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**PRESS RELEASE  
LITTLE WEEK PLAY PARK**

Dawlish Town Council is delighted to announce the start of refurbishment works on Little Week Play Park on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September. The cost of the project is approximately £40K and the scheme has been brought forward by the Council's Civic Amenities Committee. It is anticipated the play park will be re-open again after three weeks.

Little Week Play Park is situated within the Little Week Close housing estate and is well used by local children. The play park is the only one in Dawlish which is the responsibility of Dawlish Town Council. The refurbishment works involve removing old equipment and installing new equipment including: a climbing frame; swings; a circular basket swing; and a picnic bench along with new and more level surfacing. Residents have been consulted on the design and equipment. The works will be carried out by Wicksteed playgrounds. An artist's impression of the new design is shown with this press release.

The Mayor of Dawlish Councillor Alison Foden said "I am really looking forward to seeing the new appearance of the play park and am sure it will be a fun place for local children to visit." An official celebration party is being planned for shortly after the site re-opens.

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