

SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE COUNCIL PLAYING PITCH ASSESSMENT SCHOOLS QUESTIONNAIRE



NAME OF SCHOOL / COLLEGE _____

CONTACT: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

NB. IF YOUR SCHOOL DOES NOT HAVE ANY PLAYING FIELD OR SPORTS FACILITIES, PLEASE CROSS THROUGH THE BOXES AND RETURN THE QUESTIONNAIRE IN THE FREEPOST ENVELOPE.

1. Please complete the following tables to record information about the sports facilities on your school site.

Type of Pitch	Number of pitches	Approximate Number of hours PE on the pitch per week	Is there secured community use* of the pitches? YES/NO	Is there organised use without written agreement? YES/NO	If there is community use, which teams use the facility? Please state name, age group and whether male or female.	Day and time of community use e.g Sat p.m
Football: Mini Soccer (U7-U10; 7-a-side)						
Football: Junior (11-a-side)						
Football: Senior (Adult)						
Rugby Union						
Rugby League						
Cricket Pitch						
Rounders						
Grass Hockey						

* a written usage agreement / hire arrangements must be in place for a facility to be described as having secured community use.

Outdoor Sports Facilities: Artificial, All-weather pitches and courts

Type of Pitch	Number of pitches / facilities	Approximate Number of hours PE on the pitch per week	Is there secured community use* of the pitches? YES/NO	Is there organised use without written agreement? YES/NO	If there is community use, which teams use the facility? Please state name, age group and whether male or female.	Day and time of community use e.g Sat p.m
Full Size (11-a-side) Synthetic Grass Pitch Floodlit – Yes/No*						
Multi-Use Games Area / Court Floodlit –Yes/No*						
Permanent Athletics Track (e.g shale track)						

2. If there are pitches on the school site, please provide below the fees charged (Please enter N/A if the school does not have, or does not let the type of facility specified). Please also rate the quality of pitches and facilities provided

Facility	Cost per hour / match	Includes use of changing rooms? YES / NO	Quality of pitch facilities**					Quality of changing rooms					Comments	
			Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	Poor	Excellent	Good	Average	Poor	Very Poor		NO CHANGING
Football: Mini (7-a-side)														
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Full Size (11-a-side) Synthetic Turf Pitch														
Multi-Use Games Area / Court														
Permanent Athletics Track														

3. Are any pitches which are used by the community served by changing rooms?

Yes No

4. If you rated the quality of changing facilities as Poor or Very Poor, what is the main reason for this?

- Unsuitable for community use
- Poor number of changing rooms
- Poor shower facilities
- Too small
- Outdated
- Lack of segregation (e.g communal showers serving all changing rooms)
- Other: Please state: _____

5. If there is currently no use of the sports facilities by the local community, would the school/college consider allowing community use in the future?

Yes No

If no, what is the main reason? _____
(e.g vandalism, pitches become too worn, already lots of school use / after schools clubs etc)

6. Are there any current plans to improve the school/ college sports facilities in the future? (If Yes, please describe briefly what is planned)

a) What new / additional provision will the improved facilities consist of?

b) Are these facilities additional to current facilities provided, or are they new facilities to replace existing ones?

New additional facilities

Replacement Facilities

c) When will the project be completed? _____

d) How is the project being funded? _____

7. Please tell us about any other use of open space at your school: for example, fetes, local events, fesitavals, etc... _____

8. Please tell us about any anti-social behaviour that takes place on the school's open spaces, and describe how frequent or persistent it is

9. If your school has outdoor sports facilities would it be acceptable for a Consultant to undertake a visual inspection of these between **1st May** and **18th May 2007**? This visit would take approximately 10-20 minutes and involve a visual inspection of the playing pitches on your site.

Yes No

10. Please use this space to record any other comments you wish to make (or attach additional sheets if required)

THANKYOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES ABOUT THIS QUESTIONNAIRE PLEASE CONTACT TOM SENEVIRATNE AT HALL AITKEN ON 0161 835 2029

PLEASE RETURN YOUR COMPLETED QUESTIONNAIRE BY 9th May 2007

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