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Site Address: Area known as Killer Hill West Leek Staffordshire Leek

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Comments: I currently have horses stabled at Westwood Hall Farm and spent a lot of my time there both in the day and evening time. I have witnessed first hand the entitled people trespassing over the land and even the yard area to the rear house and where the families small children play . I have on a number of occasions told people to leave as felt the safety of the children was at risk.

If the area was passed as a village green I fear this problem would only get worse. in my opinion there is no need for a village green here as there are plenty of public access open spaces within the leek area and there are even legal public footpaths only just across the river that people already have access to providing the same views and in the same beautiful countryside. it is ridiculous to try to steal 40 acres or so of a farmers land to provide a " village green" which is no where near a village . the access for Rudyard is permissive from the railway and can be withdrawn at any time this does not count as public access and means there is no public access to get on the proposed land. The farm was for sale for a long time if the few entitled people who trespass on the had put their hands in their pockets and bought it they could have done whatever they liked with it but oh no they want someone else to have the financial burden and them to enjoy the benefit. Are you for real !

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