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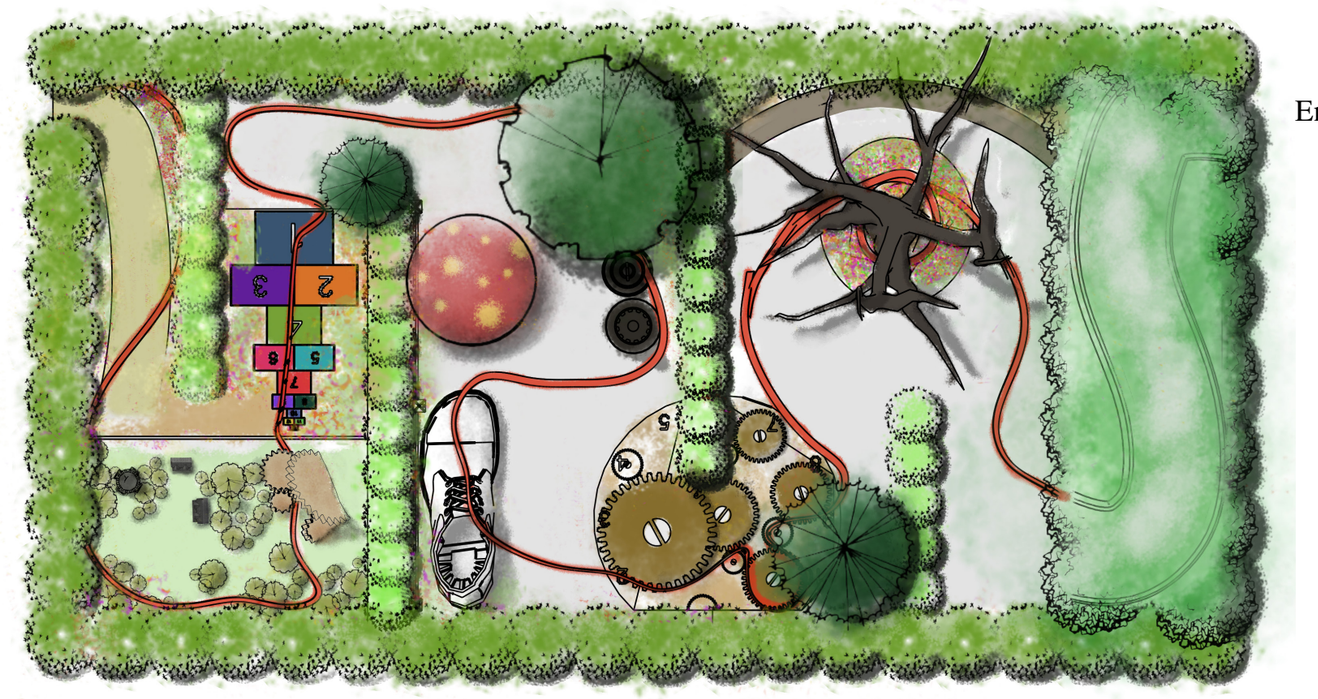
CONCEPT

As the population of the world ages we need to be able to create outdoor spaces that not only focus on the young, fit and healthy we need to provide spaces that stimulate and “activate” the elderly. The garden entitled “You are never too old” is a garden created to remind Baby Boomers of their childhood and give them the opportunity of sharing their memories. The garden takes you on a journey through the memory of someone older and showing you parts of their lives that were precious when they were younger. Just like Alice you enter a new world through a rabbit hole and are lead around the garden that offers surprise upon surprise. Using stories and visual signposts you are reminded of being a small child in a big world and a child who used to play simple games like hopscotch, hide and seek and piggy in the middle. You find yourself in enchanted forests and walking the yellow brick road all along telling your children about stories of when you were their age whilst reminiscing yourself.

Exit



Entrance

GARDEN LAYOUT PLAN | 1:100

SUGGESTED PLANTS

Ivy hedges
Daisy flowers
Miniature conifers
Miniature mat daisy

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LEGEND

1) Rabbit Hole (Alice in Wonderland)
2) Story Tree
3) Once Upon A Time
4) Land of the Giants (Gulliver's Travels)
5) Magical Corridor
6) Lillyput (Gulliver's Travels)
7) Yellow Brick Road (Wizard of Oz)

RABBIT HOLE ENTRANCE

LAND OF THE GIANTS