

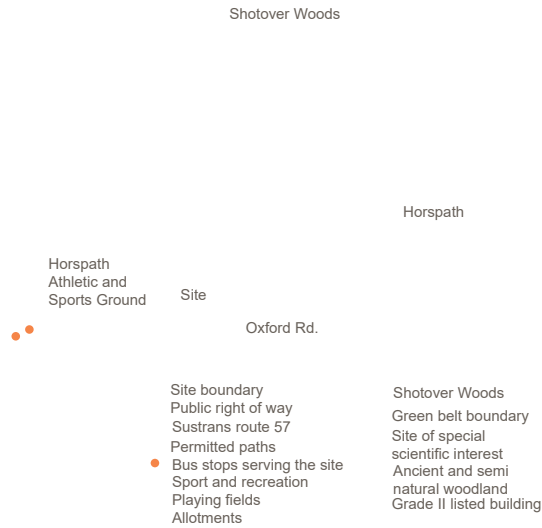
# Oxford Burial Meadow

## Outline Design Proposals

Oxford City Council plan to create a new green space and low impact burial meadow on Council owned land off Oxford Road towards Horspath. Key stakeholders including the Interfaith Forum have helped shape the design brief. The site is accessible by bus, bike and car, with a new footpath link planned to the existing Council owned carpark. Disabled and cycle parking will be on site, as well as water points and benches. Full visitor information for the new site will be provided on the Council website.

These boards set out the key objectives and outline design proposals.

## The Site



## Site location and context

## Landscape Character

Thaile Park, France

Textured concrete

Self binding gravel

Mown path

Individual benches

Peter August Bockstiegel Museum, Germany

Timber Headstone

Loose gravel

Matt Stone Headstone

Timber sign posts

Sketch of entrance points to the burial meadow

1. Year 1 - 5

Initial headstones with mown lawn

Remaining space managed as a wildflower meadow

New trees planted

2. Year 5-10

Further headstones with mown lawn

Meadow maintained outside of burial areas

Planted trees begin to mature

3. Year 10-15

Area of initial headstones managed to includes longer grass and meadow

Mown lawn to active burial space

Planted trees now semi mature

4. Year 20+

Burial space managed to allow wildflower to grow

Planted trees now mature

## Photo of the existing site

## Management of the burial meadow grasslands over time

