

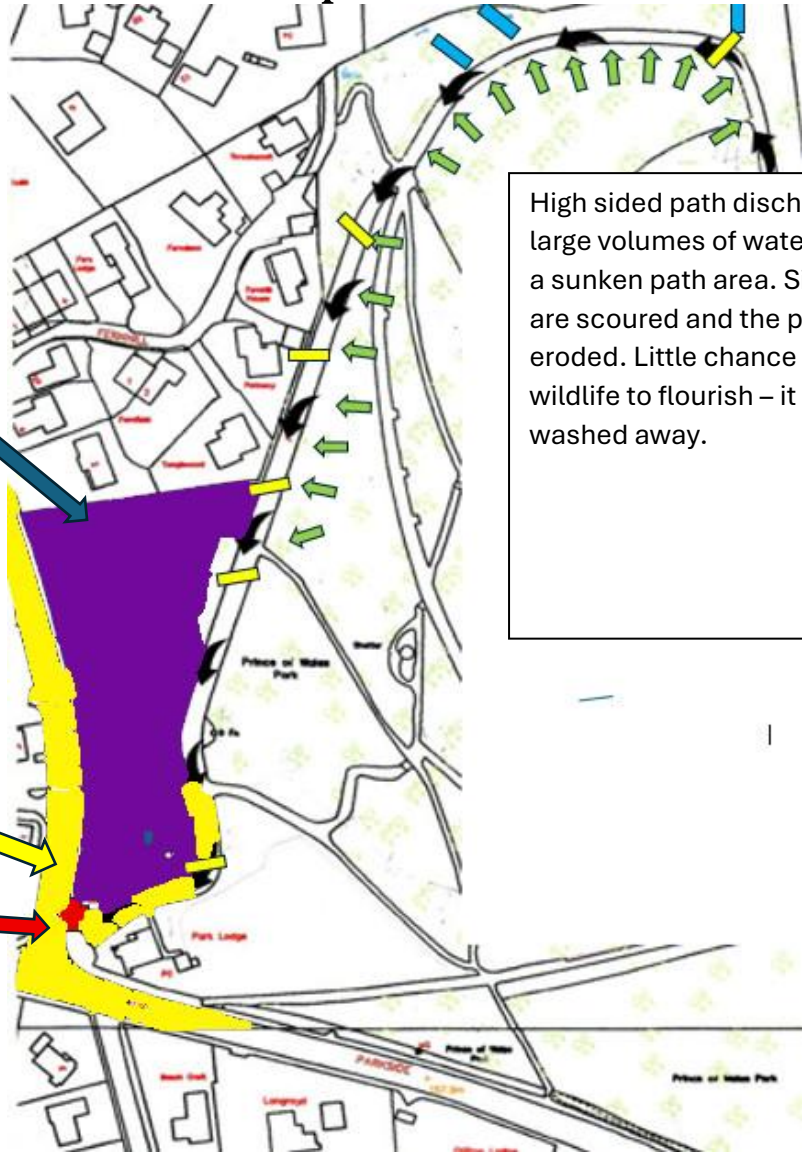
Problems in the park

Water and silt run down from the top of the park. Heavy rain leads to this area (includes play equipment) being regularly flooded. Lots of potential habitat regularly washed away. Excess run off breaches the wall across Lady Lane – a winter hazard!

Water and silt run out of the park, but only one access point for the park to discharge into the main sewer. Drains near the lodge become blocked. Silt and run off end in the river as it bypasses the sewer system in places







Main entrance

High sided path discharges large volumes of water into a sunken path area. Sides are scoured and the path eroded. Little chance for wildlife to flourish – it gets washed away.



These issues are not new BUT the climate has changed. The original water management system, designed in Victorian times cannot cope with the longer, heavier and more frequent rain fall we now have

Key

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|  | Groyne |
|  | Site of steep sided incline – run off onto paths |
|  | Existing access to main drain |
|  | Water flow direction |
|  | Settling pond |
|  | Soak away |