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## £100,000 for outdoor leisure improvements

Outdoor leisure facility improvements in Boston costing around £100,000 have been approved by Boston Borough Council's Cabinet.

The schedule of works has been drawn up by Boston Town Area Committee (BTAC) and includes improvements to public spaces across the town and to Central Park.

BTAC chairman, Cllr Nigel Welton, who is now also the town centre portfolio holder on the council Cabinet, told members that the essential works were listed after a BTAC tour of all public open spaces.

The zip wire, nest swing and criss cross rides and the body twist outdoor gym equipment in Central Park have already been repaired, and the council's own parks and grounds staff have repaired items in St John's Park,

Shelton's Field and Woodville Road where surfacing under swings was funded by Boston Big Local. There have also been repairs to the nest swing in Garfit's Lane and repairs to the Garfit's Lane changing rooms.

Planting has already taken place under trees in Woodville Road playing field of 9,000 snowdrops and bluebells, courtesy of Boston in Bloom which received bulbs and seeds worth £1,000 from Boston Seeds.

There are plans to plant more early-season bulbs, snowdrops and bluebells at other sites next autumn.

Two bug hotels, designed and made by Boston College students and donated to Boston in Bloom, will be made available for Broadfield Lane and the Central Park growing space

*Read more at <http://bit.ly/2D3lCa7>*

### Award-winning cadets make their own award

BBC Radio Lincolnshire's Scott Dalton may not have got a Blue Peter badge for his recent Viking Way charity walk, but he was awarded a shield in recognition of the radio team's efforts by Boston Police Cadets. *Read more at <http://bit.ly/2mC0UUA>*



### Council gets on its bike

A healthier, greener and more economical form of business transport is now available for staff based at Municipal Buildings.

*Read more at <http://bit.ly/2rbSetJ>*



### Triton Knoll on the hunt for Lincolnshire businesses

Local firms can find out more about potential business opportunities in connection with development of the Triton Knoll wind farm off the Lincolnshire coast.

*Read more at <http://bit.ly/2B5v7Rk>*



### Police cadets help beat winter's chill

It's cold outside, but thanks to Boston Police Cadets some families will now be able to keep themselves nice and warm. The cadets raided their own wardrobes and those of family members to donate warm winter clothing to the warm rail organised by Boston Stump.

*Read more at <http://bit.ly/2EN9ZSf>*



### ASB vacancy: Your questions answered

A vacancy for an anti-social behaviour case officer at Boston Borough Council has generated a lot of interest and questions about essential language skills, qualifications and experience.

Drop-in sessions are to be held for anyone interested so they can meet the council's community safety manager and anti-social behaviour case officers who can answer their questions.

The sessions will be held at Municipal Buildings from 10am to noon on Tuesday, January 23, and 1pm to 3pm on Thursday, January 25.

Just turn up in reception and announce your interest to the staff there.



Week 39 winner – *Read more at <http://bit.ly/2ngHd3i>*

