

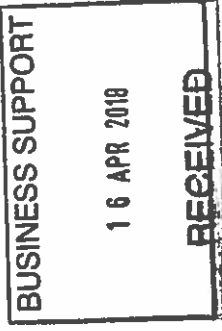


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End of project impact report

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Project Details

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IMPACT REPORT FOR PERIOD Nov '17 TO Mar '18



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Q1 In no more than 500 words please outline the key outcomes of your project.

We have created a stone story circle which has already become a school landmark. It has been featured in twitter and website releases. The pupils have already started to use the circle albeit seasonal use is just beginning when writing this report.

<http://www.riverside.n-yorks.sch.uk/news/452-our-stone-story-circle>

Q2 In no more than 500 words please demonstrate how the project has met the Community Development Plan objectives that were identified in the original application for funding.

Heritage: This project has preserved a piece of history for the town. It has created a great talking point for the children now and for children in years to come about the bridge, what happened to it and how the school and local community supported the town at the time. We added a plaque to commemorate the work.

Education: Unfortunately, the weather has not allowed good winter usage of the circle. It has been used for playtime reading and also for peer mediation work where groups of pupils sit on the circle and jointly problem solve. Our debating team went out to the circle to practise – they did win the Selby Area round and are now on to the NYCC finals in June!



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Q3 In no more than 250 words please give details of any additional benefits or objectives that the project has met that were not anticipated/ outlined in the original application for funding.

Heritage: We would hope to use some pictures of our circle as part of the 2019 bridge anniversary celebrations

Any other comments on the project and its success:

We had planned a full 'formal' launch of the circle for World Book Day with a visiting author, dignitaries, radio and print media coverage. The children were to wear 'book character outfits' etc. Unfortunately, the school was closed due to snow and then when we went to re-run a week later it was again too inclement to properly launch.

We have another visiting author coming in June – we are planning a re-launch at that time as we have 7 visiting schools also so should capture media interest