Visit Date: 23rd May 2017 (met Simon James, Director of Sport)

Owner: Independent Catholic Day School for Girls (early years to sixth form) - a foundation with charitable status

Facilities: Hard Courts 4 No. (tennis/netball) with low level lighting; Sports Hall (2 ct); Dance Studio; Playing Field.

(School PE swimming at Alton Leisure Centre, and hockey at Alton FC 3G. School teams play to high standard).

*The school has aspirations to extend its community links and its sports facilities for use by both the school and community clubs and groups. Sports facility priorities are a hockey compliant AGP (the school currently hires the Alton FC 3G pitch which is not a suitable surface) and a larger sports hall. If provided, the AGP would take up approximately half of the school’s playing field which is located between Eggars School playing field and Diggers Field (the upper section of Anstey Park). Planning unlikely for floodlights in this location (environmental impact).*

Pitch Quality: N/A - no community availability to playing field.
Hard courts have poor standard lighting and playing surface.

Ancillary Quality: GOOD

Management Type: School (in house)

Use: A community badminton group (un-constituted) regularly hire the 2 courts in the Sports Hall in term time.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE

- Consider enhancing netball court surface and lighting to provide a base for community club training as a possible alternative option to upgrading the former courts on the Town Council’s site opposite Anstey Park
Visit Date: May 23rd 2017 (met Jackie Edmunds, Business Manager and Clare Saunders, H&S Co-ordinator)

Owner: Academy School

Facilities: AGP (full size, sand filled); Sports Hall (4 court); Drama/Dance Studio; Gymnasium; Hard Courts (netball/tennis); Playing Field with football/rugby pitches

Pitch Quality: AGP: poor, worn surface (goal mouths in particular) installed 2003/4 and needs re-sanding and lining in short term and resurfacing in medium to long term. Short term rejuvenation of playing surface completed by school in Dec 2017.

Grass pitches: POOR. Compacted and not well-draining, ad hoc use by Cub Scouts and St Lawrence Primary (adjacent). No capacity for hire at weekends to community clubs.

Ancillary Quality: STANDARD - 2 sets of team changing rooms available to hirers of AGP and Sports Hall

Management Type: School (in house).

Use: AGP: Alton Hockey club have seasonal hire agreement with School for use of AGP and changing rooms on Saturdays (9am to 4pm) and Sundays (10am to 4pm) from 1st September to 30th April and for summer holiday camps. Also used during day by Alton College, St Lawrence School, CM Sports (after school clubs - primary)

Hard Courts: Alton Social Netball Club, CM Sports

Sports Hall: Alton Cricket Club, Ropley Cricket Club, Kingsley Cricket Club - winter nets; Alton United Walking Football; CM Sports; Baton Twirling group; Netball Now (EN initiative); Rotherfield Cub Scouts

Studio: Ballet; Gym: Zumba; Insanity; CM Sports

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Renew the AGP playing surface in medium term
- Provide floodlights and extend hours of use, subject to planning, to meet growing capacity needs of Alton Hockey Club particularly for midweek training.
Visit dates: 22nd February & 24th May 2017

Owner: Alton Town Council (met Leah Coney, Town Clerk, Ty Smith, Grounds Manager)

Facilities: Football: 'Anstey Park Enclosure' comprising: 1 floodlit full size FA Registered 3G pitch with dug outs, spec stand and pavilion (S106 funding in 2016), leased to Alton FC.


Pitch Quality: Football AGP: VERY GOOD (FA Registered 3G in fenced enclosure).

Rugby: POOR (M1/D0) all 4 pitches. Open and very wet site - water runs down slope. Lost 10 wks in 2015/16 season. Vehicle track damage evident on Feb site visit - legacy of pitch use for community events (Bus Rally, Flyball Dog event etc). Club rates pitches as 2/5.

Ancillary Quality: Football: VERY GOOD (within 3G Enclosure).

Rugby: GOOD. Finnimore Pavilion has 8 en-suite changing rooms (one used as physiotherapy room) and large en-suite officials' room, plus TC Grounds Staff office. Alton RFC has a single storey social clubhouse: GOOD. Overall club rates as 4/5.

Management Type: 3G - Alton FC (Contractor). Rugby Pitches and Finnimore Pavilion - Town Council (in house). In season, the pitches are chain harrowed and slit as ground conditions allow. At season end, the pitches are seeded & top dressed in some years (subject to budget).

Use: Football: Alton FC (Wessex League). 4 adult men's teams, 1 women's team, 1 youth team and junior teams (m/f) from u6-u17. Walking Football sessions. Plus 3G hires incl: Portsmouth FC Academy, Basingstoke Town, Alton School (for hockey lessons on the 3G) and others. Alton FC also hire grass pitches at Eggars School and Jubilee Fields as required.

Rugby: Alton RFC (Hampshire League D2). Displaced to Bordon (Garrison pitch) when home pitches are unplayable which causes major disruption and financial issues for the club (both hire costs and loss of clubhouse income) threatening the club's long-term sustainability. 2 Sat teams + occasional Vets, 40 Colts (u17/18), c. 250 minis (m/f) & midis (u7-u16), Summer Rugby Camps (London Irish), Summer Touch (incl Ladies) six Tues eves.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Resolve drainage to rugby pitches if studies determine this is cost effective (A TGMS report in 2016 estimated a cost of £180k to upgrade Pitch 1 and the Training Area) OR relocate the pitches to the flatter, better draining area at the top of site (see Diggers Field site summary) with a new road access from the Cadnam Park development.
- Improve hot water supply to Finnimore Pavilion showers
- If the formal rugby pitches are relocated, re-designate the current pitches for informal recreation use alongside the current programme of community events.
Visit Date: May 24th
Owner: Petersfield Town Council

Facilities:
Football: Kick-about area with two goalposts in situ and very heavily worn goalmouths.
The playing field has space to accommodate one youth 7v7 or 9v9 pitch alongside the informal area and possibly a mini-soccer 5v5 pitch at the end of the tennis courts.

Tennis: 4 courts with reasonable quality porous macadam playing surface and nets. Low cost annual community tennis membership and key-pad secure entry and online booking system.
Petanque/Boules: The site has a purpose-built piste adjacent to the pavilion.

A substantial pavilion is available for hire with full-length windows offering views over the playing field. The building provides a good size activity/meeting room, WCs and a kitchen with servery but not team changing rooms or showers.

Pitch Quality: STANDARD - the playing field is flat and fairly even although it has some undulations. Grass cuttings left on site following maintenance.

Ancillary Quality: GOOD - although no team or officials' changing rooms or showers are provided.

Management Type: Parish Council (Contractor)

Use: Football: Informal use only at present.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- The Town Council to consider an approach by Petersfield Town Juniors to mark a formal 9v9 pitch on the field suitable for use by the club's u14 boys or girls teams playing in the EDYFL together with access for the club to the pavilion on match days for WC's, officials, spectators and refreshments.
Visit Date: 24th May 2017 (met Caz Hulbert, Lettings Manager)

Owner: Independent Day & Boarding School (co-ed, ages 3-18)

Facilities: Main School and Prep School on adjacent sites outside the town in Steep:
- Swimming Pools (20mx11mx2.5m plus nursery pool newly relined) and wet changing; Dance Studio; Sports Hall (8 ct built 2005) with changing rooms; small Fitness Suite and Indoor Rowing room; 6 porous macadam tennis/netball courts (3 floodlit); AGP (built 2009 sand dressed with floodlights and a pavilion with two changing rooms, kitchen, WCs); Playing Field with 4 youth football pitches, separate cricket pitch with a NTP (outfield over-marked as 2 mini-soccer pitches)

Pitch Quality: AGP, NTP and grass pitches for football and cricket all GOOD. Petersfield HC rate pitch 5/5. Spurs Roadshow rated football pitched GOOD.

Ancillary Quality: GOOD changing and refreshment facilities for AGP and outdoor sports (Petersfield HC rate 5/5); GOOD changing facilities for Swimming Pools/Fitness; GOOD changing facilities for Sports Hall

Management Type: School (Contractor).

Use: Community access is constrained by safeguarding issues (the open layout of the site and the 24hr presence of children as a boarding school) and use of the sports facilities by boarders, for after school clubs on Tuesdays and Fridays particularly, and for Saturday morning school.

AGP: Petersfield Hockey Club's home base for matches and training in winter. Also hired by for annual County u8 and u10 festivals. Unavailable in summer term as used for tennis. Petersfield Hockey Club play in a summer league (based in Southampton) and occasionally hire Churchers College (Petersfield) and Bohunt School (Liphook).

Cricket: Stoner Cricket Club (founded 1934). Friendly cricket for pupils, old boys, staff and friends of Bedales School. The Club runs an annual game against the School and a cricket week.

Football: Previous hires to summer soccer schools - e.g. Spurs Roadshow

Swimming: Bedales Swimming Club - open membership of circa 150; Sub Aqua Club training; private Swim Schools

Sports Hall: Petersfield Cricket Club and Steep Cricket Club hires in Spring term for nets

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Upgrade LUX level of AGP lights
- Sand, reline to increase netball runoffs and reseal Granwood sports hall floor
Visit Date: Wednesday 22nd February

Owner: Bentley Recreation Ground Charity on behalf of Bentley Parish Council (met Richard Davies, Chair of RG Charity)

Facilities:
Football: 1 adult pitch
Cricket: 1 pitch with an artificial turf wicket only. 2 artificial turf cricket practice nets.
A single storey brick built changing pavilion built in the 1970s with a Scouts hut at one end. There is a small car park.

Pitch Quality: Open site.
Football: POOR - High worm content despite treatment some 5 yrs ago. This destabilises the playing surface and makes it very uneven. Some evidence of drainage problems - clay sub base.
Cricket: POOR - Very uneven outfield (shared with football). NTP needs replacing. NT nets still well used for informal practice in summer but need resurfacing.

Ancillary Quality: STANDARD/POOR - Changing rooms with communal showers and WCs. Officials change share with Scouts kitchen area.

Management Type: Charity. Contracted grounds maintenance for cuts only. Hiring club marks out pitches and provide nets when hire (£25 per game).

Use: Football: hires to Manor Colts Vets (from Alton) fortnightly on Sunday mornings. Were hiring to Farnham Town Youth (u11s) on Saturday mornings but this letting lapsed due to the poor condition of pitch making it too heavy for young children.
Cricket: Informal and occasional charity games only. Bentley Cricket Club folded 5-7 years ago.
The field and football pitch is used regularly by Bentley Primary School which backs on to the recreation ground and by the Scouts.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
○ Extend football pitch/ cricket outfield maintenance specification
○ Consider options and seek funds to replace the cricket NTP and NT net playing surfaces in the next 3 years.
**Visit Date:** 24th May 2017

**Owner:** Bentworth Cricket Club (100+ years)

**Facilities:** Cricket Pitch (12 grass wickets, one prepared on visit at start of season), changing pavilion with thatched roof and clubroom adjacent (both wooden buildings). Small store for grounds equipment (roller etc). Pitch covers. No mobile net cage or practice net. Grasped car park area. Very attractive setting.

**Pitch Quality:** STANDARD - short outfield on one side. Good grass cover. Square ramps up slightly to outfield on one side.

**Ancillary Quality:** STANDARD

**Management Type:** Club (volunteers maintain)

**Use:** Bentworth Cricket Club - One men's team playing in the Hampshire Cricket League County Division 4 North. 10 home Hampshire League fixtures in 2017 plus some evening T20 friendly matches (club and Bentworth & District team v neighbouring villages). The club was advertising for new players at time of visit.

**Actions:** PROTECT
Visit Dates: Wednesday 22nd February & Wednesday 17th May

Owner: Binsted PC (met Sue Hodder, Parish Clerk & RB Groundcare, Contractor)

Facilities: Football: 1 adult pitch over marked lengthways as youth 11v11 (red lines) and across as 9v9 (blue lines) and 7v7.
Cricket: 1 pitch (10 grass wickets) and single artificial turf practice net.

Pitch Quality: Site locked at night. This is a well-presented and maintained site.
Football: STANDARD/GOOD - flat pitch with adequate evenness and good grass cover. Some evidence of wear particularly in area used as 9v9 pitch. Portable mini-soccer goals are used. There is no evidence of drainage problems. The grounds man considers the pitches drain well. They are aerated 3+ times per annum and seeded as required. They have been sand dressed, fertilised and weed treated within the last two years and this is done periodically as funds from the PC allow.
Cricket: GOOD. Hampshire Cricket Board 'Most Improved Pitch' in 2016.
Ancillary Quality: GOOD. Used as cricket and football club pavilion and by other community groups as well as for birthday parties and as a local polling station and the parish office. The Parish Council aspires to expand the kitchen to improve this facility for use by community sports club and other users. 2 en-suite changing rooms are provided. In practice, only adult players use these - both for football and cricket. An officials' room is being used as a store.

Management Type: Parish Council. Contracted grounds maintenance (contractor is a cricketer) plus volunteer time by cricket club members.

Use: Football: Binsted Juniors FC - formed in 2015/16 (Tim Winkworth). Play in EDYFL Saturday mornings and train on pitch (portable lights) on Weds eves (or on Weydon School AGP when too wet). Occasional adult Sunday league matches of Diggers Elite FC (based in Alton) although from 2017/18 with growth in Binsted Juniors this adult use will cease. Pitches also used regularly by the Primary School.
Cricket: Rowledge Cricket Club 3rd/4th teams and, from 2017, newly formed Binsted Cricket Club (supported by Cllr Ron Neil, PC Chair) with 10 fixtures proposed.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Expand kitchen in pavilion
- Replace cricket net surface - existing is very fast (matting over concrete base)
**Visit Date:** 23rd May 2017 (Met David Riley, Dir of Finance & Resources)  
**Owner:** Academy School  
**Facilities:**  
Sports Hall 1 (built 1980, resealed floor in 2014 4ct)  
Sports Hall 2 (built 2015, Granwood 4ct with linked kitchen)  
Activity (Cobbett) Hall  
Dining (Hudson) Hall  
Studio (good quality sprung floor with mirrored walls)  
Squash & Fitness Centre: 2 Courts & 10 stations & changing (built in 1996 with Sport England grant support - now very poor quality presentation and equipment)  
AGP (sand filled with floodlights resurfaced 2014 with Sport England grant)  
Playing Field: 3 x 11v11 Youth pitches, grass athletics track  

**Pitch Quality:** STANDARD - Sandy soil, good natural drainage, reseeded annually, few cancellations  
**Ancillary Quality:** GOOD - Pavilion with changing and views over AGP. (POOR in Squash Fitness Centre)  
**Management Type:** School (in house), currently receive £12k revenue support towards staffing/utilities costs of community use from EHDC (apply annually); Grounds Maintenance contracted  

**Use:** Football Pitches: Liphook United u14 (2 Sunday fixtures) and summer tournament.  
AGP: Liphook United Youth FC; Liss Athletic Youth FC; Grayshott Colts FC; Old Boys 5 a side group; Petersfield Hockey Club (occasional overspill from Dunhurst if Churchers pitch not available); Rom Soccer Leagues ; Liphook Old Gits; **Sports Halls:** Guildford Goldhawks Basketball Club; Centre Basketball; Liphook Storm Netball; Junior Netball; Weylodge FC, Guildford Tchoukball; Optimist Badminton Club; Haslemere Border Archery Club; 5 a side and badminton bookings  
**Activity Hall:** Bohunt Judo; Centre Gymnastics; Yoga; **Dining Hall:** Dance Academy; Zumba  
**Squash & Fitness** Pay & Play - very limited use.  

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE  
- Replace floodlights to AGP to reduce light spillage to new housing under construction on adjacent site (housing developer funding as condition of planning)  
- Upgrade squash and fitness centre
Visit date: 16th May 2017

Owner: Whitehill & Bordon Regeneration Company

Facilities: CLOSED for redevelopment in December 2016.

Scheme includes:
A two-storey pavilion; a cricket pitch; tennis courts; a bowling green; a petanque area; a play area; two football pitches, and a parking area.

Pitch Quality: N/A

Ancillary Quality: N/A

Management Type: Sports Club

Use: Future shared use of re-provided adult football pitches (2) by BOSC Sunday FC (returning from temporary home at Headley Recreation Ground) and Royal Oak Veterans FC

Actions: PROVIDE

- Ensure the necessary safeguards are in place for the new playing pitch facilities in development at BOSC – football pitches cricket square, outfield and new pavilion - to be provided and maintained to a high standard
Visit date: 16th May 2017

Owner: Hampshire CC

Facilities:
Football: Two mini soccer pitches on school playing field adjacent to school building and bordering with Budd's Lane Development Site for new Mill Chase Academy School and sports pitches opposite the Garrison Ground (former grass sports pitches and skate park)

The Whitehill & Borden development project with planning consent for this site includes for provision of two 9v9 youth football pitches replacing the existing mini soccer pitches on this school site.

Pitch Quality: GOOD - Flat, even, good grass cover

Ancillary Quality: Not known if access to WCs can be provided to community teams out of hours.

Management Type: Hampshire CC contractor maintains

Use: Not known if any use by community teams for mini soccer at weekends

Actions: PROTECT
- Consider potential to secure future community access (community use agreement) for local clubs' mini soccer teams (e.g. Wey Valley FC, Headley Youth FC) to existing mini-soccer pitches and to new 9v9 pitches when provided as part of schools development project to reduce overplay and teams playing on the wrong size pitches for their age group at Headley and Mill Chase recreation grounds.
Visit Date: Site not visited as very limited cricket play - club not active.

Owner: Parish Council

Facilities: Village hall with main hall (1 badminton court size), changing rooms, cricket pitch, two tennis courts (pictured)

Pitch Quality: Not seen cricket as minimal use (see below)

Ancillary Quality: GOOD (hall 20 yrs old built 1997, refurbished in 2014)

Management Type: Parish Council

Use: in the 2016 Season Buriton Cricket Club only played a very limited number of fixtures. In 2017 the club only played in the East Meon Six-a-side tournament due to lack of players. Some winter nets are organised at Bedales School

Hall used regularly for short mat bowls, and judo

Actions: PROTECT
**Visit Date:** 24th May 2017 (met volunteer club grounds man on site)

**Owner:** Chawton Cricket Club

**Facilities:** 1 cricket pitch (10 grass wicket square but only 4 central wickets used for league games due to pitch size); 1 non-turf practice strip with mobile net cage over. A thatched wooden pavilion with h/c water, showers, kitchen and a clubroom for match teas. No parking on site but plenty of capacity along access road.

**Pitch Quality:** GOOD - well maintained ground in very attractive village setting (Jane Austen Chawton House & Library close by)

**Ancillary Quality:** GOOD - no issues

**Management Type:** Club (volunteers - own equipment)

**Use:** Club has one Saturday league team playing c. 10 home fixtures a season. A Sunday team folded in 2015. No junior section - no demand in village as larger Alton, Binstead and Holybourne clubs close by all have active junior sections. In 2017 season, Alton CC u13 played some Wednesday evening fixtures at Chawton.

Chawton Primary School use cricket outfield for PE as have no sports field (school across road)

**Actions:** PROTECT
Visit Date: 23rd May (met David Robbins, Bursar)

Owner: Independent Day School (Co-ed, ages 3-18)

Facilities: Ramshill: Swimming pool (25m 6 lane, built 2011 on former lido site), playing fields (4 youth rugby pitches, 2 cricket pitches, grass athletics track); an AGP (built 2007, sand dressed, floodlit), netball courts, tennis courts, a MUGA (outdoor cricket nets in summer, hockey warm up in winter), a gym with climbing wall, 4 ct sports hall (with 2 indoor cricket nets), fitness suite.

Penns Place: Playing fields - cricket pitch with NTP, 2 youth rugby pitches

Junior School (Liphook): Playing Field with junior football pitches, netball courts. No community availability currently - limited changing facilities.

*The College’s aspirations to meet its educational needs are to secure access to a second hockey AGP in the area - currently travel to Mill Chase to use hybrid 3G AGP or to Haslemere.*

Pitch Quality: AGP - GOOD; Grass pitches - GOOD (all three sites)

Ancillary Quality: GOOD at Ramshill. None at Penns Place (occasional hire of Petersfield RFC Clubhouse to support school’s use of Penns Playing Field for tournaments. Reciprocal agreement with rugby club to use Ramshill youth rugby pitches on occasion on Sunday mornings.

Management Type: School in house (employ team of grounds staff)

Use: Pool: Alton & District Swimming Club - pool hire on 2 evenings and 2 early mornings year round except August; Petersfield Triathlon Club - weekly evening pool session (also uses Petersfield Lido); Portsmouth & District Synchro Club (home base - two evenings a week); Private Swim Schools - two evenings and Saturday mornings; Multisport Camps use in school holidays

AGP: Planning restrictions on permitted hours of use - 8.30pm weekday evenings, Sat & Sun daytime only. Petersfield Hockey Club occasional use on Sunday morning for junior coaching.

Grass Playing Pitches: No regular community availability - rugby club some Sunday mornings at Ramshill site to relieve over play of own pitches at Penns Place

Sports Hall: Petersfield Cricket Club (use nets in return for school using club pitch at Penn's Place for some matches); occasional netball club and football club hires for training days (e.g Petersfield Town Juniors; Liss Athletic Juniors), regular weekly hire to a group playing 5 a side football. Not year round community use due to needs of school for events and as exam hall.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE

- Review options (including any facility enhancement required and staffing / cost implications) for securing community club access on Saturday mornings to the football pitches at the Junior School in Liphook
- Explore the feasibility of a land transfer between the School and the Town Council of the Petersfield Town FC Love Lane ground and the school’s Penns Place Playing Field to facilitate development of Penns Place as a hub site for football (in addition to rugby and cricket) and the Love Lane pitch as a second sand AGP (with lights) for use by the school primarily but with potential as a more accessible site than Dunhurst/Bedales School for Petersfield HC.
Visit dates: 22nd February & 24th May 2017

Owner: Alton Town Council (met Leah Coney, Town Clerk, Ty Smith, Grounds Manager)

Facilities: No formal pitches. The site comprises a large, open and largely flat horseshoe shaped maintained playing field (wrapped around the perimeter of the Alton School playing field) and forms a part of Anstey Park. Currently, access to this playing field is only on foot either the main section of the Park (beyond the floodlit rugby training pitch), or from the north (a footpath beside the Cadnam Farm housing development site).

Pitch Quality: The higher lying Diggers Playing Field section of Anstey Park, unlike the lower section marked as rugby pitches, does not have underground springs and does not suffer regular water-logging in winter. Based on a visual inspection the Field has good grass cover and grass quality with little evidence of weeds, and is sufficiently flat and even to accommodate STANDARD to GOOD quality winter sports pitches.

Ancillary Quality: None on Diggers Field. Nearest changing rooms and car parking are on the lower section of the site - Finimore Pavilion adjacent to Football Enclosure - GOOD

Management Type: Town Council (in house)

Use: Athletics: Anstey Park (Diggers Field) is a marked Run England '321 route ' used by casual runners and Alton Runners members
Football: use area nearest floodlit rugby training pitch for mini soccer (Alton FC) on Saturdays
Rugby: use area nearest floodlit rugby training pitch for mini-rugby (Alton RFC) on Sunday morning

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- In the event that pitch improvement works to the existing rugby pitches are deemed unaffordable or not sufficiently cost effective, then the Alton RFC and the RFU, with Alton Town Council, should consider the feasibility of relocating the club match pitches to Diggers Field (to include ground suitability investigations and options for a second vehicular access and temporary parking from Cadnam Park). It is noted that securing a planning consent for floodlighting on the higher section of the field (for rugby training) may not be achievable in view of the potential for environmental impact.
Visit Date: Not visited

Owner: Independent Day School (4-16yrs co-ed)

Facilities: Playing fields (rugby 1, football 2, cricket 1, rounders 2, grass hockey 2), tennis/ netball courts, 3 ct sports hall (School Swimming at Taro LC)

Pitch Quality: GOOD

Ancillary Quality: GOOD

Management Type: School in house. No regular community club availability at weekends. Only regular community sports club use is of cricket nets in the Sports Hall on midweek evenings in Spring term.

Use: Summer holiday sports camps using playing fields and sports hall (open to community).

Some local cricket club use of sports hall for winter nets.

National schools cycling time trial and an annual timed hill climb are hosted by the school.

Some inter-school tournaments in football, netball and rounders are hosted.

Actions: PROTECT
Visit Date: 17th May 2017

Owner: East Meon Parish Council (Trustees)


Pitch Quality: Undulating outfield. Some weeds/dandelions and vermin damage (moles?) on edge of outfield. Grass over-long on visit. Covers used (raining on day of visit). STANDARD

Ancillary Quality: POOR quality pavilion - wooden construction c. 50 yrs old. Advanced plans and fund raising (c. £30k) to replace with larger wooden pavilion with more spacious social clubroom, kitchen and changing rooms with showers and equipment store.

Management Type: Open site with gate. The Cricket Club does its own pitch maintenance. Some equipment was evident on the site (large and small rollers).

Use: Adult village social cricket - East Meon CC and local pub team (Izaak Lions). No juniors.
2017 season:
East Meon CC - 18 Sat/Sun home fixtures and 6 midweek evening home fixtures (2 cancelled). Summer net sessions - Weds evenings.
Izaak Lions CC - 10 home midweek evening 20 /20 pub cricket games.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
O Implement current pavilion replacement project
O Replace practice net
Visit Date: Not visited

Owner: Leased by East Tisted Parish Council from The Rotherfield Estate (Rotherfield Farms)

Facilities: Cricket Pitch (c. 10 grass wickets) and small pavilion

Pitch Quality: STANDARD - club rate 3/5

Ancillary Quality: STANDARD - club rate 3/5

Management Type: Outfield and pitch maintained by Rotherfield Park CC (club has annual contract from Parish Council to maintain the outfield on behalf of the village - £575pa)

Use: Rotherfield Park Cricket Club - social village adult cricket team with approximately 15 players in 2017 reduced from previous seasons and in view of size of village, the club is fully focused on sustaining its team and facilities and has no plans for growth.

Play Sundays and midweek (Tuesday evenings) in cup competition. Approx 15 home fixtures per season.

Actions: PROTECT
Visit Date: 17th May 2017 (met Janice Fillimore, Business Manager & Sarah McKenzie, Community Liaison).
Owner: Academy School

Facilities:
Football: 1x11v11 youth; 2x 9v9 (With some community hires)
Rugby: 1 pitch (no community availability)
Cricket: 1 grass pitch (no community availability)
4 ct Sports Hall (good quality with extensive community hires plus usage by Treloar College students with disabilities - sites linked by footpath, and feeder primary schools for trampoline and inter school tournaments)
20 stn Fitness Suite (with community letting availability)
Gymnasion (with community letting availability)

Since 2014, the school has been developing proposals for an AGP. The proposals include floodlights to facilitate community use on a lettings basis (primarily as a second pitch for Alton Hockey Club to complement this club’s home pitch at Amery Hill School which has no floodlights and planning restrictions on permitted hours of use). The proposed site will entail the loss of one 9v9 grass pitch if proceeds. Planning consent secured in 2017. Grant applications have been made to Sport England, to date unsuccessful.

Pitch Quality: Football: POOR to STANDARD. Compacted ground, prone to water-logging. School spent £2.5k in 2016 on 'Earthquake' de-compaction works undertaken by Hants CC Grounds Contractor. Ancillary Quality: School changing rooms: STANDARD

Management Type: School in house (community access in term - eves to 10pm, Sat 8am to 4pm)
Use: Football: grass pitch hires to North East Hants Youth League (NEHYL) teams on Saturday mornings (u10-u14) in previous seasons. Minimal hires in 2016/17 to protect pitches for school's own use and to rest following de-compaction works. Cricket and Rugby: No community use.
Sports Hall: Heavily used in peak times in Autumn and Spring terms. Regular hires to: Holybourne Cricket Club winter nets (Monday evenings 6-9pm), Alton Cricket Club Colts (5.45-7pm Thursday evenings), Alton & Four Marks Archers 6.30-9pm Tuesday evenings) in Spring Term (Jan to March), Alpha Trampolining Club (Tues, Weds, Friday evenings and Saturdays each term).

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Re-establish community use of the football pitches following the recent de-compaction works
- If Avery Hill School’s current pre-planning proposals to provide floodlighting to its hockey compliant AGP and increase the permitted hours of use prove undeliverable, a second EH compliant AGP in Alton with floodlights will be needed to accommodate current unmet and exported demand of Alton Hockey Club.
**Visit Date:** Wednesday 22nd February & 25th May 2017  
**Owner:** Four Marks PC (met Sarah Gouide, Clerk)  
**Facilities:**  
**Football:** 1 adult pitch with dugouts and a floodlit training/kick-about pitch.  
**Cricket:** 1 Pitch (12 grass wickets) separate from football pitch.  
3 tennis courts (2 floodlit). A bowling green with own wooden pavilion.  
Shared main pavilion (SE grant supported) for tennis, cricket, football, and a youth group (pool table etc). There is also a Scout hut and secure equipment containers located at the end of the football training area. Equipped play area. Outdoor gym. New MUGA & Skate Park projects funded by S106 (completed 2017). Parking.  
**Pitch Quality:** Open site.  
**Football:** STANDARD - Flat pitch with adequate evenness and grass cover. No evidence of drainage problems. High moss content - requires treatment. Widening works required for level of play (step 7) to permit installation of spectator barrier.  
**Cricket:** POOR - Uneven outfield, no wickets prepared on visit - limited use (see below).  
**Ancillary Quality:** STANDARD. Low build quality due to budget available at the time. The social facilities are inadequate for the scale of sports and youth club use. The Parish Council and club aspire to extend. Ample changing provision: Four en-suite changing rooms. Officials change (NB. officials’ shower currently used as bar store). Spectator WCs.  
**Management Type:** Parish Council. Contracted grounds maintenance except for main football pitch which is maintained by Four Marks FC volunteers (some equipment on site). Any cricket teams wishing to hire the cricket pitch are required to mark out a wicket and boundary.  
**Use:**  
**Football:** Four Marks FC in Hampshire League D1 (potential for promotion to Prem Div - Step 7). Reserve team play in Combination. Adults train on floodlit area (Weds), Manor Colts u9/u10 (Tues & Thurs).  
**Cricket:** pitch hired to Alton CC Colts in 2016 and used for some Hampshire Disability Cricket (softball and hardball games) in 2017.  
**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE  
- Move hedge line and install spectator barrier & 3m wide hard-standing to near touchline of main football pitch  
- Consider feasibility of floodlighting to the main pitch  
- Consider feasibility of upgrade and extension to social facilities  
- Parish Council to work with EHDC sports team and Hants Cricket to identify a team or develop new demand for use of the cricket pitch.
**Visit date:** 16th May 2017

**Owner:** W&B Regeneration Company (former MoD pitch)

**Facilities:**
*Rugby:* One adult pitch with floodlights

**Pitch Quality:** GOOD - Flat, well maintained, although grass cut too short for rugby on visit (close season).

**Ancillary Quality:** STANDARD TO GOOD. Not accessed internally but substantial pavilion building adjacent to pitch.

**Management Type:** Site is behind the MoD security fence and managed by the W&B Regeneration Company pending development of this site with a secured planning consent.

**Use:** Hired by the Regeneration Company for use by Alton RFC for home matches and training when Anstey Road Playing Field pitches are too wet to play or train on.

**Actions:** REPLACE
- Ensure the specification, management arrangements and changing provision for the new rugby pitch to be provided at the new Mill Chase Academy are suitable to allow for hired use by existing community clubs on an occasional basis and to allow for the development of a new club in W&B (or a satellite to the Alton club) in future should local demand be identified in this sub-area.
Visit date: 16th May 2017
Owner: Grayshott Parish Council (gifted to village in 1919)
Facilities:
Cricket: One pitch with a 13 grass wicket square, plus two artificial wickets (separate from main square) and a two lane artificial turf net system (fenced and locked to prevent unauthorised use) and a mobile net cage.
Football: One youth 11v11, one 9v9, one 7v7, one 5v5 pitch overlapping (one also used as a training area with low grade lighting).
Croquet: Lawn used by club.
Shared pavilion with changing, car parking.
Tennis: 4 porous macadam courts (3 floodlit) in adequate to good condition, plus a small glass-fronted clubroom overlooking the courts. Hut has a flat felt-roofed structure with a kitchenette (no changing rooms). Good condition. Tennis located on opposite side of road from playing field. LTA/SE grant supported.
Pitch Quality: Open site - issues with dog walkers.
Cricket: STANDARD to GOOD - Outfield has some overlap with football and slopes up towards pavilion from square and down towards boundary on far side of ground. Square has water supply. Wicket covers in evidence and three well prepared wickets. EXCELLENT non-turf net system. Both artificial wickets are GOOD although some unevenness to juniors NTP (u9/u11 pitch length).
Football: STANDARD - Slight cross-fall, fairly even with some bumps. Good grass cover and length. Club rate 3/5
There is a grounds maintenance equipment garage/store on site.
Ancillary Quality: GOOD pavilion. Youth FC rates it as 5/5. Had SE Inspired funding but roof requires attention (Patched corrugated iron)
Management Type: Grayshott Parish Council committee of volunteers including sports club representatives.
Use: Grayshott Cricket Club (1st XI, 2nd XI, Sunday XI, Under 19, Under 17, Under 15 and Under 13 home fixtures plus training for all ages),
Grayshott Youth Football Club (nursery squad plus u8, u10, u11, u12 teams) - train one evening on AGP at The Edge in Haslemere and one evening indoors at Bohunt School). Aspire to grow by one age group team a season.
Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Assess required works to pavilion roof and potential to enhance the football training area/lighting
- Review options for a dedicated junior cricket pitch at Broxhead site and if this proceeds, remove uneven junior ATP from this site.
**Visit date:** Not visited

**Owner:** Private (Hawkley Sports & Social Club)

**Facilities:**
**Cricket:** pitch with 10 grass wickets, a non-turf practice net.  
**Tennis:** a single court with floodlights.

A large Parish Hall (refurbished and extended in 2011 with new changing rooms, bar, clubroom, kitchen and veranda at cost of c. £250k). This hall is also used for table tennis, darts, keep fit classes, a film club, Sunday School and society meetings and social events/parties. Also on site there is a dedicated car park, and a small, equipped children's play area.

**Pitch Quality:** Cricket: GOOD - club rates 5/5  
Tennis: GOOD porous macadam

**Ancillary Quality:** GOOD - club rates 4/5

**Management Type:** Sports Club - The Hawkley Sports Club (cricket, tennis, table tennis & darts) maintain the cricket pitch and tennis court with its own equipment. A Parish Hall Trust manages and maintains the hall, tennis court and play area. Low cost membership of sports club for use of all facilities (£30pa). ClubSpark online booking available for tennis court.

**Use:** Hawkley Cricket Club has one team playing friendly social matches on Sundays and the occasional T20 fixture on Thursday evenings. 20 home fixtures scheduled in 2017 season (1 rained off).

**Actions:** PROTECT
Visit date: 16th May 2017
Owner: Headley Parish Council
Facilities: Cricket: One pitch with 10 grass wicket square (7 full, 3 junior), plus artificial wicket and a 2 lane artificial cricket net system.
Football: one 11v11 pitch (with barrier and dug outs); second 11v11 pitch, plus 3 smaller football pitches (1x9v9, 1x7v7, 1x5v5); floodlit training area.
Tennis: two floodlit all weather porous macadam courts, a minis practice area with wall, tennis hut.
Bowls: 6 rink green
Shared pavilion (Headley Sports Assoc) - team changing; referee/umpire changing; club room/table tennis. SE/FF grant funded.
Pitch Quality: Cricket: STANDARD grass wickets and outfield. Slight fall at ends of square and towards pavilion. Dead grass thatch in outfield. Water supply provided to square. GOOD net system (recently resurfaced). POOR artificial wicket with some holes/tears. Cricket and football - no overlap.
Football: STANDARD/GOOD (club rating). Pitches are even but heavily worn at end of season with bare patches in goalmouths and centre circles. Grass clippings on visit.
Tennis: GOOD. Bowls: GOOD
Ancillary Quality: GOOD. Margery Wheatley Pavilion - SE/FF grant funded.
Use: Headley Sports Association - strong club sections for each outdoor sport plus table tennis.
Headley Cricket Club runs 3 adult men's teams playing in the L'Anson Cricket League, a women’s team playing on Sundays in the Surrey Trust League and indoor cricket in winter, plus a junior section with 4 age group teams (u9, u11, u13, u15). Junior sessions take place on Saturdays from 2-6pm for age groups £3 per session PAYG winter indoor coaching takes place in Mill Chase Sports Hall. Headley Youth Football Club - 11 youth and 8 mini-soccer teams playing in NE Hants Youth Football League mainly on Saturday and Sunday mornings. BOSC Sunday FC - temporary relocation to this site for home matches pending completion of new pitches (2) and pavilion at BOSC in 2018 by W&B Regeneration Company
Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
  o Support Headley Cricket Club to replace non-turf cricket pitch.
  o PC and ECB to review current proposals of PC to extend site to provide a 2nd cricket pitch in context of new pitch in BOSC redevelopment plans.
  o PC, Headley YFC and Hants FA to review options to increase football playing capacity by enhanced pitch maintenance (implementing recent IoG report recommendations), over-marking existing football pitches with staggered KO times (current proposal of club) and/or relocating some teams as new pitches come available - e.g. at BOSC, Primary School, new Mill Chase Academy playing field pitches.
Visit Date: Wednesday 22nd February

Owner: Holybourne Sports Field Trust - Holybourne Cricket Club have lease with 4 years unexpired.

Facilities: Cricket: One pitch (with 6 grass wickets and an artificial non-turf wicket). New wooden pavilion (Veolia Landfill grant supported). Mobile cricket practice net cage, metal sightscreen frames and pitch cover frames on the site. No on site parking (use adjacent field).

Football: Goalposts remain in situ for former adult football pitch.

Pitch Quality: Gated site. No public access.

Cricket: STANDARD - Outfield uneven - possibly due to past use for football. NTP appears even although quite old and some moss growing on surface. Club rates 3/5

Football: POOR - Flat but not maintained in season - long grass and uneven. Owner stated in telcon that the pitch is currently unused. Holybourne Vets FC used to play at this ground but moved to Jubilee Fields in Alton in 2016. Posts in situ have old type metal net tie fixings (not compliant with current safety standards).

Ancillary Quality: GOOD. Recently provided wooden pavilion to good level of specification with ensuite changing for two teams and officials plus social facilities and spectator WCs. Club rates 4/5

Management Type: Sports Trust / Cricket Club. Some grounds maintenance equipment evident on site - e.g. gang mower, roller.

Use: Holybourne CC home ground (also play some fixtures at Eggar’s School and Anstey Park in Alton). 2 Saturday league teams (Hampshire Cricket League), an occasional Sunday XI, and junior section with u9, u11, u13, u15, u18 teams in the North Hampshire Youth Cricket League and a coaching group for younger children. The club reports a slight decline in adult playing membership over the last 3 seasons.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE

- Cricket club and ECB to review options and feasibility of improving the quality of the outfield (NB. Cricket club has an aspiration to provide a tennis court at the site and establish a tennis club. This is unlikely to be needed or viable).
Visit Date: May 23rd 2017 (Met caretaker)
Owner: Academy.
Facilities: School 'Barton' Hall (short mat bowls, table tennis club Sun pm, zumba, ciroc, line, square, ballroom and tap dancing, annual junior boxing tournament); Gymnasium (Tae Kwon Do, Keep Fit, Yoga and other martial arts classes); 'Interactive' Fitness Suite (instructed weights and circuit sessions on two evenings, Over50s Fri mornings in term time); Sports Hall 4ct (badminton clubs on 3 evenings, walking netball on Weds eve, volleyball club on Sat - sports flooring to be replaced in 2018); Netball/Tennis (2 good porous macadam and 5 poor hard courts) a tennis & table tennis club membership (£15 per annum or £50 for family of four) is in place with tennis club nights on Mon evenings; Floodlit 3G MUGA (7v7 or 2 x 5v5 with divider curtain - free walking football on Sat lunchtimes).
Pitch Quality: GOOD - large terraced playing field with space for multiple pitches (not marked on visit)
Ancillary Quality: STANDARD
Management Type: In house operation branded 'Community Dimensions'. Community access year round. Marketing link with Rusalka Pool in Blendworth - aqua aerobics (£9-£12 a class)
Use: The College is the training and match day venue for Travaux Youth FC and Hurstwood Rangers Youth FC (both Charter Standard) with multiple teams (boys and girls) who hire the playing field season by season. Portsmouth FC Women and Girls use the playing field for weekly training sessions (or Sports Hall if available in poor weather). FC Fenix play home fixtures at the college on Sunday mornings. 3G MUGA is available to hire evenings 6-10pm and is used most evenings in season by Clanfield FC teams for training, Cowplain FC train on the 3G on Weds evenings. Horndean Hawks FC also hires some 3G training slots. Portsmouth FC FIC free Walking Football sessions take place 1-2pm on Sats.
Actions: PROTECT - COMMUNITY ACCESS
  o Feasibility study for extension of 3G MUGA to full size FA compliant 3G
Visit date: 2nd March

Owner: Horndean PC (met Matthew Madhill, grounds manager)

Facilities:
Football: 1 7v7 mini-soccer pitch; 1 5v5 mini-soccer pitch since creation of park in 2011. New outdoor gym equipment and equipped play area, 3v3 hard-court open basketball area. Jubilee Community Hall (with WCs but no changing facilities), parking

Pitch Quality: Open site. STANDARD/GOOD - both are flat pitches with adequate evenness and good grass cover. Some evidence of wear in goalmouths however club has portable mini-soccer goals and moves goal positions each season to minimise wear. No evidence of drainage problems.
Ancillary Quality: N/A. No changing rooms on site just community hall (modern, large).

Management Type: Parish Council.
Maintenance in house mainly by Parish Council although user club does own line marking. Grounds Manager has quote and budget to seed, fertilise, shockwave aerate and weed spray in summer 2017.

Use: Horndean Hawks FC has 2 adult teams, 8 youth teams and 6 mini-soccer teams playing and training on pitches at this site and two others sites close by (The Rec/Five Heads Park and Horndean Technology College). Several of the club's mini-soccer teams play home fixtures on Sundays in the PYFL on these pitches and also use them for summer training.

Actions: PROTECT
- Review future playing pitch facility needs and priorities (e.g. pitch sizes and layouts) for this site in the context of the provision at The Rec/Five Heads Park, at Horndean College and the recent outline planning consent for approx. 700 new homes and community facilities including playing pitches on land to the east of Horndean.
Visit date: 22nd February & 24th May 2017
Owner: Alton Town Council (met Ty Smith, Ground Manager and Leah Coney, Town Clerk)
Facilities:
Football - 5 adult football pitches and 1 kick about pitch. Pitches 1&2 over-marked across as 2x7v7 (4 total). Pitch 3 over-marked lengthways as 1x9v9. Pitches 4&5 overlap main cricket outfield and are programmed for lighter winter use.
Cricket - two pitches and a separate NTP. Outfields overlap football pitches. A 4-lane non-turf net system which Alton CC own & maintain.
2 changing blocks in Town Council ownership - one by cricket pitch licensed to Alton CC who have a small clubhouse adjacent.
Skatepark. Car parks at both ends of the site.
Pitch Quality: Open linear site. Football: Pitch 1 - STANDARD - worn grass cover, heavy 7v7 use. Pitches 2-5 - GOOD - esp. 4&5 which are lightly used to maintain quality of cricket outfield. Cricket: Pitch 1 - GOOD; Pitch 2 - STANDARD; NTP - GOOD. Minor issues with frost, light etc. due to tree shadow on one side.
Ancillary Quality: STANDARD/POOR- both changing blocks are old buildings (wooden with felt roof). The larger one has 6 changing rooms & communal showers. The smaller one licensed to Alton CC has 2 en-suite changing rooms. Both have spectator WCs.
Management Type: Town Council. Maintenance in house. Chain harrow and slit football pitches weekly as ground allows. Seed / top dress worn goalmouths/ touchlines at season end subject to budget. TC maintains both cricket squares to good standard. Alton CC does a final mow/roll on match days.
Use: Football: Sat am: Alton FC juniors, Manor FC Colts
Sat pm: Four Marks FC (when own pitch unplayable). Most weeks no Sat pm football use. Alton FC Juniors pre-season training. Sun am: Alton FC Vets, Holybourne Vets (moved from Holybourne Field CC), French Horn Vets. Sun pm: Manor FC Colts (some weeks)
Cricket: Alton CC (4 Sat sides) plus large youth section; Four Marks CC, Bentworth CC
Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- PC to liaise with National Rail re: tree thinning proposals to improve light and reduce frost damage to pitches
- Replace old changing blocks and cricket pavilion with new clubhouse
**Visit date:** 2nd March 2017

**Owner:** East Meon Parish Council (met Cllr Steven Rigeon). Facilities provided as S106 from 'The Green' housing development.

**Facilities:** 1 adult football pitch over-marked as 2 5v5 mini-soccer pitches. Large, modern wooden pavilion with storage for 5v5 goals. Generous car parking (popular in summer for walkers). Also fenced, secure hard-court MUGA on site (no lights) equipped for 5 a side, basketball, netball, tennis (net in situ on visit). Key for nominal fee from Village Shop. Village Green & Hall adjacent.

**Pitch Quality:** Open site.

STANDARD - Flat pitch. Grass tufts creating unevenness. Adequate grass cover, some bare patches. Some evidence of drainage issues.

**Ancillary Quality:** GOOD - 2 changing rooms, (ensuite showers), communal M/F WCs, Access WC, Spec WCs, Officials change with shower. Underused - Clanfield FC Sat home matches and occasional Sun games in season only.

**Management Type:** Parish Council. Clanfield FC does cuts & mark out as part of hire agreement with PC. Minimal maintenance (localised seeding).

**Use:** East Meon adult team disbanded. Clanfield FC use by arrangement pending new pitches at St James's Place (S106). Club’s main site is Peel Park, Clanfield. Clanfield FC has multiple teams (4 adult, 10 junior boys, 3 girls 4 minis). Train on AGP at Horndean College

**Actions:** PROTECT

- Underused pitch, MUGA & pavilion - PC to consider feasibility of pavilion options (e.g. nursery, cafe).
- Consider findings of Neighbourhood Plan prepared with SDNP - at consultation stage
**Visit Date:** 24th May 2017

**Owner:** Froxfield Parish Council

**Facilities:** Cricket pitch with 12 grass wickets. A single non-turf practice wicket. A storage container pitch-side. A substantial Village Hall with changing facilities and kitchen/clubroom, two activity halls and viewing balcony over two storeys previously upgraded with Sport England lottery funding support. Small basketball hard court area with low-grade surface (also lottery funded) and play area.

**Pitch Quality:** STANDARD - Outfield rather compacted and uneven - also used for recreational football. Square looks to be flat and even and with evidence of good maintenance with a water supply system in situ. Non-turf practice wicket surface is in fair condition with a new mobile net cage positioned over the strip (in place of permanently installed nets).

**Ancillary Quality:** STANDARD to GOOD.

**Management Type:** A village hall charity manages the facilities on the playing field. Cricket Club volunteers maintain the square.

**Use:** Froxfield Cricket Club runs two Saturday sides in the Hampshire Regional Cricket Leagues and a Sunday side plays occasional friendly fixtures. The field is used for a range of community events in summer. A Primary School located adjacent also use the playing field during the school day. The Village Hall is hired to a range of groups as well as the cricket club on summer weekends. These include, a nursery, over 60s club, a choir, a darts club and a horticultural society.

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Explore pitch maintenance options to enhance the quality of the outfield
**Visit Date:** 16th May 2017

**Owner:** Kingsley United Sports Club

**Facilities:** Cricket pitch with 8 grass wickets (2 prepared on day of visit), a social club building with bar (corrugated iron construction - pictured) and a cricket changing pavilion adjacent (similar construction with new roof), unmade car park. A single non-turf practice net system was being upgraded at the time of the site visit (concrete base renewed).

**Pitch Quality:** STANDARD - outfield flat with reasonably even surface and good grass cover. Too wet on day of visit to fully assess quality of square but appears to be even with evidence of repairs and maintenance activity.

**Ancillary Quality:** POOR to STANDARD - low grade buildings externally. Internal condition not assessed.

**Management Type:** Sports & Social Club with cricket club section

**Use:** Club plays social village cricket and in 2016 ran two teams playing a total of 28 fixtures home and away. Social club hires the facilities for occasional friendly games on Sundays and on midweek evenings. The club also uses the ground to host a number of village events including an annual summer beer festival.

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Feasibility of replacement clubhouse will need to be considered in the medium term
Visit date: 16th May 2017

Owner: Whitehill Town Council

Facilities: Football goalposts - unmarked former adult pitch

Pitch Quality: DERELICT - Flat, open site surrounded by mature trees and Broxhead Common. An adult football pitch was formerly maintained to a good quality on the site by the MOD (Royal Engineers) and used by Wey Valley Juniors prior to transfer of ownership of the site to Whitehill Town Council. The former pitch is overgrown with rabbit and mole damage (mole hills and underground runs) and a high weed content. Whilst a recent FA IoG assessment found that the soil is of suitable quality for reinstatement as a sports pitch with good natural drainage composition, the site is of limited value for formal football use as it can only accommodate a single adult pitch rendering it not cost effective to provide ancillary facilities (changing rooms or car parking). Furthermore, the access gate opens onto a fast section of road. Despite these constraints, a local football club (Royal Oak Veterans FC) has in recent seasons sought to address the mole and rabbit damage with a view to restoring the pitch to a playable condition without parking or changing facilities.

Ancillary Quality: N/A

Management Type: Whitehill Town Council - not maintained for formal sport.

Use: Although the access gate is locked, the site is not fenced or secure and is used extensively by walkers. WTC signs at the entrance promote the site as Public Open Space.

Actions: PROTECT
- It is recommended the site continue to be protected and maintained for informal recreation use as a public open space.
Visit date: 16th May 2017
This is a flat, open site surrounded by mature trees and Broxhead Common. An adult football pitch was formerly maintained on the site by the Sports Association prior to lease of the site to Grayshott Cricket Club.

Owner: Lindford Sports Association (leased to Grayshott Cricket Club)

Facilities:
Cricket: One pitch with 10 grass wicket square, plus an artificial wicket and Broxhead Pavilion (pictured)
Football: Former, disused single adult pitch to right of site entrance

Pitch Quality:
Cricket: STANDARD outfield and square with water supply to square. Some dead grass in thatch and anthills on outfield compromising evenness. GOOD quality artificial wicket.
Football: DERELICT. Long meadow grass on visit. Flat but uneven.
Ancillary Quality: GOOD quality cricket pavilion recently upgraded with Sport England grant support.

Management Type: The site is gated but not fully secured. CCTV protection is in place on the pavilion. Grayshott Cricket Club maintains the pitch and pavilion as the club's second site.

Use: Grayshott Cricket Club's main ground is Grayshott Sports Ground in Beech Hanger Road where the 1st XI, 2nd XI, Sunday XI, Under 19, Under 17, Under 15 and Under 13 home fixtures are held. Youth Under 9 games are played at Amesbury School in Hindhead (out of the District). At this ground, the club programmes its Adult 3rd and 4th XI, Junior U10 and U11 home fixtures.

Actions: PROTECT & PROVIDE
- ECB to review with Grayshott Cricket Club the feasibility of providing a new junior pitch (with NTP) on the site of the former football pitch as a base for its large junior section (the club's u9s are currently displaced out of the District and reduced junior play on the club's adult pitches would enhance the quality of these pitches over time).
Visit date: 1st March 2017
Owner: Bramshott & Liphook Parish Council (telcon 30/05/17 with Jeanette Kirkby, Vice Chair)

Facilities: 2 adult football pitches (main pitch with 1m rail to one side), football changing pavilion, portacabin store. Also on site: 3 floodlit tennis courts and pavilion (club); Bowling green and pavilion (club), boarded up former pavilions (2), derelict grass tennis courts, car park.

Pitch Quality: Site locked at night. Both pitches - POOR/STANDARD - flat, moderately even (worm casts), some bare patches, wet but no ponding evident on visit.
Ancillary Quality: STANDARD. Insufficient capacity.

Management Type: Parish Council. Maintenance in house.
Use: Liphook United FC - 1st XI (HPFL Prem) & Reserves play Sat pm; Vets every fortnight Sun am; 9 NEHYL youth teams (u11-u16) Sat am & Sun; 5 NEHYL mini soccer teams (u7-u10) Sat am. Over-mark small sided pitches on adult pitches. Also play some matches on pitches at Bohunt School and train on the sand AGP. (The club also organises a tournament at Bohunt for u7-u16s over a w/end in May). The club aspires to grow but over-marking of pitches means that the pitches at this site are used beyond their capacity.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE (Liphook identified by FA as a priority area in the District for more pitch capacity)
- Remove closed pavilion buildings on the site.
- Consider feasibility of providing a mini-soccer pitch and ball retention fencing on the former grass tennis courts.
- Assess options and feasibility of improving existing pitch quality and extending the pavilion.
- Explore availability and cost of securing more access to grass pitches at Bohunt School.
**Visit date:** 2nd March & 23rd May 2017  
**Owner:** Club (Liss Cricket Club own freehold)  

**Facilities:**  
**Cricket:** 1 cricket pitch  
**Football:** 1 u15 (11v11) football pitch over-marked with 2 mini-soccer pitches located on outfield of cricket pitch. Mobile goalposts on site.  
Small shared pavilion (late 1980s or early 1990s), brick traditional construction with tiled pitched roof. (FA Respect banner in situ on visit). Site access on bend. Gated access to small un-made car parking area (ponding on visit).

**Pitch Quality:** Fenced site no public access. Untidy with pallets and cones strewn, broken drain cover on verge by site entrance.  
**Cricket:** STANDARD (Liss CC rate as 3/5 in survey).  
**Football:** STANDARD/POOR - the adult pitch falls moderately away from access road and mini-soccer pitches across pitch therefore have cross-fall. Grass cover and evenness adequate (maintained in summer as cricket outfield). No goalmouth wear - use mobile goals.  

**Ancillary Quality:** Pavilion is in STANDARD condition and subject of an application to Sport England for funding for internal upgrade and extension.

**Management Type:** No security of access - goodwill of cricket club owner. Assume that Liss Athletic FC volunteers do basic maintenance in winter season, cricket club in summer.  
**Use:**  
**Cricket:** Liss CC with 2 adult men's league teams a social side playing occasional fixtures on Sundays and midweek and c. 22 juniors play occasional fixtures at u11 and u15. The first team compete in Hampshire County Division 3 North. 2nd team are in Regional Div 3. Juniors aged 8+ train at the ground on Monday evenings. Winter nets are in the sports hall at Bohunt School.  
**Football:** Liss Athletic FC Juniors - Sat am (6 junior teams), 7 mini-soccer teams. Main grounds - Newman Collard Playing Field and Spread Eagle Pub pitch (opposite).

**Actions:** PROTECT  
**Liss identified by FA as a priority area in the District for more pitch capacity**  
- Improve access/parking area  
- Upgrade and extend clubhouse to provide umpires/referee changing rooms and disabled facilities - club has current plans  
- Liss Athletic FC to review with Liss PC and Hants HA the future need for the u15 pitch at this site in context of future pitch needs of club and outcome of drainage study at Newman Collard Playing Field, future of Spread Eagle pub pitch and club's 2 new pitches on land at Lyss Place, Hawkley Road, Liss GU33 6JW
Visit date: 1st March 2017

**Owner:** Petersfield Town Council (Met Cllr Paul Strawbridge; Neil Hitch, Town Clerk; Doug Budd, Grounds Manager.

**Facilities:** 1 adult football pitch; 3 7v7 and 1 5v5 mini soccer pitches. Moveable goalposts. Training Grids for Academy etc. Changing rooms with kitchen, and store (building shared with Montessori nursery - recently re-roofed). Skate park.

**Pitch Quality:** Open site.

- **Adult pitch** - STANDARD - Cross fall, moderate grass coverage and evenness.
- **Mini soccer pitches** - POOR/STANDARD - Cross fall. Localised water-logging in corner of lower pitch on visit. Heavy use is evident. Club rating 2/5

**Ancillary Quality:** GOOD - built c1999 with 6 en suite changing, kitchen and store. Club rating 2/5 as lacks social space/shelter.

**Management Type:** Town Council manage and maintain the site and pitches, except the 2 mini pitches and pavilion which are leased to PTC & AFC Petersfield FC.

**Use:** Main site of PTC & AFC Petersfield FC on Saturdays and Sundays - one of largest clubs in Hampshire with 37 teams for 17/18 season (8 mini soccer, 22 junior boys, 4 junior girls, 1 men’s, 2 women’s). The club plays across this site and Penns Place where it hosts an annual junior 6 a side tournament in June (no changing or social space at Penns Place just access to WCs in Taro). Teams train over four evenings on the 3G at The Petersfield School (£15k pa) from Oct-March (access to WCs, no changing). Use Love Lane in summer. Growing club - particularly girls. Seek more pitch capacity in short term for u14 boys and girls teams. Club aspires to a single central hub site with 3G pitches and social base.

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Review options and feasibility of improving the quality/drainage of mini soccer pitches.
- Ensure existing pitches are retained if proposals to extend the Skate park on the site go ahead (subject to funding and planning).
**Medstead Village Hall & Green** - Roe Downs Road, Medstead, Alton, GU34 5LG

**Visit Date:** Wednesday 22nd February & 23rd May 2017  
**Owner:** Medstead PC (met Cllr Ken Kercher, Cllr & Medstead Cricket Club)

**Facilities:**  
**Football:** 1 adult football pitch (on one side of Roe Downs Road);  
**Cricket:** One main pitch (12 grass wickets and very worn NTP) plus second pitch with NTP only and pavilion (on opposite side of Roe Downs Road to football pitch).  
A large Village Hall and car park are also located on the cricket ground. The village also has a **Bowls Club** with a newly resurfaced artificial turf green (£40k), a **Tennis Club** with 3 floodlit courts (due for resurfacing) and a Primary School with mini-soccer pitches close by.

**Pitch Quality:** Open site. **Football** pitch - STANDARD - Flat pitch with adequate evenness and excellent grass cover (due to lack of use). No markings. No evidence of drainage problems. **Cricket pitch** - STANDARD - One NTP installed in 2012 (EHDC), other is unsafe to use. Artificial net system is derelict. Club uses mobile net cage. Club rates pitch as 4/5.  
**Ancillary Quality:** GOOD. Closed in winter due to lack of football hires. Used by cricket club only. 2 en-suite team changing & officials (used as store). A kitchen and clubroom with small balcony at first floor (not DDA). Club rates as 4/5.

**Management Type:** Parish Council. Contracted grounds maintenance for outfield and football pitch. Cricket square (club volunteers) - own roller etc. in garage on site.

**Use:** Football - occasional overspill hires to teams from Alton clubs but clubs not willing to mark out pitch so lapsed. Currently used for informal kick about football and occasional charity games. Village club folded 2009.  
**Cricket** - Medstead Cricket Club - 1 adult team in Hampshire League (Sat) and occasional friendly games Sundays and midweek. Junior Section (60-70 players) on Friday evenings with 5 ECB trained parent coaches and teams at u9 and u11. The club aspires to develop in time an u13 team and then an u15 team all playing on the pitch at the Green.

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE  
- Maintain and promote football pitch to Alton clubs as 'overspill' site available in nearby village (ad hoc hire with hiring clubs to line mark, provide nets, flags etc.)  
- Upgrade artificial turf cricket practice net
Visit date: 16th May 2017

Owner: Hampshire County Council.

Playing field is shared by two schools located on land at either end of the playing field; Mill Chase Academy - due to relocate in 2019 to make way for a housing development - and Hollywater Primary a new building which will remain.

Facilities:

Football: one overgrown youth 11v11 football pitch - no markings, unsafe posts (one set vandalised)

Rugby: one overgrown rugby pitch - no markings, rusty and unsafe posts

Space on site for more pitches.

Athletics: A grass track is marked (8 lane, 400m).

Pitch Quality: Football & Rugby: VERY POOR - unsafe to use in current condition. Lots of mole/ant hills, tufts of dried grass clippings, uneven, high weed/wildflower content. Athletics track very uneven and unsafe to use.

Ancillary Quality: N/A - none on site. Children walk to site changed from the respective schools. Town Council's Pavilion on Mill Chase Recreation Ground is only a short walk away.

Management Type: Education. Maintained by HCC.

Use: No community use

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE

- Explore with HCC its plans for the future of this playing field in the context of the imminent relocation of the adjacent Mill Chase Academy - to include a new playing field with a rugby pitch and youth football pitches - and assess the potential for enhancement of this Hollywater playing field to provide junior and mini soccer pitches for use by Hollywater Primary School and Wey Valley FC in association with Mill Chase Recreation Ground pitches and pavilion facilities.
Visit date: 16th May 2017
Owner: Whitehill Town Council (met Andrea Mann, Town Clerk & Chris Norkett. Grounds Officer)

Facilities:
Football: One adult pitch; one 11v11 youth pitch (over marked as 9v9), one 7v7, one 5v5. Basketball 3v3 area. Pavilion. Car Park.
Pitch Quality: POOR - Confirmed by findings of recent IOG report for FA. The site is low-lying, close to waterways and prone to flooding when drains to local road network fill up. The ground is heavily compacted. There is a high weed content in the grass cover and clippings are left on site after cuts. There are some uneven areas (dips and holes). The adult pitch has a moderate slope.
Ancillary Quality: STANDARD TO GOOD. Don Mayes Pavilion (ex Chair of WTC). FF grant supported. 12 years old.

Management Type: Site is fenced and securable. There is a grounds equipment maintenance store on site. Maintained by contractor for Town Council. Basic specification (cuts and repairs) with no de-compaction works or re-seeding.

Use: Home base of Wey Valley FC (2 adult teams in Aldershot & District (Saturday) League with summer training on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7-8.30pm and in winter on Mill Chase AGP on Thursdays only. 8 youth/minisoccer teams u7, u8, u9, u11 (x2), u12, u13, u15 age groups playing in NEHYL. Winter training on Mill Chase AGP on Tues or Weds evenings 96-7pm). Mini Kickers sessions 9.30-10.30 on recreation ground on Saturday mornings for 4 & 5 year old boys and girls. Disability (‘4 Clubs’) sessions on Mill Chase AGP on Tuesdays (7-8pm).
Royal Oak Vets FC (adult) - a pub team from Hollywater play home Sunday league matches at the recreation ground and play pre-season friendlies on the Mill Chase AGP.
Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE - Address pitch improvement works recommended in IoG report and consider linking community football club use with restored pitches on Hollywater Primary / Mill Chase Academy playing field at rear of site.
Visit date: 1\textsuperscript{st} March 2017  

**Owner:** Newman Collard Playing Field Trust on behalf of Liss PC. (Met reps. of Trust, PC and Liss Athletic FC)  

**Facilities:** 1 adult football pitch (floodlights); 2 junior pitches (7v7 & 9v9), 2 storey pavilion (en-suite change for players & officials, spec WC, licensed bar/kitchen, parking (play group hire in week - has consent for extension), grounds maintenance equipment garage with public WCs at one end by tennis courts (3) with good quality porous macadam surface and floodlighting to 2 courts, leased by Trust to Newman Collard Tennis Club.  

**Pitch Quality:** Open site.  
Adult pitch - POOR - compacted, 15yr old herringbone drains blocked, high moss content (trees block light), waterlogged (ponding on visit)  
Junior 9v9 pitch- POOR - uneven, waterlogged  
Junior 7v7 pitch - POOR - just playable on visit  

**Ancillary Quality:** GOOD - Brick construction, 2 storey building. Changing rooms subject to major upgrade/extension in 2014 with funding support from the Football Stadia Improvement Fund. Building shared with tennis club and playgroups.  

**Management Type:** Playing Fields Trust  
Maintenance by Parish Council ground staff - football club contributions in past (eg. to aeration works to reduce compaction). Tennis club working parties maintain courts.  

**Use:** Adult pitch - Liss Athletic FC 1sts (semi pro, HPL Prem) Sat pm (2pm KOs to avoid floodlight costs). Aspire to return to Wessex League (perimeter fencing etc required). Also play at Rogate RG in Rake in Chichester District. Junior pitches - Liss Athletic Juniors FC use 7v7 pitch on Sat am (NE Hants Youth League) when playable. Use other pitches in Liss and one pitch at Penns Place Petersfield.  

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE  
(Liss identified by FA as a priority area in the District for more pitch capacity)  

- Trust, PC, Hants FA and Liss AFC to review the findings and recommendations of a drainage study. If considered cost effective, enhance quality of Newman Collard pitches including options for upgrade of ground to Wessex League standard (FA Grade H entry level to NLS Step 6) supported by future S106 contributions and establish feasibility of conversion of main floodlit pitch to 3G.  
- If not considered cost effective or feasible to upgrade the pitches for match play, retain for informal recreation and continue to seek site opportunities in Liss area to provide replacement pitches (e.g. extension of West Liss Recreation Ground in addition to new pitches recently secured at Lyss Place in Hawkley Road).
**Visit Date:** 2\(^{nd}\) March 2017

**Owner:** Clanfield Parish Council Trustees - gifted by Lady Peel in trust. (Met Diane Duffy, Parish Clerk)

**Facilities:** 1 adult football pitch (Step 7) with rail and hardstanding along nearside touchline; 1 youth 11v11 pitch (u13/u14). Changing pavilion (built 1999, £100k SE grant). New skatepark, 3v3 basketball area and equipped play area on site.

**Pitch Quality:** Open site
Adult pitch - POOR/STANDARD - slope and cross fall, uneven (undulates), some mole damage, good grass cover. Temporary issue with pitch width since installed path to skate park but due to be widened on other side to compensate.
Youth pitch - STANDARD.

**Ancillary Quality:** GOOD - built 1999. 4 en-suite changing rooms (female change used as store as all female play takes place at Winchester Central League site), 1 officials, clubroom, kitchen, spec WCs

**Management Type:** Parish Council, Maintenance in house (cuts fortnightly in season, seed goalmouths only (finance) as no income (free use condition of gift of land).

**Use:** Well used site for club football. Adult Pitch by Clanfield FC 1st XI (Hampshire PL) & Reserves - Sat pm; U18 (Portsmouth YFL) - Sun; u12/u13 - Sun am (PYFL). Girls' teams - all games played at central girls league ground in Winchester (W&DGFL).
Minis use East Meon pitch pending completion of new pitch to be provided in 2018 at St James Place, Clanfield as part of a signed S106 agreement.
Summer event use - skate jam, village festival etc

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Remark adult pitch to full width and look to enhance pitch quality with future S106 contributions
Visit dates: 1st March & 16th May 2017

Owners: Petersfield Town Council owns: land leased to Petersfield RFC for pavilion & pitches (25yrs); land laid out as junior football pitches (licensed for use by PTC & AFC Petersfield). EHDC owns: Field to rear of pavilion (hired to rugby club for training & minis on Sundays); Cricket ground to rear of EHDC offices (hired to Petersfield CC as second ground); Tarleisure Centre (leased to Everyone Active from April 2017); Car Park. Churchers College owns adjacent rugby/cricket ground. Met on site Stuart Barden, Chairman of PRFC and, at TC Offices, Cllr Paul Strawbridge; Neil Hitch, Clerk & Doug Budd, Groundsman. Also met a Petersfield CC member at Heath ground and David Robbins at Churchers College.

Facilities: RUGBY: 4 adult pitches (2.5 floodlit); training area/u11 pitch & minis area (coned), 2-storey pavilion with gym (clubroom used by Table Tennis Club for league matches). JUNIOR FOOTBALL: 4 x youth 11v11 pitches & 2 x 9v9. CRICKET: 1 pitch with 10 grass wicket square (3 prepared of which 2 junior 21yd) plus an NTP and a wooden pavilion.

Pitch Quality: Open site. RUGBY: pitches 2 to 4 - M1/D1 (minis area and corner of 1st pitch - poor drainage M1/D0) Grass length issue - all pitches cut to football length. Heavy wear of training pitches. FOOTBALL: pitches 1 to 6 - STANDARD - worn goalmouths. CRICKET: STANDARD - square well maintained by Petersfield CC. Localised discoloration of turf on parts of outfield.

Ancillary Quality: RUGBY: GOOD; FOOTBALL: NONE (originally shared rugby pavilion now no changing rooms and use WCs in Taro); CRICKET: POOR (wooden 'hut' pavilion with felt roof. Club has recently added new access steps - no disabled access)

Management Type: The Town Council manages and maintains the rugby and football pitches (rugby club liaises and provides grass seed). The rugby club manages and maintain the clubhouse. The cricket club manages and maintains the square and pavilion.

Use: Petersfield RFC: 3 adult teams & Vets (Sat pm), 450 in youth section u6-colts (Sun), training Tues & Thurs. Host county u7/u12 festival (6 days, 800 players). Havant RFC (Youth) and Hants RFU squads in winter when other pitches unplayable. PTC & AFC Petersfield FC: 8 minisoccer teams in NEHYFL, 23 junior boys teams, 4 junior girls teams, 3 adult teams. Annual junior 6s tournament in June. Play across this site and Love Lane. 'Liss Pitch' immediately behind Taro not available to PTC as used by Liss Athletic FC juniors for NEHYFL Sat am games. Petersfield CC: Play 3rd/social XI home fixtures at this site plus junior games and use by Churchers College for midweek games in return for club's access to winter nets in sports hall.

Actions: PROTECT, ENHANCE, PROVIDE (Petersfield identified by FA and by RFU as a priority area in the District for more pitch capacity)

- 3rd set of training lights & pavilion enhancements (rugby)
- Site expansion onto Penn’s B Field - additional rugby/junior football pitches and football changing block (Town Council, S106)
- Long term - transfer of EHDC land to either Town Council or rugby club and provide Multi Sports HUB with rugby/football 3G. Land swap of Churchers College PF with PTC’s Petersfield Town FC Love Lane ground with merger of adult and junior football clubs.
**Visit Date:** 16th May 2017 (met club member project managing pavilion upgrade)

**Owner:** Petersfield Town Council

**Facilities:** One cricket pitch with 12 grass wickets and a pavilion. 2 non-turf practice nets by pavilion

**Pitch Quality:** Pitch (and pavilion) maintained by Petersfield Cricket Club. Own sit-on roller, tractor and cutters etc. Pitch - GOOD. Practice nets require attention - surface and net system appears sound but significant weed growth on visit.

**Ancillary Quality:** Old brick built pavilion underwent full internal re-fit and replacement of services in 2017 supported by £75k Sport England Inspired Fund grant, grants from EHDC, Hampshire PFA, Petersfield TC and club fundraising. GOOD quality internal specification with modern fittings (showers, WCs, bar, kitchen, clubroom). Upgrade to heating system to facilitate social hires to community groups in winter to raise income to help sustain the club. Works completed August 2017.

Main facility issue for players is access/parking - as site is a protected heathland there is no pitch-side car parking or prospect of providing any. Players are required to carry kit from car park shared with Day Nursery (c. 200m away).

**Management Type:** Club.

**Use:** Petersfield CC runs 3 Saturday men's league teams and 1 women's team playing in Hampshire Cricket League plus Sunday, Midweek and President's social sides. Indoors, the club runs a Senior Team (winners of SE Hants Cricket Assoc Indoor League in 2017) and a Women's team (Pallas). The junior section has 8 age group teams aged from u7s to u17s and u13 and u16 indoor teams. Home games and training divided between this ground and a second pitch nearby at Penns Place (EHDC owned)

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Upgrade practice nets
Visit date: 1st March 2017 (Met Graeme Moir)

Owner: Petersfield Town FC (30 yr lease from Petersfield TC, 25 yrs unexpired)

Facilities: 1 floodlit stadium football pitch (FA Grade D Step 4), social club and changing pavilion with spectator facilities, medical room, officials room, car park (owned by Town Council and shared with users of Love Lane Sports Ground and nursery adjacent).

Pitch Quality: Enclosed, secure site. Stadium pitch - POOR blocked drainage, cross fall, waterlogged with ponding on visit. Floodlighting poles needs replacing/rewiring. Club had recent FA loan for replacing lamps - still repaying. FA commissioned report and recommendations from IoG in June 2017.

Ancillary Quality: POOR - built in 1980s, needs work to electrics, fire security etc. Spectator areas very poor.

Management Type: Sports Club. Own club volunteers maintain using own equipment (Site security issues - thefts in past)

Use: Petersfield FC - Ist XI (Southern League D1 Central) Sat pm; relegated to Wessex Premier for 2017/18. Reserves (occasional); u18 Youth folded 2016. Host AFC Petersfield Ladies HCWL fixtures on Sunday pms. c. 12 pa.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Implement IoG report recommendations for minimum necessary pitch enhancement in short term to sustain use
- LONG TERM - consider options for relocation of club to Penns Place with stadium 3G potentially on Churchers College Playing Field (subject to land swap negotiation and agreement with Churchers College and planning)
Visit Date: Wednesday 22nd February
Owner: Ropley PC (met Cllr Giles Stogdon & telcon May 30th Cllr Drew Fielden)

Facilities: 1 adult football pitch and cricket pitch (football over laying the outfield) on main playing field with a high spec pavilion built with lottery support in 2005. A youth 11v11 pitch is provided on a separate field. Other sports facilities on the site include tennis (2 floodlit courts and pavilion). A former bowling green and pavilion redeveloped in May/June 2017 as a hard court MUGA and 3rd tennis court/mini tennis courts to meet growing demand of tennis club. The recreation ground has its own parking separate from the Ropley Parish Hall adjacent (due to be extended in 2017). There is also an equipped play area.

Pitch Quality: Open site. Football: Adult pitch - STANDARD - Moderately sloping pitch with adequate evenness and good grass cover. No evidence of drainage problems - chalk sub base. Pitch too narrow for Hampshire League requirements. Extended by 3m as part of project to remove bowls and replace with MUGA. Youth football pitch - STANDARD. Cricket: VERY GOOD (Southern Premier League accredited). NT nets GOOD. u9s junior cricket pitch over marked on back field football pitch in summer.

Ancillary Quality: GOOD. Two changing rooms with ensuite showers. Communal WCs. Officials room fully ensuite. Bar, kitchen, clubroom, meeting/pool room. No spectator WCs.

Management Type: Parish Council. Contracted grounds maintenance to OCS Ltd (cuts, aeration, weed treatment and deep verti-drain and sand dressing when required). Cricket club maintains main square with own gang mower, roller etc stored in garage at end of pavilion on site.

Use: Ropley Football Club. Adult first team in Aldershot & District FL (Sat pm) and two social vets sides Farnham & District SFL (Sun am) plus a youth team. Train for 2 hours on one evening a week on grass in front of pavilion using basic lights mounted on the pavilion roof (relocating to MUGA in 2017/18). Ropley Cricket Club. 2 Saturday league teams in Hampshire Cricket Leagues and large junior section with 6 age group sides in SE Hants Cricket Assoc leagues plus u10 girls and u7 coaching group. Strong links between club and Ropley Primary School.

Actions: PROTECT, ENHANCE & PROVIDE
- LONG TERM Purchase adjacent field to relocate adult football off cricket outfield, maintaining a youth football pitch on main site, increasing number of youth pitches by one.
- Create storage area in roof space of pavilion
**Rowlands Castle Recreation Ground** - The Fairway, Rowlands Castle, PO9 6AQ

### Visit date:
2nd March

**Owner:** Rowland’s Castle Parish Council (met Gill Whatley – Admin Assistant)

**Facilities:** 1 adult football pitch; 1 junior 9v9 pitch; 1 minisoccer 5v5 pitch. Pavilion, pitchside portacabin store, 3 tennis courts (recently resurfaced by club, no lights), cricket square (no NTP or nets), outdoor gym equipment, parking

**Pitch Quality:** Site locked at night.

**Football:**
- Adult pitch - **STANDARD** - Moderate slope, adequate grass cover, adequately even. Junior pitch - **STANDARD/POOR** - heavy wear and poor grass cover. Minisoccer pitch **STANDARD**.

**Cricket:**
- One pitch with 10 grass wickets. **POOR/STANDARD** - uneven outfield (football share).

**Ancillary Quality:** **VERY GOOD** - 2 ensuite team changing rooms, 2 ensuite officials rooms, clubroom, kitchen, views over pitch, spec WCs (Castle Utd share with cricket and tennis clubs. Volunteer working party redecs and new doors in 2017)

**Management Type:** Parish Council employs maintenance contractor (fortnightly cuts in season, vertidrain, feed & weedkill every two years if PC finances allow). Cricket Club maintains cricket square. Rowlands Castle Tennis Club lease and maintain courts (share the pavilion with cricket and football)

**Use:**
- **Football:** Castle Utd FC (annual agreement with PC for minimum of 10 home matches Sun am (Portsmouth SFL D2). Castle Utd Youth FC Club runs 6 Sunday PYFL age group teams: u8s x 2, u9 (training Sat am at home ground), u10 (training Weds eve on 3G at Warblington School Havant), u13 & u14 (training Warblington School Sat am) and a Soccer Skills Academy for 6-11yr olds at Havant Academy Sports Hall, Leigh Park, Havant on Sat am. Some staggered KO times for youth home games - Sun ams.
- **Cricket:** Former Rowlands Park CC now Stanstead Park CC and play at Stanstead House & Grounds just across the border with Chichester District. Since 2009, pitch has been home ground to DACD Cricket Club (origins in Portsmouth Council Architects & Civic Design Dept.). Club has worked on restoring the square to accommodate c. 20 home fixtures of social cricket per season (mix of Sunday 40 over and midweek 20 over games)

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE
- Use future S106 contributions to enhance the site - priorities are to improve pitch quality and playing capacity for adult and youth football clubs
Visit date: N/A - information from web searches.

Owner: Clanfield Parish Council


Pitch Quality: Open site. Site is subject to issues with travellers seeking to access.

Ancillary Quality: N/A none provided. Use local pub

Management Type: Managed by South Lane Meadow Trust

Use: Clanfield Cricket Club are a Sunday and midweek friendly cricket side. 15 home fixtures in 2017 (Weds evenings or Sundays)

Actions: PROTECT
Visit date: 2nd March 2017

Owner: Private (brewery - field beside pub car park)

Facilities: 1 9v9 junior pitch (opposite Liss Cricket Club ground with junior pitches and pavilion). No pavilion on Spread Eagle site. Pub car park.

Pitch Quality: Open site
POOR - uneven (undulating) pitch, very wet on visit, adequate grass cover, except for wear in goalmouths.

Ancillary Quality: n/a (Liss Athletic Juniors FC use cricket pavilion on Liss Cricket Ground site across road. This pavilion is in STANDARD condition and subject to application to Sport England for funding for internal upgrade and extension)

Management Type: No security of access - goodwill of brewery company/pub tenant manager. Liss Athletic Juniors FC volunteers do basic maintenance - evidence of domestic mower in hedge to side of pitch on visit.

Use: Liss Athletic FC Juniors - Sat am (4x9v9 teams). This 15 team club also plays on pitches at Newman Collard Playing Field, Liss Cricket Club Ground (opposite) and Penns Place, Petersfield.

Actions: PROTECT
(Liss identified by FA as a priority area in the District for more pitch capacity)

- Pitch at risk - brewery seeking to dispose as potential housing site.
**Visit Date:** 24th May 2017

**Owner:** Club (120 years old)

**Facilities:** Shared road access with Steep Lawn Tennis Club on adjacent site. Large Ground with extensive (grass) parking area at opposite end of site to single storey wooden pavilion with changing, WCs, kitchen, clubroom and balcony.

1 cricket pitch (10 grass wickets) with water supply to square and 1 non turf wicket.

3 mobile net cages. Large catching practice net.

2 derelict practice nets located on edge of parking area.

Grounds maintenance equipment garage/store.

**Pitch Quality:** GOOD. Outfield flat and even. Some minor holes in outfield. Excellent grass cover.

**Ancillary Quality:** GOOD (pictured). New flooring being installed to pavilion on visit.

**Management Type:** Club - own maintenance and equipment

**Use:** Steep CC has 2 Saturday teams playing in Hants Cricket League, a friendly Sunday team and occasional midweek evening games with other villages. An u19 squad play in the Natwest T20 league from July. The club restarted junior coaching in 2010 (Monday evenings 6-8pm) and currently has 6 qualified coaches. u11 and u13 teams play in SE Hants Cricket Association league playing home fixtures on Friday evenings (u11) and Tuesday evenings (u13). The club engages in Chance To Shine with coaches visiting local state schools. The club also hosts Steep Stoolball Club typically playing 10 home fixtures on Wednesday evenings between May and September and an all day junior tournament on a Sunday in June. The cricket club train at Bedales in winter.

**Actions:** PROTECT & ENHANCE

- Replace cricket practice net playing surface (potentially retain existing nets & supports in fair condition)
Visit Date: 23rd May 2017
Owner: Academy Trust (met Sue Ayer, Deputy Business Manager & Tom)
Facilities: Floodlit 3G AGP (funded from land sale to Tesco); 4 ct Sports Hall (without cricket nets); Assembly/Dining Hall (used by Petersfield Table Tennis Club); School Gym (used by Karate Club), Dance Studio, Tennis/Netball Courts (2 dedicated, 6 others also serve as playground), Playing Field (with cricket NTP, 1 rugby, 2 football, grass track in summer, jump pit)
Quality: AGP GOOD (2008); Sports Hall GOOD (new roof in 2008); NTP GOOD; Grass pitches POOR TO STANDARD (poorly draining compacted ground no spare capacity to hire) Ancillary Quality: STANDARD

Management Type: School in house, community access evenings, Saturdays and Sunday mornings in term time. AGP planning conditions - close 9.30pm weekday eves, no use on Sat eves or Sun afternoons.
Use: 3G AGP - Petersfield Town Juniors FC main 3G community user (seasonal hire Oct-Mar for training 6-9.30pm Mon-Thurs evenings). New approach in 2017 from Petersfield Town FC about possible hire on Fri evening and Sat for a Development Squad to secure transition from PTJFC to senior club. Other 5v5 recreational teams and ad hoc hires of 3G for matches - e.g. Havant & Waterlooville FC teams. No longer accept commercial leagues due to past problems with behaviour and vandalism. AT CAPACITY IN PEAK HOURS - REGULAR ENQUIRIES FOR BOOKINGS AT CHARGE OF £76/HR ADULT & £50/HR JUNIOR. CONFIDENT OF SUFFICIENT DEMAND TO 'BACK FILL' PTJFC SHOULD CLUB RELOCATE.
Sports Hall - Basketball recreational standard group (former booking to Rockets Basketball Club ceased)
Assembly/Dining Hall - Petersfield Town Table Tennis Club (Mon eves including an After School Club delivered by PTTC volunteers)
Dance Studio - Dance School booking, annual dance festival in July
Gymnasium - various karate and other martial arts clubs

Facilities booked 10am and 4pm some Saturdays and in the Easter and Summer holidays by 'Challengers', providing inclusive play and leisure opportunities for disabled children and young people.

Actions: PROTECT
- No current facility enhancement needs (grass pitches - not cost effective to enhance to good quality to permit community use)
Visit date: 2nd March 2017
Owner: Horndean PC - recreation ground only. Access to car park and changing is by arrangement with Horndean FC who own their Step 5 graded pitch (adjacent), a clubhouse/social club and the car park (met Matthew Madhill, grounds manager)
Facilities: 1 adult football pitch, 1 youth 11v11 football pitch, 1 minisoccer pitch + informal kick about area (close to housing) and a further open grass area on opposite side of access road. Access to parking is by arrangement with Horndean FC
Pitch Quality: Open site.
Adult pitch - STANDARD - wettest area on field despite highest lying, user club only lost one game in 16/17 season to weather
Youth 11v11 pitch- STANDARD/GOOD. Minis pitch - STANDARD/GOOD.
Ancillary Quality: N/a. No changing for park pitches.
Management Type: Parish Council
Maintenance in house mainly by Parish Council although user club does own cuts. Grounds Manager has quote and budget to seed, fertilise, shockwave aerate and weed spray in summer 2017.
Use: Adult pitch - Horndean Hawks FC 1st XI (Portsmouth Sat League Prem); 2nd XI (Meon Valley Sun League D3), 8 youth teams (u11-u14) in PYFL on Sundays, 6 minisoccer teams (u7-u10) on Sundays, Young Stars Academy (Sat am u5/u6).
Use adjacent pitches at Horndean Technology College extensively on Saturdays for youth football and for an annual youth / minisoccer tournament. The club also uses the Parish Council pitches installed in 2011 at Jubilee Hall Park.
Training venues used by the club are Horndean Tech College AGP (7-9pm Weds) and Oct-Mar at South Downs College AGP (Waterlooville), Thorney Island AGP (Emsworth), Park Community School AGP (Havant), Cowplain Community School Sports Hall (u7). Summer training for youth teams takes place on these pitches and for minisoccer at Jubilee Hall Park and Horndean Technology College.
Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
o Parish Council and club to consider options for a secure equipment store on site for user club, Horndean Hawks (currently hire lock up off site)
o Review future playing pitch facility needs and priorities (e.g. pitch sizes and layouts) for this site in the context of the provision at Jubilee Hall Park, at Horndean College and the recent outline planning consent for approx. 700 new homes and community facilities including playing pitches on land to the east of Horndean.
West Liss Recreation Ground - Station Road, Liss, GU33 7AJ

Visit date: 1st March 2017

Owner: Liss Parish Council (met David Dodds - Chairman of the Grounds Committee)

Facilities: 1 adult football pitch (space for 2 if rotate through 90 degrees but would require substantial levelling on hedge side). Changing pavilion (with scout hut adjacent) and small unmade parking area (ponding on visit)

Pitch Quality: Open site
STANDARD - pitch cross fall, mole damage (being addressed on visit), good grass cover & length
Ancillary Quality: VERY POOR- wood construction, unusable showers
Management Type:
Parish Council
Maintenance in house

Use: Liss Athletic FC Juniors (15 teams: 12 youth, 3 minis) - 1x 11v11 Sat am. Also play at Newman Collard PF (1x7v7); Liss Cricket Club (Minis, 1x5v5, 1x7v7, 2x11v11); Spread Eagle 4x9v9 and Penns Place 2x11v11). Train on AGP at Bohunt School. Club plans more teams - 2 per age group but need more pitch capacity. No current adult use of pitch (West Liss FC based at Whistle Stop pub in Aldershot & District Sunday FL Div 3 folded in 2016).

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
(Liss identified by FA as a priority area in the District for more pitch capacity)
- Replace Pavilion as priority (Liss PC secured £40k S106 contribution from EHDC), planning consent in place
- Remark and equip for minisoccer/youth football
- PC, Hants FA and Liss AFC to review the options to secure land adjacent in EHDC ownership to increase youth pitch capacity
Visit Date: 3rd November

Owner: Private

Facilities:
Cricket: A picturesque traditional village cricket ground located between the hamlets of Upper Wield and Lower Wield close to the western district boundary near Medstead and Bentworth with 1 pitch and a single storey wooden changing pavilion built in 1988 and since upgraded with a new roof and clock. The Yew Tree Pub immediately opposite the cricket ground is the main social base of the club.

Pitch Quality: Open site.
Cricket: STANDARD. Sloping outfield. NT practice net POOR
Ancillary Quality: STANDARD - Changing rooms with communal showers and WCs, Officials change, small kitchen

Management Type: Club Voluntary. Club members maintain and prepare pitch before games.

Use: Cricket: One village team playing Sunday afternoons - with the majority of matches played at this ground (20 out of 23 fixtures in 2017). Occasional 20/20 friendly games are scheduled on Friday evenings. The club has a junior section (established for 20 years) currently with c. 70 attending on Tuesday evenings aged from 6-11yrs. Junior team play is limited to a successful mixed u9s steam playing approximately 10 softball fixtures a season against other clubs (7 at home in 2017). These usually take place on Saturday mornings, occasionally on Sunday mornings.

Actions: PROTECT & ENHANCE
 o Replace NT cricket net