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About you

Are you responding as an: individual, group / organisation, agent?

Individual

Individual

What is your name?

Individual name: Kristoffer Smith

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Individual Email:

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Address line 1:

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Town / city:

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What is your contact telephone number?

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Where would you like to go?

Submit your response to the consultation (Exit)

Comment on Sites in Settlements P to Z

Which Site are you commenting on?

Sites P-Z

Yetholm: GSYETH003: Kirk Yetholm Allotments: Greenspace

What are your comments regarding this Site?:

The above site is termed allotments. The site is not allotments but rather gardens, principally used for the growing of vegetables and fruits. This nuance in description has been thrown in to light by 20/00018/RREF. For avoidance of doubt in future, the name given to this area of greenspace must be revised and be called "gardens".

Whilst the area within this allocated greenspace is not used for community purposes it is a historic space, integral to the story and development and Kirk Yethlolm, so its inclusion as Greenspace must not be changed. Despite not being a communal space, the gardens do provide an important space for social and community interaction. The majority of gardens are tended to annually for cropping and therefore they provide a good outdoor space for people to meet and interact. Furthermore, the gardens encourage a sense of community and provide a discussion point between villagers and visitors. passing up the High Street.

I would wholeheartedly argue the gardens provide an excellent social and community benefit to the village.

What would you like to do now?

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