



# IMERYS



## Community drop in for Imerys Bridewells extension plans

November 2024

An opportunity for the public to view Imerys' plans to extend its ball clay quarry at Wareham has been announced.

The event will be held on Monday 25 November at 3 - 7pm, at the Springfield Country Hotel, Wareham, BH20 5AL - in the 'Lakeside Suite'.

All those interested in viewing the plans are invited to drop-in to ask questions and share feedback. An expert team will be on hand, encompassing planning, geology, processing, and management.

Julian Berry, real estate and business development manager for Imerys said *"Our proposal seeks to extend the quarry to the west to enable the extraction of around 450,00 tonnes of ball clay - by phased extraction from around 2028. Ball clay from Dorset has been worked commercially for over 250 years and is of international importance.*

*"Ecology is at the forefront of our plans. Deciduous woodland between the existing footprint of Dorey's Quarry and this extension, known as Bridewells, will be protected. Our planned restoration will create thriving habitats for the future and ensure a biodiversity net gain. We welcome those who wish to come and learn more to attend "*

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