

Case study

Danson Park

Project: Restoration of features and provision of improved facilities

Client: London Borough of Bexley

Value: £1,470,000

Description of work

Management and installation of a project to restore Danson Park's early nineteenth century landscape and to provide improved facilities for today's park users. Work to be completed in 20 weeks with parkland remaining open to the public.

Landscaping included:

- Construction of a 103m long brick haha wall.
- Erection of 400m of galvanised boundary railings with gates.
- Renovation of gardens including vegetation clearance, levelling and reseeded of lawns, and replanting of ornamental trees and shrubs.
- Removal of old play area to facilitate restoration of parkland.
- Construction of a gravel surfaced car park.
- Earth modelling – 2,100m³ excavated, relocated and re-profiled.
- Construction of new play area, with wet play facility. 1,000m² of wet pour safety surface including graphics.
- Creation of a kiosk and public toilet facility.



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Project Summaries



Slieve Croob House, Bristol – Planting and water feature

Visitors to a new office building in north Bristol are welcomed by a water feature and planting scheme.



Village Leisure Hotel, Maidstone – Landscaping grounds

Landscaping the grounds of this new leisure hotel in Maidstone, Kent. Works included landscaping and planting the surrounding access areas, and supply of hanging baskets and barrels adjacent to the main hotel entrance.



City Airport – Landscaping of four new DLR stations

Ornamental landscaping project at four new stations on the recently opened London City Airport extension to the Docklands Light Railway. Tilhill Forestry completed work at London City Airport, King George V, West Silvertown and Pontoon Dock stations.



Armed Forces Memorial, Alrewas – Soft landscaping

Tilhill Forestry's BALI award winning work on the Armed Forces Memorial was a £210,000 contract for landscaping at the National Arboretum, Alrewas, awarded by Geoffrey Osborne.

