

Ballswood Quarry

Concept Restoration Objectives

Aim - To create a distinct, sustainable, agriculturally and wildlife managed landform and landscape, which is capable of integration and enhancement into the adjacent Wooded Lowland Valleys, Open Rolling Lowland and Flat Open Lowland Farmland Aspect Areas, and a restored Site which is appropriate for wildlife enhanced agricultural land.

Features to include:

- Northern and Western wooded scarp landform / backcloth to the restored quarry
- Retention of bare sandy ground linking into the SSSI, for geological interest and biodiversity enhancement
- Additional native woodland planting, linking into Cockpit Wood along the southern boundary of the Site
- Creation of landforms suitable for future agricultural production.
- Establishment of surface water management / wildlife enhancement management pools

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LEGEND

- Application Boundary
- Existing ROMP / Planning Permission Boundary
- Contours (2m intervals m aOD)
- Existing Woodland Blocks
- Proposed Native Woodland & Shrub Planting
- Proposed Species Rich Grassland / Proposed Sandy Substrate Habitat Creation
- Proposed Wetland / Ephemeral Grassland
- Proposed Agricultural Land
- Proposed Wildlife / Surface Water Management Pools
- Commercial / Industrial Land including the Homestead Garage / Site Maintenance Area
- Public Rights of Way (PROW)

This drawing illustrates the restoration proposals for land within Area A, which is to be achieved via mineral extraction and subsequent restoration, and Area B, where no mineral extraction is to take place - set within the context of a potential Concept Restoration Scheme for the whole Quarry.

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Ballswood Quarry

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Concept Restoration

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