Royal Burgh of Peebles Callants Club
Bench & Picnic Table project

The Objectives and Constitution of the Callants Club

- To preserve and stimulate interest in the history and traditions of the Royal and Ancient Burgh of Peebles
- To encourage the cultivation of local sentiment and to foster local literature and song

The Callants club are looking to source funding from the Small Schemes Budget to enable us to upgrade several benches in Hay Lodge Park and add 4 picnic tables within the park for locals and visitors alike to enjoy the surroundings. Some benches have been repaired but many do need replaced / upgraded.

We also wish to supply 2 picnic tables to Victoria park next to the new playpark to provide extra seating for families. There is limited seating within the new playpark and many families currently have to stand or sit on the grass.

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The callants Club would be looking to purchase 6 benches and 6 picnic tables in total.
We have been quoted £350 per bench to be supplied and installed on slabbed footings
And approx. £107 per picnic table supplied (materials only, Callants to construct)
Funding from the Small Schemes Budget would reduce our costs by 50%

The following pages show existing benches we would like to replace and also the areas in
Hay Lodge Park and Victoria Park that we would like to install picnic tables

Victoria Park Playpark – 2 x picnic tables

2 x benches – Hay Lodge Park, South side of Tweed, next to path leading to Fotheringham bridge

2 x picnic tables, South side of Tweed on grass area leading to Fotheringham bridge

2 x picnic tables, North side of Tweed adjacent to the fenced playpark

1 x bench to be replaced, North side of Tweed, lower grass area to East of Fotheringham bridge

1 x bench to be replaced, steps down from rugby pavilion, next to salt hut

2 x benches to be installed in Hay Lodge Hospital garden. Callants are funding a new wheelchair friendly path in this area and benches would be required as well