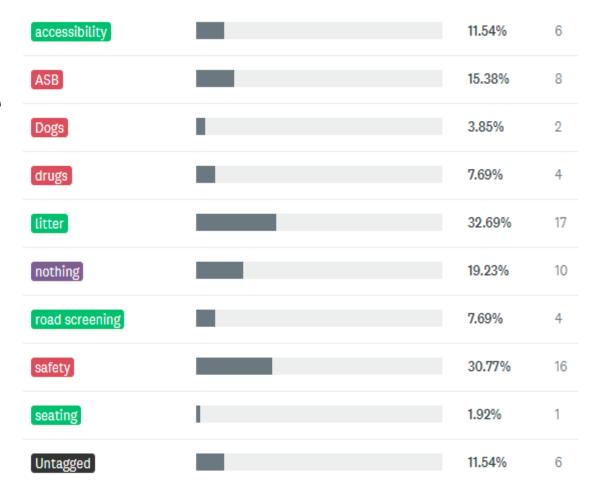




People really love having a wild space on their doorstep.

They don't like:

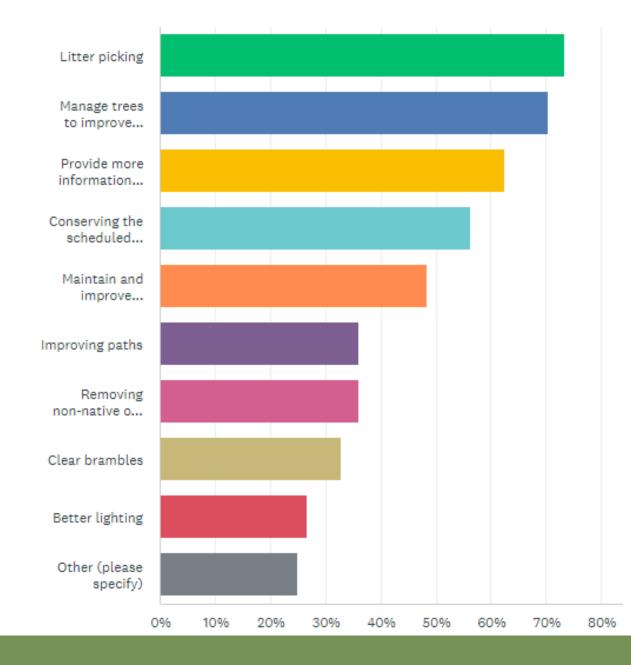
- Litter
- Feeling unsafe (inc. ASB, drugs and dogs)
- Accessibility issues
- Road noise





Respondents think we should...

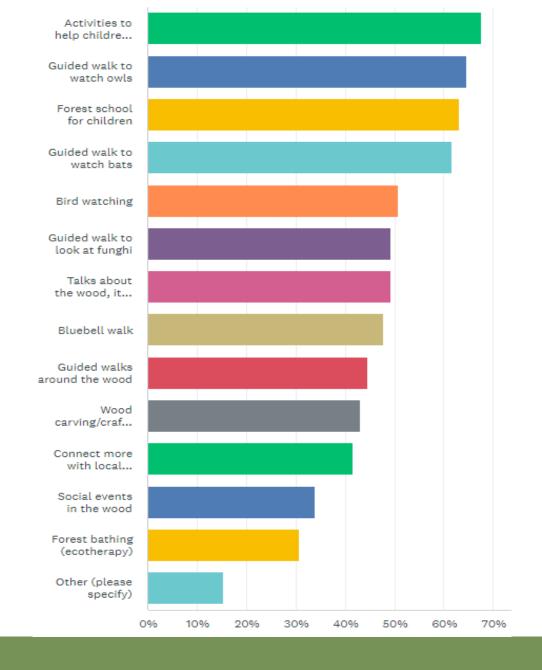
- Improve regeneration,
- Provide more information,
- Conserve the SAM,
- Improve the boundaries and paths, and
- Most of all pick litter!





Respondents would like...

- Guided walks/talks to engage with nature
- Activities for children in the wood / to engage with nature
 - Increased connectivity with local groups/schools
- Led wildlife activities, e.g. bird watching
- Help to connect with / relax in nature to improve wellbeing





Respondents would get involved with us more if...

- Diversity of opportunity
 - Different days and times
 - Range of activities
- Guidance and achievement
 - Led activities
 - Activities linked to outcomes

