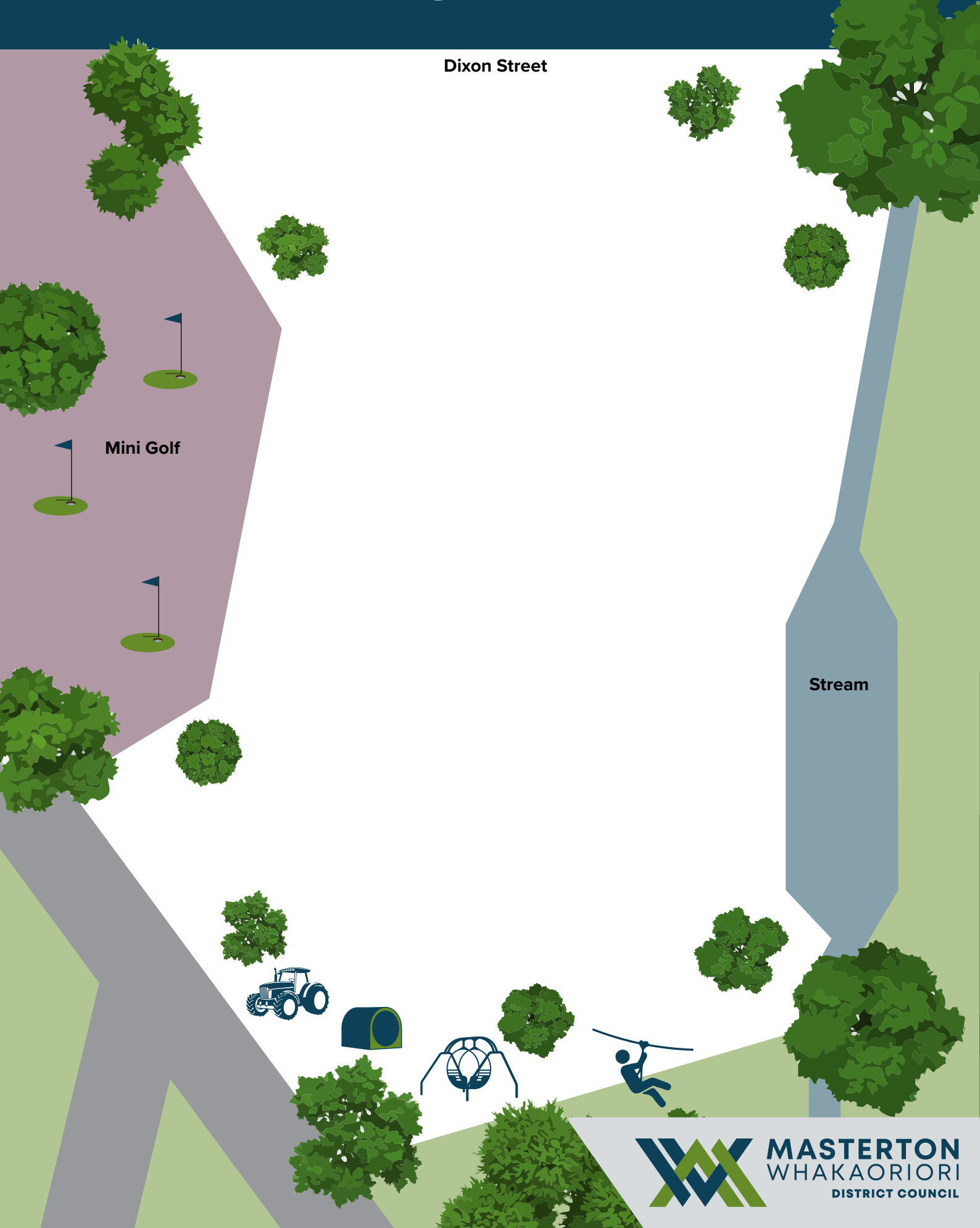


Draw us your vision



The future of Kids Own Playground



After being at the centre of fun and play for tamariki of Masterton, and all over Aotearoa, the Kids Own Playground in Queen Elizabeth Park near Dixon Street is approaching the end of it's usable life. This park has provided fun and memories for several generations, and we want to make sure it is future proofed and accessible of many future generations to come.

As Mastertonians, we love this playground and know that our community does too. A lot of people were involved in the Rotary Club of Masterton South project to build it 25 years ago. But the wood has now reached the end of its life, and we want ideas on how to replace this part of the playground (just to be clear, we're only talking about the wooden structure, not the area that includes the flying fox, tractor, turning barrel, or giant swing).

Masterton South Rotary Club, in partnership with Masterton District Council, will be upgrading the park ready for the future. We as Council are contributing the funding for the park, and the Rotary Club will be fundraising to add to the Council's contribution.

Playgrounds have changed over the past 25 years, and we can now create fun spaces, in a sustainable and accessible way, to meet the needs of a wide range of users.

What we want to hear from you about:



what you and your whānau really like about the current Kids Own playground



what you and your whānau think could be included in a new Kids Own playground – maybe things you have seen in other places.

Tell us what you think

Please provide your feedback by Sunday 24 May 2026. For more information please refer to the engagement document and supporting information on our website: whatsup.mstn.govt.nz

Once completed, you can either:



Scan this feedback form, and email to: submissions@mstn.govt.nz



Post it to Masterton District Council, PO Box 444, Masterton 5840, or



Drop a printed copy to the Masterton District Library or our Customer Service Centre, Waiata House, 27 Lincoln Road, Masterton.

Your details

Name

Age

Email

Would you like to receive updated information about this project? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please note:

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Your thoughts

Here are 12 Pieces of play equipment, rate them 1-5 (1=I really want one, 5=I don't like these):

Swings	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Slides	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
See-saws	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Sensory panels	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Merry-Go-Rounds	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Tunnels	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Spring-Riders	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Playhouses/structures	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Balance equipment (stepping stones, beams etc.)	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Climbing walls/ structures	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Monkey bars	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)
Trampolines	☐ 1 (I really want one)	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5 (I don't like these)

What other equipment should we think about for the new playground?