

Scarborough, South Cliff Shelters

Before repair Shelter 1



Comments made before re- pair.

Large shelter on main path from Spa Chalet to The Spa. Sound modern roof, but guttering has gone. Some floor tiles missing. Seating reasonable, definitely usable. Good view. From a design stand-point it is quite simple and practical rather than picturesque.

Repaired Shelter pictured November 2007



Comments made after repair.
Floor tile repairs have been a major improvement.

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Before repair Shelter 2



Comments made before repair.

Large shelter near back of The Spa buildings. Beautiful building with gables and coved ceiling. Roof badly in need of repair: broken and slipped red tiles. Half of the seating missing. Half the timber wall cladding missing. Some timber frontage missing. Fire damaged. The hydrangeas in front make the building look even prettier.

Comments made after repair.

Looks stunning!

Even the outside seating areas have been reinstated!

Repaired Shelter pictured November 2007



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Before repair Shelter 3



Comments made before repair.

It is near the top of the Paxton Staircase at the rear of The Spa. The timber detailing on this seems to be the most elaborate of any of the shelters. Shows signs of recent small fire. Ceramic tiled floor. Sound modern roof and guttering

Comments made after repair.

The planting of heathers in front of the shelter will improve the overall appearance.

Repaired Shelter pictured September 2008



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Before repair Shelter 4



Repaired Shelter pictured November 2007



Comments made before repair.

Large substantial structure in concrete. Wooden roof shingles. Roof very badly damaged. (half roof, half pergola). No seating at all. Lots of graffiti. Good open view. Potentially very attractive.

Comments made after repair.

Looks very good. The structure enhances the appearance of the park. Some repainting still needs doing.

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Before repair Shelter 5



Repaired Shelter pictured November 2007



Comments made before repair.

Large, substantial shelter. Roof badly damaged. Signs of fire damage. Most of seating intact. Stone and concrete floor. Graffiti. Good view of Italian Gardens. Very attractive building. Rather untidy. In view of the damage to both shelters and the statue in the Italian Gardens, it would seem a good idea to consider the feasibility of installing a CCTV camera here.

Comments made after repair.

A vast improvement although some details still need attention. A deep crack in the floor needs attention as there is a void beneath.

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Before repair Shelter 6



Comments made before repair.

Substantial building of stone, concrete and stucco. Classical style. Half roofed, half pergola. Large hole in roof. Under drawing of roof has disappeared. Many roof tiles damaged and displaced. Stone and concrete floor. Bench intact. Little graffiti. Very attractive. Gives good view of Italian gardens

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Comments made after repair.

A vast improvement although some details still need attention.

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General View of Shelter 7



Comments made before repair.

Very substantial in both size and construction. No fixed seating. Timber pergola at the front. Concrete construction. No graffiti!! Attractive classical style with columns. Very clean and tidy.

Wonderful view southwards. In good condition except for a hole in the pergola.

Comment after repair

This shelter is well used by the public and incorporates a Public Toilet which is important facility.

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General View of Shelter 8



Comments made before repair.

Large, once-attractive building, but now in very bad condition. Not much external timber. Walls internally ceramic tiled. Red tiled roof, many tiles slipped and broken. Suspect vandals have caused some of the damage. Ceramic tiled floor very dirty and untidy, with lots of tiles missing. Guttering damaged. Wonderful open view. Internally timber ceiling seems sound, but there is a crack in the wall tiles showing daylight through. Seating almost unusable. This shelter is in most immediate need of attention.

Comments made after repair.

This shelter has had some work done by the Council and the painting has been done by volunteers. It is still in need of a more thorough job but now looks presentable and the roof is weather proof.

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Before repair Shelter 9



Repaired Shelter pictured November 2007



Comments made before repair.

Attractive building. Roof seems intact. Seats still usable. Graffiti inside. Some guttering missing. Needs repainting. Some timber decay internally. No view because of trees. Lamp-post (might give night-time security?)

Comments made after repair.

Looks stunning!

It was a shame that replacement fish scale roof tiles could not be sourced.

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Before repair Shelter 10



Repaired Shelter pictured November 2007

Comments made before re-pair.

This is very close to shelter 9, but a very different design. Roof seems intact. Seat just about usable. Graffiti inside. Internal timber damage. Needs repainting. No view because of trees. Attractive building.



Comments made after repair.

Looks very smart.
New bench fitted.

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Before repair Shelter 11



Repaired Shelter pictured September 2007



Comments made before repair.

Some roofing felt missing. Internal timber missing. No seat at all. Graffiti inside. Needs repainting. View through trees to roof of Spa Grand Hall and sea. 3 trees in front of shelter have been thinned/pruned.

Comments made after repair.

Looks stunning!

Found two ladies who were on holiday having a very happy time reading a book in this shelter.

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Before repair Shelter 12



Comments made before repair.

This shelter was badly fire damaged. A particularly attractive shelter and quite large. Lamp-post nearby clearly did not provide security! Not much view from this shelter.

Comments made after repair.

Repaired Shelter pictured September 2007



Looks stunning!

This will need close monitoring because the "drinkers" seem to like the location!

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Before repair Shelter 13



Comments made before repair.

Small, simple shelter. Mainly stone with timber side half-walls and roof. Roofing felt coming off. Graffiti. There is a memorial bench inside. No lighting nearby. Very secluded on a dead-end path. Good view over the sea and Scarborough.

Comments made after repair.

Looks very smart. Funding for the repair was provided by Yorkshire Forward and North Yorkshire County Council
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Repaired Shelter pictured June 2008

