



Verity Park Report 2021-2022

1 MAINTENANCE

In general, the park is in a good condition. JCPZ are supportive in terms of bin clearing, replacement of broken bins, and grass cutting.

Through the efforts of Billy the Dog walker, much of the dog waste that walkers ignore is cleared. Not only is the man he employs removing waste, he also generally cleans up the park, particularly the worrisome Liquid Amber seedpods.

The greatest challenge is still the issue of the many users of the park who bring dogs. With three bag stations, extensive signage, and adequate receptacles for full bags, there are still far too many people who choose to ignore their responsibility to clean up. The park is not for the exclusive use of dogs! Families with children want to enjoy the park, as much as those who walk their dogs. Sadly, they cannot. It is the dog handler's obligation to clear up. Please remember to do so.

2 USER GROUP

The Verity Park User Group has primarily focused on raising funding to compensate Billy for the work he does, and to purchase bags and gloves. Currently the bank balance is not particularly healthy, and any contributions are welcome, the account details are:

Verity Park User Group
Nedbank Greenside
Account number 1003267173
Branch code 198765

3 VERITY PARK ADOPTION

As most of you know, PRABOA formally adopted the park in 2017. The adoption is for a period of five years, and expires in August 2022. JCPZ have been approached for the adoption agreement to be extended for a further period of five years.