

Stroud Playing Pitch Strategy - Site Overviews

SDGF.69	GL2 4QA	Hardwicke Gloucester Fringe	ROB DAWE MEMORIAL CLOSE Green Lane, Hardwicke	Single sport site - football
				
Owner/Manager	Sports club leased.			
Pitch sports played on this site	Football			
Pitches on this site – football quality	1 adult and 1 junior pitch 9v9 rated standard, grass training area. Club has not commented on quality of this ground; only on the Village Playing Field site.			
Changing & ancillary facilities	Various portacabins and storage units used for changing and social facilities.			
Clubs/teams on this site - football	Hardwicke AFC 3 rd XI and Hardwicke Rangers Youth u18s, u16s and u15s, 2 x u13s and u12.			

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Comments on capacity – Football adult pitch	Hardwicke AFC 3 rd XI – 14 games Hardwicke Rangers Youth u18s, u16s and u15s – Sunday – 10+12+8 = 30. No spare capacity – being played to level pitch can sustain.							
	Matches	2	Training		Casual		Education	
	Carrying Capacity - grass	2	Community Use Total	2	Spare capacity through out week	0	Spare capacity peak time	0
Comments on capacity - grass	2 x u13s and u12 – total of 33 games all on Saturday am . Minimal spare capacity in week; basically being used to the level the pitch can sustain.							
	Matches	1.5	Training		Casual		Education	
	Carrying Capacity - grass	2	Community Use Total	1.5	Spare capacity through out week	0.5	Spare capacity peak time	0
Key Findings and Issues	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This is the second site used by Hardwicke Rangers; they also use Hardwicke Primary Academy and Hardwicke Village Playing Fields. 2. Both the adult and junior pitch here, rated standard, are being used to the level the site can sustain – there is very little spare capacity. 3. Club have advanced plans to replace temporary facilities with permanent changing and clubhouse facilities, but problems over remaining length and terms of lease – site may be vulnerable. No equivalent, replacement sites nearby. 							