

Dear All,

I have received a reply from Eton College regarding the mutli-use route trial, agreeing to a one year trial for most of the route:

The College will accept a trial over parts of the proposed routes, provided it is clear that it has absolute discretion not to continue after the trial year should it wish not to do so and that in that event the Council will do its best to stop what it is imagined will by then be an established use pattern.

The College is opposed to the section through its immediate grounds – from the Common Lane Pumping Station, under 15 Arch Bridge, across College Field and Agar's Plough – being used by horses. It would also like to know what, if any, arrangements will be made with regard to the collection of horse droppings.....

I may have mentioned this previously but if you have not already done so please consult Mr Kinross at Manor Farm, Eton Wick, who is the tenant farmer on North and South Fields.

There will be some need to address the issues above about horse droppings and plan for what will need to be done if Eton College wish to withdraw permission after the trial period and this may require barriers being installed to prevent use.

I will now be arranging to contact the Environment Agency and Mr Kinross, I will let you know the outcome as soon as possible.

Thanks and Best Regards,

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