



Abbotswell Road, Aberdeen

Natural play area in urban Site

Client: Stewart Milne Homes

Address: Abbotswell Road, Aberdeen, Aberdeenshire, AB12 3AB

Budget: £22,500

Age Range: Junior

Project Story

Aberdeen is the third-largest city in Scotland, known as The Granite City because of the grey stone used for many of the buildings. This residential housing development near the River Dee includes new four-story apartments which overlook the junior play area on three sides. The decision to create a natural play area has been a great success and looks fantastic due to the natural surroundings in which it sits. The Robinia timber play equipment compliments the surrounding trees perfectly. There is a large multiplay unit for children aged three and over, a set of swings and a springer. The new equipment accommodates up to 34 children at any one time.

After



Before



“ This is another fantastic play area provided for us by Proludic that met our brief and has exceeded expectations! ”

Laura Cruikshank - Quantity Surveyor, Stewart Milne Group



Multiplay Unit



Multiplay Unit



Springer



Swings



Play For Housing

Public open space should be seen as an integrated, connected system of green spaces, providing recreational activity. Play areas within housing developments are very important for residents moving there. Over 85% of people say that good quality public spaces has a direct impact on their lives and the way that they feel each day.

Source, Berkeley Group - Not Just Housebuilding Brochure