

## Sheffield Council proposals (11 March 2017):

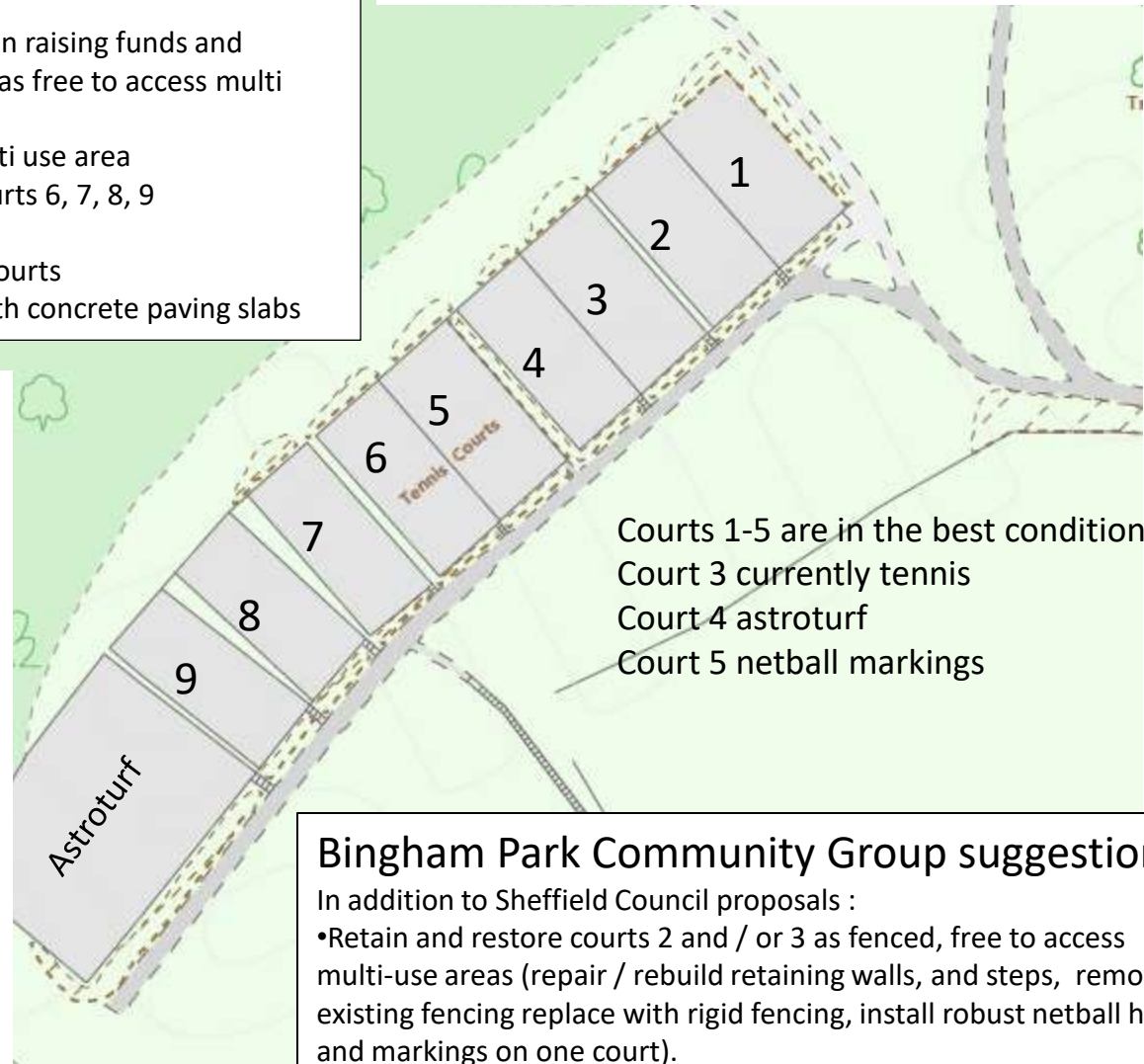
- Re-furbish courts 4 & 5 (pay-to-play – maintenance by outside contractor)
- Support Bingham Park Community Group in raising funds and assistance for renovation of courts 2 and 3 as free to access multi activity areas..
- Retain court 1 as un-fenced, surfaced multi use area
- Remove fencing and retaining walls on courts 6, 7, 8, 9
- Retain astroturf & rigid fencing
- Repair steps and access path to retained courts
- Replace tarmac footpath to golf course with concrete paving slabs

If you would like to give feedback on the proposals, please email [binghamparkcommunitygroup@gmail.com](mailto:binghamparkcommunitygroup@gmail.com)

## Bingham Park Community Group consultation

### summary:

- The community value the courts area and are keen to be involved in improving it.
- Many people use the courts to play tennis, but also for a range of other informal activities including roller-skating, scooters, ball games, dog training, picnics.
- People would welcome the refurbishment of some courts as tennis courts, and most would be happy to pay-per-play, as long as some free-to-access courts were retained for informal play and other court sports for groups, e.g. netball.
- People are keen to see the low-key development of the courts area for a variety of other outdoor recreation including strong support for a small scooter and skateboard park, and a bike skills area.



Courts 1-5 are in the best condition  
Court 3 currently tennis  
Court 4 astroturf  
Court 5 netball markings

## Bingham Park Community Group suggestions:

In addition to Sheffield Council proposals :

- Retain and restore courts 2 and / or 3 as fenced, free to access multi-use areas (repair / rebuild retaining walls, and steps, remove existing fencing replace with rigid fencing, install robust netball hoops and markings on one court).
- Install seating areas at the edge of court 1
- In addition to SCC plans for courts 6-9, develop proposals for alternative uses of these areas (e.g. mini scooter / skate park; bike skills, trim trails)