

Key actions from PPS 2024

Football

Key Strategic Actions

<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Community access to pitches	Pursue formal Community Use agreements at all existing and any future proposed pitches on education sites.	HDC	Academies and schools	Possible funding for improvements to physical accessibility.	High
Securing developer contributions	Ensure that policy provision is made to secure developer contributions towards new and improved football facilities.	HDC	Developers	Determined by Sport England's Playing Pitch Calculator	High
Identify site for a '3G' football turf pitch	Examine the feasibility of providing a '3G' pitch at an appropriate site in the East sub-area.	Potential host site	FF S106 funding	£10,000 for feasibility study £1.045.000 for pitch	High
Co-operation with the RFU and England Hockey	Dialogue between the respective governing bodies on coordinating shared artificial grass pitch needs	FA	RFU England Hockey	-	High

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Site specific grounds maintenance needs	Review site specific grounds maintenance needs through the FA Pitch Improvement Programme.	FA	PP	£100 per site annually.	High
Total Capital Costs				£1,055,000.00	

Football Site Specific Actions

Site	Issues	Action	Lead	Partners	Resources	Priority
Aylestone St. James RFC	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-
Bird's Barn	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Adult, youth 9v9 and mini 5v5 pitches used to over-capacity at peak times. · 'Poor' quality changing facilities. 	Road access issues make the site unsuitable for expansion. Assist the Club to identify and develop new facilities at an alternative site.	Kibworth Town FC	HDC FF	TBC	High
Bowden's Park	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Youth 11v11, youth 9v9 and mini 7v7 pitches used to over-capacity at peak times. · Harborough Town FC wishes to extend changing facilities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Reschedule fixtures using the '3G' pitch. · Improve changing facilities. 	Harborough Town FC	HDC FF	£200,000 for changing.	High
Dunley Way Playing Field	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-
Dunton & Broughton Rangers FC	Adult pitch used to over capacity at peak times.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Assess pitch using Pitch Power. · Implement improved maintenance. 	Dunton & Broughton Rangers FC	PP	TBC	High
Fleckney Sports & Leisure Centre	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-
Frolesworth Road Recreation Ground	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 'Poor' quality pitches. · 'Poor' quality changing facilities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Assess pitch using Pitch Power. · Implement improved maintenance. 	Broughton Astley PC	PP	TBC	Medium

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Gilmorton Playing Field	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-
Great Glen Recreation Ground	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Adult pitch used to over capacity at peak times. · 'Poor' quality mini 7v7 pitches. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Assess pitch using Pitch Power. · Implement improved maintenance. 	Great Glen PC	PP	TBC	Medium
Houghton Field	'Poor' quality changing.	Improve changing facilities.	Houghton-on-the-Hill PC	FF	£100,000	Medium
Husband's Bosworth Playing Field	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-
Lodge Road Recreation Ground	'Poor' quality changing.	Review the need for on-site changing.	Fleckney PC	Fleckney Athletic FC	-	Low
Lutterworth Football Academy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Adult, youth 11v11 and 9v9 pitches used to over capacity at peak times. · '3G' pitch registration has expired 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Renew '3G' pitch registration · Reschedule play to the '3G' pitch on-site 	Lutterworth Athletic FC	-	-	High
Lutterworth High School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Youth 11v11 and youth 9v9 pitches used to over-capacity at peak times. Unsecured community access	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Assess pitch using Pitch Power. · Implement improved maintenance. Negotiate Community Use Agreement	Lutterworth HS	HDC PP	TBC	Medium
Medbourne Sports and Social Club	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-
North Kilworth Football Club	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-

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Robert Smyth Academy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Youth 11v11 pitch used to over-capacity at peak times. Unsecured community access 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assess pitch using Pitch Power. Implement improved maintenance. Negotiate Community Use Agreement 	Robert Smyth Academy	HDC PP	TBC	Medium
South Kilworth Recreation Ground	Youth 11v11 pitch used to over-capacity at peak times.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assess pitch using Pitch Power Implement improved maintenance. 	South Kilworth PC	PP	TBC	Medium
Swinford Playing Field	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-
Symington's Recreation Ground	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Poor' quality pitches. Youth 9v9, mini 7v7 and 5v5 pitches all used to over capacity at peak times. 'Poor' quality changing facilities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resolve tenancy issues Assess pitches using Pitch Power. Implement improved maintenance. Improve changing facilities. 	Borough Alliance FC	HDC PP	TBC £100,000 for changing.	High
Thomas Estley Community College	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-
Ullesthorpe Playing Fields Association	Mini 7v7 pitch used to over capacity at peak times.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assess pitch using Pitch Power. Implement improved maintenance 	Ullesthorpe Playing Fields Association	PP	TBC	Medium
Warwick Road Recreation Ground	No current issues.	No action required.	-	-	-	-
Total Capital Costs					£400,000.00	

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Cricket

Key Strategic Actions

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Securing developer contributions	Ensure that policy provision is made to secure developer contributions towards new and improved cricket facilities.	HDC	Developers Local clubs	Determined by Sport England's New Development Calculator	High

Cricket Site Specific Actions

<i>Site</i>	<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Billesdon Cricket Club	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Bitteswell Cricket Ground	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Dixon's Field	Grass pitches used to over capacity on a seasonal basis.	Reschedule fixtures to sites with spare capacity	Houghton & Thurnby CC	Fleckney Village CC	-	High
Broughton Astley Recn. Grd.	Grass pitches used to over capacity on a seasonal basis.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improve pitch quality Install a non-turf wicket 	Broughton Astley CC	-	£8,000 for non-turf pitch	High
Dunton Bassett CC	'Poor' quality non-turf pitch	Re-surface non-turf pitch	Dunton Bassett CC	-	£8,000	High
Fleckney Recn. Ground	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Gilmorton Cricket Club	'Poor' quality practice nets.	Provide new nets	Gilmorton CC	-	£20,000	Medium
Great Bowden Recn. Grd.	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Great Glen CC	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Gumley Cricket Club	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poor quality outfield Poor quality changing No secured community access 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improve outfield Improve changing Negotiate Community Use Agreement.	Gumley Cricket Club	Site owner	£5,000 for outfield works TBC for changing	Medium

Playing Pitch Strategy Review 2024

	<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Hallaton Recn Ground	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Houghton and Thurnby CC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 'Poor' quality changing · Issues with lease 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Improve changing · Conclude new lease arrangements 	Houghton and Thurnby CC	HDC, ECB	TBC	High
Illston Abey CC	Proposed provision of football pitches on the outfield	Assess the impact of football on cricket usage	HDC	FA, ECB	-	High
Kibworth Cricket Club	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 'Poor' quality second changing pavilion · 'Poor' quality practice nets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Refurbish second changing pavilion · Provide new practice nets 	Kibworth Cricket Club	-	TBC for changing £20,000 for practice nets	High
Langtons Cricket Club	Proposal to expand changing facilities	Expand changing	Langtons Cricket Club	-	TBC	High
Laughton and Mowsley CC	'Poor' quality changing	Improve changing	Laughton and Mowsley CC	-	TBC	Medium
Little Bowden Recn. Ground	Pitches are currently disused	Retain the pitch for future reinstatement	HDC	-	-	Low
Lutterworth Cricket Club	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Market Harborough CC	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Medbourne Cricket Club	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Neville Holt Cricket Club	No secured community access	Negotiate Community Use Agreement	Neville Holt Cricket Club	Site owner	-	Medium
North Kilworth CC	Grass pitches used to over capacity on a seasonal basis.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Improve pitch quality · Install a non-turf wicket 	North Kilworth CC	-	£8,000 for non-turf pitch	High
Oakfield & Rowland CC	'Poor' quality changing	Improve changing	Oakfield and Rowland CC	-	TBC	Medium
Tilton and Lowesby CC	'Poor' quality changing	Improve changing	Tilton and Lowesby CC	-	TBC	Medium
Ullesthorpe Playing Field	Pitches are currently disused	Retain the pitch for future reinstatement	Ullesthorpe PC	-	-	Low
Total Capital Costs					£69,000.00	

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Rugby Union

Key Strategic Actions

<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Securing developer contributions	Ensure that policy provision is made to secure developer contributions towards new and improved rugby facilities.	HDC	Developers	Determined by Sport England's New Development Calculator	High
Co-operation with the FA and England Hockey	Dialogue between the respective governing bodies on coordinating shared artificial grass pitch needs	RFU	FA England Hockey	-	High

Rugby Site Specific Actions

<i>Site</i>	<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Aylestone St. James RFC	Clubhouse development is incomplete.	Complete the clubhouse project.	ASJRFC	RFU	£100,000	High
Lutterworth RFC	Shortage of capacity for Age Grade rugby in the peak period.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Improve drainage and maintenance. · Provide full floodlighting to partially floodlit pitch. 	LRFC	RFU	£100,000	High
Market Harborough RFC	Shortage of capacity for midweek training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Improve drainage and maintenance. · Provide floodlighting to two additional pitches. · In the longer term, provide a floodlit rugby-compliant artificial grass pitch. 	MHRFC	RFU	£100,000 for drainage and floodlights £970,000 for artificial grass pitch.	High

<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Stoneygate RFC (former site)	Site currently disused	HDC	Landowner	-	High
				Total Capital Costs	£1,270,000.00

Hockey

Key Strategic Actions

<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Securing developer contributions	Ensure that policy provision is made to secure developer contributions towards additional hockey pitch capacity and ancillary facilities.	HDC	Developers	Determined by Sport England's New Development Calculator	High
Use of hockey pitches for football training.	Investigate the potential for additional '3G' football turf pitch provision.	HDC	FA/EH	-	High
Co-operation with the FA and RFU	Dialogue between the respective governing bodies on coordinating shared artificial grass pitch needs	England Hockey	FA RFU	-	High

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Hockey Site Specific Actions

<i>Site</i>	<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Leicester Grammar School	No current issues.	-	-	-	-	-
Lutterworth College	No secured community use.	Negotiate Community Use Agreement	Lutterworth College	Welford HC	-	Medium
Robert Smyth Academy	No use after 9.00pm on midweek evenings	Re-negotiate planning conditions to allow use until 10.00pm	Robert Smyth Academy	HDC MHHC	-	High
Welland Park Academy	No access on Sundays.	Investigate the potential for Sunday opening	Welland Park Academy	HDC MHHC	-	High

Tennis

Key Strategic Actions

<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Protection of existing tennis courts.	Include a policy in the Local Plan to protect all existing tennis courts.	HDC	-	-	High
Improving the use of parks courts	Investigate gate access technology and Clubspark court booking system.	HDC	LTA	TBC	Medium

Tennis Site Specific Actions

<i>Site</i>	<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Coplow Centre	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Foxton Tennis Club	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Gilmorton Tennis Club	Poor disabled access	Provide a tarmac path from the access point	Gilmorton Tennis Club	-	£1,500	Medium
Great Glen Recreation Ground	No changing facilities	Provide a clubhouse	Great Glen TC	LTA	£120,000	High
Hallaton Recreation Ground	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Houghton Tennis Club	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-

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Hungarton Sports Club	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Husband's Bosworth TC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poor changing Poor disability access 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide a tarmac path from the access point Upgrade the changing shelter 	Husband's Bosworth TC	-	£1,500 for path £20,000 for changing	High
Kibworth Tennis Club	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Lutterworth Tennis Club	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Market Harborough TC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Courts used to over capacity One court and surrounds undersized. 	Provide floodlights to the fourth court	Market Harborough TC	LTA	£10,000	High
Medbourne Tennis Club	Courts used to over capacity	No action	-	-	-	-
Robert Smyth Academy	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
North Kilworth Sports Assoc.	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Tilton Sports Club	Courts used to over capacity	No action	-	-	-	-
Wadkins Recreation Ground	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Welland Park	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Total Capital Costs					£153,000.00	

Bowls

Key Strategic Actions

<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Protection of existing bowls greens	Include a policy in the Local Plan to protect all existing bowls greens.	HDC	-	-	High

Bowls Site Specific Actions

<i>Site</i>	<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Hart of Fleckney BC	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-

	<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Houghton BC	Poor quality green	Improve maintenance	Houghton BC	-	£2,000 p.a.	Medium
Kibworth BC	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Little Bowden BC	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Lutterworth Town BC	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Market Harborough Conservative BC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Poor quality changing · Poor disabled access 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Upgrade changing · Improve disabled access 	MHCBC	-	£50,000 for changing £3,000 for disabled access	Medium
Medbourne BC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Poor quality green · Poor quality changing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Improve maintenance · Upgrade changing 	Medbourne BC	-	£2,000 p.a. maintenance £50,000 for changing	-
North Kilworth BC	Poor disabled access	Improve disabled access	North Kilworth BC	-	£3,000	-
South Kilworth BC	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Wycliffe BC	No current issues	No action	-	-	-	-
Total Capital Costs					£110,000.00	

Netball

Key Strategic Actions

<i>Issues</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Partners</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Priority</i>
Protection of existing rounders pitches.	Include a policy in the Local Plan to protect all existing rounders pitches.	HDC	-	-	High

Rounders

Key Strategic Actions

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Protection of existing rounders pitches.	Include a policy in the Local Plan to protect all existing rounders pitches.	HDC	-	-	High