



Bickleigh Barracks Memorial Garden

As a tribute to their fallen comrades, the Marines of the 42 Royal Commando raised the money needed to commission and install an 8ft bronze statue of a Royal Marine. The pathways around the memorial garden were upgraded at the same time with resin bound and a distinctive aggregate containing a dynamic mix of light, dark and red stones was installed.

The project was completed in early 2022 in time for the Falklands veterans to mark the 40th anniversary of the Battle of Mount Harriet, which was critical in ending the conflict in June 1982. They were joined by current serving personnel and families in paying their respects to those that didn't return.

The pathways before consisted of square blocks that had become uneven over time and a trip hazard. The solution was to introduce smooth even routes and the Leeson resin bound product was chosen for its decorative, porous and anti-slip properties. This means that it not only looks good, but the rainwater won't collect on the surface, but drain through, and will reduce the risk of slipping during the winter.

Project Key Facts

Product: PU4844/60

Area: 300m²

Date: October 2021