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Sent: 09 September 2026 17:08
To: Planning
Subject: Comments for Planning Application DC/26/1321

Categories: Comments Received

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

Planning Application comments have been made. A summary of the comments is provided below.

Comments were submitted at 09/09/2026 5:08 PM.

Application Summary

Address:	Colgate Memorial Hall Forest Road Colgate West Sussex RH13 6HS
Proposal:	Installation of children's play equipment.
Case Officer:	Halima Chowdhury

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Customer Details

Address: Brookdale Farm Bungalow, Brookdale Farm West Chilmington lane Horsham

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Member of the Public
Stance:	Customer made comments in support of the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	- Other
Comments:	I strongly support the application to reinstate the playpark in Colgate. I have four children who have grown up in the village, and my older children have very happy memories of using the previous park when they were younger. Having now been without a village playpark for many years, I have really seen what a loss this has been for younger children and families in our community. I also work as a nursery practitioner at the preschool directly opposite the proposed playpark, so I see every day just how important outdoor play is for children's physical development, confidence, wellbeing and social skills. A safe and accessible local play area would provide a genuinely valuable space for children to be active, play together and spend more time outdoors. With a preschool and primary school in the village, there are many children and families who

would benefit from having this facility within their own community. It would also provide a natural place for families to meet and help strengthen the lovely sense of community that Colgate already has.

As both a mum of four who remembers the value of the previous park and a nursery practitioner working with young children in the village, I wholeheartedly support this application. I believe reinstating the playpark would be a much needed and extremely positive addition to Colgate, benefiting local children and families now and for many years to come.
Many thanks
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Kind regards

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