

## Consultation Methodology

### Consultation Types

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A	<p>Questionnaire for sport facility owners/managers</p> <p>(Indoor &amp; Outdoor, including Schools)</p>	<p><i>Supply- Quality</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The condition of the facility and whether it meets the needs and expectations of its users;</li> <li>Whether the facility meets current standards of play for the relevant sports at the appropriate levels; and</li> <li>What the constraints of their particular facilities are, areas of poor quality, and how these are impacting on participation.</li> </ul> <p><i>Supply- Quantity</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Size and physical capacity of sports facilities.</li> </ul> <p><i>Supply- Availability</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How available the facilities are, and what the management and access policies are;</li> <li>How full facilities are and what the reasons are behind this and what the impact on the capacity of the facility are;</li> <li>What barriers there may be to the use of their facilities and what the impact on the capacity of the facility are.</li> </ul> <p><i>Demand- Usage and throughput trends</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How busy facilities are and what the usage trends are via usage and throughput data, membership and waiting lists information.</li> </ul>	<p>Step 1: Questionnaires were created based on the Playing Pitch Strategy Guidance (Sport England, October 2013) templates for football, hockey, rugby and cricket. A general questionnaire for all other types of sports was created based on these templates. The questionnaire for sport facility owners/managers is provided in Appendix B.</p> <p>Step 2: The template questionnaires were sent to BCW for approval prior to sending them to the sports' clubs.</p> <p>Step 3: The sports facilities, which BCW have provided details of, were contacted by telephone to brief them on the Wellingborough Open Spaces, Sports and Recreational Facilities Audit and Assessment they were informed that they would shortly be receiving a questionnaire. The contact details for the best recipient for the questionnaire were confirmed. Where required, access arrangements for the non- technical audit were also confirmed.</p> <p>Step 4: Questionnaires were sent to the designated recipient for each sports club. Contact details for TEP were provided so that any queries could be dealt with directly with the sports club.</p> <p>Step 5: There was a deadline set for the 19<sup>th</sup> December</p>

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		<p><i>Demand- Unmet, latent, displaced and future demand</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ What demands they are aware of that cannot be satisfied and the reasons why.</li> </ul>	<p>2014 for the questionnaire, any sports facility who did not return the questionnaires by the deadline were contacted to encourage returns in January 2015.</p> <p>Step 6: The data from the returned questionnaires was inputted into the consultation spreadsheet. All consultation data has been provided to BCW as supporting information to the study.</p>
B	Questionnaire for sports clubs	<p><i>Supply- Quality</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The condition of the facility and whether it meet the needs and expectations of its users;</li> <li>▪ Whether the facility meets current standards of play for the relevant sports at the appropriate levels; and</li> <li>▪ What the constraints of their particular facilities are, areas of poor quality, and how these are impacting on participation.</li> </ul> <p><i>Supply- Quantity and Demand- Local demand and NGB priorities</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ What facilities there are in their area and how many different or additional facilities they would like to see across the area.</li> </ul> <p><i>Demand- Local demand and NGB priorities</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ What the demands is for sports facilities.</li> </ul>	<p>Step 1: Questionnaires were created based on the Playing Pitch Strategy Guidance (Sport England, October 2013). Questionnaires for football, hockey, rugby and cricket are provided in Appendix B. A general questionnaire for all other types of sports is also provided.</p> <p>Step 2: The template questionnaires were be sent to BCW for approval prior to sending them to the sports' clubs.</p> <p>Step 3: The sports clubs were emailed using the contact details provided by BCW. Contact details for TEP were provided so that any queries could be dealt with directly with the sports club.</p> <p>Step 5: There was a deadline set for the 19<sup>th</sup> December 2014 for the questionnaire, any sports clubs who did not return the questionnaires by the deadline were be contacted to encourage returns in January 2015.</p>

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			<p>Step 6: The data from the returned questionnaires was inputted into the consultation spreadsheet. All consultation data has been provided to BCW as supporting information to the study.</p>
C	Ward/Parish Questionnaire	<p><i>Supply- Quantity</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ What facilities there are in your area?</li> <li>▪ How many facilities do you need of a particular type to meet the vision and objectives across the relevant area?</li> <li>▪ What is the size and physical capacity?</li> </ul> <p><i>Supply- Accessibility</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Where your facilities are located.</li> </ul> <p><i>Supply- Availability</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ How available the facilities are, and what the management and access policies are; and</li> <li>▪ How full facilities are, what are the reasons behind this.</li> </ul> <p><i>Demand- Unmet, latent, displaced and future demand.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Demand which exists that cannot be satisfied and the reasons why.</li> </ul> <p>Consultation on Site Specific DPD's for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Environmentally Important Open Spaces (EIOS's)</li> <li>▪ Important Amenity Areas (IAA's)</li> </ul>	<p>Step 1: Questionnaires were be created based on those within the BCW Draft Sports Plan 2004-2009. The Arts Development section will was excluded from the template. The questionnaire for wards and parishes is provided in Appendix B.</p> <p>Step 2: The template questionnaires were sent to BCW for approval prior to sending them to the parishes and councillors.</p> <p>Step 3: Each councillor and parish council were contacted by telephone in the first instance to brief them on the Wellingborough Open Spaces, Sports and Recreational Facilities Audit and Assessment and to let them know that they would shortly be receiving a questionnaire. The contact details for the best recipient for the questionnaire was confirmed.</p> <p>Step 4: Questionnaires were emailed to the designated recipient for each councillor and parish. Contact details for TEP were be provided so that any queries could be dealt with directly with the councillor and parish.</p> <p>Step 5: There was a deadline stated on the questionnaire of the 31st January 2015, any councillor and parish who</p>

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			<p>do not return the questionnaires by the deadline were contacted to encourage returns.</p> <p>Step 6: The data from the returned questionnaires was inputted into the consultation spreadsheet. All consultation data has been provided to BCW as supporting information to the study.</p>
D	Questionnaire for CSPs/NGBs	<p><i>Supply- Quantity</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ What the barriers are and the scope to influence and increase use and availability; and</li> <li>▪ Number of facilities are required of a particular type to meet the vision and objectives across the relevant area.</li> </ul> <p><i>Demand- Sports participation profile</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The propensity for participation now and in the future.</li> <li>▪ Which sports/facilities are best suited to the profile and therefore needed to be provided; and</li> <li>▪ The facilities identified as priorities for regional and national levels of competition and training.</li> </ul> <p><i>Demand- Unmet, latent, displaced and future demand.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Demand which exists that cannot be satisfied and the reasons why.</li> </ul> <p><i>Demand - Local demand and NGB priorities</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ A local interpretation of the national data sets NGB priorities for a local area will be reviewed.</li> </ul>	<p>Step 1: The questionnaire was based on the template provided in Assessing Needs and Opportunities Guide for Indoor and Outdoor Sports Facilities (Sport England, July 2014). The same questionnaire was be sent to all CSPs/NGBs regardless of the sport. The questionnaire for CSPs and NGBs is provided in Appendix B.</p> <p>Step 2: The questionnaire was sent to BCW for approval prior to sending them to the CSPs/NGBs.</p> <p>Step 3: Questionnaires were emailed to the designated recipient for each CSP/NGB. Contact details for TEP were provided so that any queries could be dealt with directly with the CSP/NGB.</p> <p>Step 4: There was a deadline for the questionnaire for the 19<sup>th</sup> December, any CSPs/NGBs who did not return the questionnaires by the deadline were contacted in January 2015 to encourage returns.</p> <p>Step 5: The data from the returned questionnaires was inputted into the consultation spreadsheet. All</p>

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E	Community questionnaire	<p><b>Open Space</b></p> <p><i>Supply - Quantity</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Whether there is the right amount of provision of the right type of open space; and</li> <li>▪ Where there is not enough provision of open space feedback as to what type of open space is required.</li> </ul> <p><i>Supply - Accessibility</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Walking times to different types of open space;</li> <li>▪ Other modes of transport;</li> </ul> <p><i>Supply - Quality</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Satisfaction levels;</li> <li>▪ What types of improvement are required.</li> </ul> <p><i>Demand - Use</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The types of activities the open space is used for; and</li> <li>▪ What types of open space are used; and</li> <li>▪ Why types of open space are not used.</li> </ul> <p><b>Sport Facilities</b></p> <p><i>Supply- Quantity</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ What facilities there are in your area?</li> <li>▪ How many facilities do you need of a particular type to meet the vision and objectives across the relevant area?</li> </ul>	<p>consultation data has been provided to BCW as supporting information to the study.</p> <p>Step 1: A questionnaire was created based on the questions included within the 2005 Open Space Sport and Recreation Study, the 2010 Open Space Survey and the Draft Sports Plan 2004-2009. The questionnaire for the community is provided in Appendix B.</p> <p>Step 2: The template questionnaire was sent to BCW for approval prior to posting them to the households randomly selected by BCW from the electoral role.</p> <p>Step 3: Questionnaires were posted with a return envelope (postage pre-paid) to 5,000 households randomly selected from the electoral roll across Wellingborough. The survey was also hosted on 'Limehouse' Wellingborough's Planning Database for individuals to download and return.</p> <p>Step 4: There was a deadline stated on the questionnaire of the 15<sup>th</sup> December 2014. Contact details for TEP were provided so that any queries can be dealt with directly with the recipient.</p> <p>Step 5: The BCW were asked to provide an extract of the Limehouse database results so that the same format could be used to input the data from the postal survey into the consultation spreadsheet.</p> <p>Step 6: A further 1000 questionnaires were printed and</p>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ What is the size and physical capacity?</li> </ul> <p><i>Demand- Unmet, latent, displaced and future demand</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ What demand exists to ascertain what demands exist that cannot be satisfied and the reasons why.</li> </ul> <p><i>Supply- Quality</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The condition of the facility and whether it meet the needs and expectations of its users;</li> </ul>	<p>distributed to community hubs (e.g. libraries and leisure centres), as well as forming part of the Local Plan consultation ‘pop-up’ stands, to increase numbers of completed questionnaires.</p> <p>Step 7: The data from the returned questionnaires was inputted into the consultation spreadsheet. All consultation data has been provided to BCW as supporting information to the study.</p>
F	Neighbouring Local Authorities	<p>The surrounding Local Authorities will be informed of the Wellingborough Open Spaces, Sport and Recreational Facilities Audit and Assessment as part of the duty to co-operate with other local authorities.</p> <p>The local authorities will be asked to identify key cross boundary provision of facilities.</p>	<p>Step 1: Emails were drafted to the local authorities.</p> <p>Step 2: BCW were asked to provide any specific contacts at the neighbouring local authorities and to confirm the wording of the emails to be sent out.</p> <p>Step 3: Emails were sent out to confirmed contacts.</p>

**Information to be collected for Sports and Recreational Facilities and Open Space**

<b>Sports and Recreational Facilities</b>		
<b>Supply</b>	<b>What the information tells us about supply?</b>	<b>Information Source</b>
Quality of existing provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Condition of facility and does it meet the needs and expectations of the users?</li> <li>Is the facility fit for purpose and does the facility meet current standards of play for relevant sports at appropriate levels?</li> <li>Constraints of particular facilities, areas of poor quality, and how these are impacting on participation.</li> </ul>	Consultation & Site Audits
Quantity of existing provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What facilities there are in your area?</li> <li>How many facilities do you need of a particular type to meet the vision and objectives across the relevant area?</li> <li>What is the size and physical capacity?</li> </ul>	Consultation & Desktop
Accessibility of existing provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Where your facilities are located;</li> <li>The location of the facilities mapped spatially; and</li> <li>The location of facilities alongside specific policy drivers.</li> </ul>	Consultation & Desktop
Availability of existing provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How available the facilities are, and what the management and access policies are?</li> <li>How full facilities are and what are the reasons behind this?</li> <li>Understanding what the barriers are and the scope to influence and increase use and availability?</li> <li>The impact on the capacity of a facility.</li> </ul>	Consultation
<b>Demand</b>	<b>What the information tells us about demand?</b>	<b>Information Source</b>
Demographic analysis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Information about population specific to Wellingborough, including: total population; gender; ethnicity; and age;</li> <li>How these statistics compare with other areas;</li> <li>What this tells us about likely sports/facility needs;</li> <li>Whether there is a declining or growing population and its geographical spread, the implications on future sports/ facility needs; and</li> <li>The number and location of other indicators across your area e.g. deprivation, obesity etc and the impacts on sport/facility needs.</li> </ul>	Desktop
Sports participation profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spatial and quantitative profile of participation related to demographics.</li> <li>Who participates, how often in what and where?</li> <li>Propensity to participate now and in the future.</li> <li>Which sports/facilities are best suited to the profile and therefore need to be provided.</li> <li>Facilities identified as priorities for regional and national levels of competition and training.</li> </ul>	Consultation & Desktop
Usage and throughput	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ascertain how busy facilities are;</li> </ul>	Consultation

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trends	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What the usage trends are; and</li> <li>Whether there is increasing or reducing demand over time.</li> </ul>	
Unmet, latent, displaced and future demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demand which exists that cannot be satisfied and the reasons why; and</li> <li>Whether demand is likely to exist and increase pressure on facilities.</li> </ul>	Consultation
Local demand and NGB priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A local interpretation of the national data set NGB priorities for a local area;</li> <li>Localised demand and priorities; and</li> <li>What is actually happening on the ground?</li> </ul>	Consultation
<b>Open Space Provision</b>		
<b>Supply</b>	<b>What the information tells us about supply?</b>	<b>Information Source</b>
Quantity of existing provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Whether there is the right amount of provision of the right type of open space.</li> </ul>	Consultation & Desktop
Quality of existing provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>People's perception of whether improvements are required or not.</li> </ul>	Consultation & Site Audits
Accessibility of existing provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How far do people walk to open spaces?</li> <li>Other forms of transport (cycling, driving, public transport).</li> </ul>	Consultation & Desktop & Site Audits
Function of existing provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What types of open space are used?</li> <li>The types of activities the open space is used for.</li> </ul>	Consultation & Desktop & Site Audits
<b>Demand</b>	<b>What the information tells us about demand?</b>	<b>Information Source</b>
Demographic analysis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Information about population specific to Wellingborough, including: total population; gender; ethnicity; and age.</li> <li>How these statistics compare with other areas;</li> <li>What this tells us about likely open space needs;</li> <li>Whether there is a declining or growing population and its geographical spread, the implications on future open space needs; and</li> <li>The number and location of other indicators across your area e.g. deprivation, obesity etc and the impacts on open space needs.</li> </ul>	Desktop
Unmet, latent, displaced and future demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Where there is not enough provision of open space feedback as to what type of open space is required.</li> <li>What types of improvements are required?</li> <li>Accessibility barriers to use including distance and cost.</li> </ul>	Consultation



- Why types of open space are not used.

**Methodology for reviewing previous consultation**

Previous Consultation Review	
Study	Information to Review
Public Open Space Strategy 2005	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Review the findings from:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The postal questionnaire to stakeholders;</li> <li>▪ The community reference group; and</li> <li>▪ The park users questionnaire.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Sports Facility Strategy 2008	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Review the findings from:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The householder questionnaire;</li> <li>▪ The focus group meetings used to reach those groups anticipated to be under represented, including a group of people aged 60+, and a group of people with disabilities, questionnaire sent to Parish Clerks used to find out the facilities in existence in rural areas and their condition;</li> <li>▪ The on-line survey and telephone interviews of sports clubs across Wellingborough used to gain an understanding of the key issues facing clubs at this time, together with their aspirations;</li> <li>▪ Discussions with the relevant national governing body offices; and</li> <li>▪ Discussions with adjoining authorities regarding new facility proposals.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Borough Council of Wellingborough 2010	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Review Limehouse survey.</li> </ul>

## Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities: Sports Facilities Survey

We would like to hear your views on sports and recreational facilities in the Borough of Wellingborough.

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Please fill in as much of the questionnaire as you can. All the answers provided will be treated as confidential.

If you have any questions or need help completing the questionnaire, please phone **Laura Schofield or Alice Babb** on **01925 844004**.

Completed questionnaires should be returned by email to [wellingborough@tep.uk.com](mailto:wellingborough@tep.uk.com) by **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2014**.

Many thanks for your help with this important study.

<b>Name of Sport Facility:</b>		
<b>Name of School (if applicable):</b>		
<b>Description of School (if applicable):</b> <i>Please state the type of school and the number of pupils.</i>		
<b>Address</b>	Address Line 1:	
	Address Line 2:	
	Town:	
	Postcode:	
<b>Contact details</b> <i>Please provide the name and contact details of the key person if we need to come back to you for further information and/or update you on the work.</i>	Name:	
	Position:	
	Email:	
	Telephone No:	

## Supply of Sports and Recreational Facilities

<p><b>1. How is the facility managed?</b>  <i>Please state:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <i>Who owns the facility;</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Who manages the facility; and</i></li> <li>▪ <i>The nature of the tenure.</i></li> </ul>	
<b>Quantity</b>	
<p><b>2. Please provide a description of your facilities (both Indoor and Outdoor)</b> <i>Describe the facility in terms of the sports for which it caters for and the size of the facilities e.g. a 25 metre swimming pool.</i></p>	
<b>Availability</b>	
<p><b>3. How available are your facilities to the public?</b> <i>Please enclose or state your management and access policy if applicable.</i></p>	
<p><b>4. How full are your facilities and what do you think the reason behind this is?</b></p>	
<p><b>5. Are there any barriers the use?</b> <i>E.g. costs, opening hours, lack of capacity, physical access.</i></p>	
<p><b>6. Does your facility currently have any capacity which is not being used? If so, please state how much capacity and when this generally is (e.g. week day morning).</b></p>	
<p><b>7. Please select which community use category your facility falls into.</b></p>	<p><b>Available for community use and used</b> – sports facilities in any ownership which are available for hire by, or leased to the community (e.g. leased to a sports club) and currently in use by community teams <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Available for community use but unused</b> – sports facilities that are available for hire to the community but are not currently used by community teams; this may apply to some school sites and sites which are available but unused as they are expensive to hire <input type="checkbox"/></p>

	<p><b>Not available for community use</b> – sports facilities which as a matter of policy or practice are not available for use by community teams. This should include professional club pitches and some semi - professional club pitches where play is restricted to the first or second team <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Not available as disused</b> - Any sites where sports facilities were once, but are no longer, and remain undeveloped <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p><b>8. Is the community use category likely to change? Please state the nature of the change including whether the facility will become more or less available to the community.</b></p>	
<p><b>Quality</b></p>	
<p><b>9. What is the quality of the existing facilities?</b></p>	
<p><b>a) Users' needs and expectations</b>  <i>Are the facilities fit for purpose for the users' needs and expectations?</i></p>	
<p><b>b) Limitations</b>  <i>Please identify any specific issues which limit or threaten current or potential use for the facility for sports.</i></p>	
<p><b>c) Playing standards</b>  <i>Does the facility meet the standards of play for the relevant sport? Issues may include the size, playing surfaces, changing facilities etc.</i></p>	

## Demand for Sports and Recreational Facilities

Usage trends	
<b>10. Can you identify any usage trends and whether usage has increased or decreased over the last 5 years?</b>	
<b>11. Describe the existing use of your facilities using the questions below.</b>	
<b>a) Type of activity and level of play</b> <i>Type of Activity: Indicate whether the facilities are used for competition, education or for Training use.</i>  <i>Level of Play: Indicate if International, Premier, Club or Community level of play. If these definitions do not accurately describe the appropriate level of play for your sport please use the most accurate description of the level of play of the sports played at your facility.</i>	
<b>b) Amount of Use</b> <i>Indicate how much use there currently is relating to the activities described in 2. How many hours of use? How many teams? How many clubs? How many players?</i>  <i>Where possible please provide the names of clubs/groups that will use this facility on a regular basis either as their club base or as a league venue.</i>	
<b>c) Additional Comments</b> <i>Please provide any relevant information relating to the existing use not covered.</i>	
Unmet, latent, displaced and future demand	
<b>12. Describe the future demand and potential use of your facilities using the questions below.</b>	
<b>a) Type of activity and level of play</b> <i>Complete as above for potential new demand/activity. Please state</i>	

<i>any waiting lists there may be for your facilities.</i>	
<b>b) Amount of Use</b> <i>Complete as above for potential new demand/activity.</i>	
<b>c) Additional Comments</b> <i>Please provide as much information as possible to explain and evidence why you think there is the potential for future demand/use. Indicate any specific requirements that will need to be met to achieve this, as well as any potential barriers or restrictions to achieving this.</i>	
<b>13. Are there any existing demands which cannot be met? Please state what these are.</b>	
<b>If you are a school, please complete the following questions as well:</b>	
<b>14. Does your school use any external sports facilities?</b>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15. If yes, are they situated in Wellingborough?</b>	
<b>16. If so, which sport facilities and how often you use them?</b>	
<b>17. Is this likely to change in the future? If so, why?</b>	
<b>18. Do you experience any problems with external sport facilities?</b> <i>Please state how available external sport facilities are to you and if you have encountered any issues with sport facilities being unable to meet your requirements.</i>	
<b>19. Does your school have any links with local sports clubs?</b>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>20. If yes, please provide more information about this link.</b>	

**Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities: Sports Clubs Survey: General**

We would like to hear your views on sports and recreational facilities in the Borough of Wellingborough.

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Please fill in as much of the questionnaire as you can. All the answers provided will be treated as confidential.

If you have any questions or need help completing the questionnaire, please phone **Laura Schofield** or **Alice Babb** on **01925 844004**. Alternatively, you can email your views to: [wellingborough@tep.uk.com](mailto:wellingborough@tep.uk.com)

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<b>Name of Club</b>	
<b>Description of Club</b> <i>Please state type and number of teams.</i>	
<b>Contact Details</b> <i>Please provide the name and contact details of the key person if we need to come back to you for further information and/or update you on the work.</i>	Name:
	Position:
	Email:
	Telephone No:

About your club	
1. In the previous 5 years has the number of teams/members in your club:	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Please state any reasons for any significant changes:	
3. Do the majority of your players live within the study area (e.g. the local authority area)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
4. How far do the majority of your members have to travel to play home games?	Up to 2miles <input type="checkbox"/> 2-5miles <input type="checkbox"/> 5miles + <input type="checkbox"/>
5. Do you have plans to increase the number of teams/members?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
6. If yes, please indicate how many more (i.e. two teams/members).	
7. If yes, what improvements would be required? (e.g. more space, better changing facilities etc.)	
8. Where will they play	
About your facilities	
9. Please state the name and address of the facilities used.	
10. Who owns the grounds?	Club <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
11. Who manages the grounds?	Club <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Who maintains the grounds?	Club <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
If other, please state:	
13. Do the facilities stated above meet the club's needs?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

14. If no, why?	
<b>Ancillary facilities</b>	
15. Are changing facilities available to your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
16. Are there separate male and female changing rooms?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
17. Do the changing facilities meet the needs of your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
18. Are the facilities DDA compliant (access for all abilities)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
19. Is appropriate car parking available	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
20. Is there a fence preventing unauthorised access to the site?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
21. Has the site suffered from vandalism in the last year?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
22. Please state any specific issues you have with the sport facilities and ancillary facilities at the site.	
<b>Overall provision</b>	
23. Are you satisfied with the overall provision of facilities and ancillary provision within the study area?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
24. If no, please state the key issues with provision:	



**Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities: Sports Clubs Survey: Football**

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<b>Description of Club</b> <i>Please state type and number of teams.</i>	
<b>Contact Details</b> <i>Please provide the name and contact details of the key person if we need to come back to you for further information and/or update you on the work.</i>	Name:
	Position:
	Email:
	Telephone No:

About your club		
1. In the previous 5 years has the number of teams in your club:	Adult	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
	Youth (U11-U16 years)	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
	Mini Soccer (U7 to U10 years)	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Please state any reasons for any significant changes:		
3. Do you have plans to increase the number of teams?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
4. If yes, please indicate how many more (i.e. two teams):	Adults mens teams	
	Adult womens teams	
	Youth boys teams	
	Youth girls teams	
	Mini soccer teams:	
5. Where will they play?		
6. Do the majority of your players live within Wellingborough?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
7. How far do the majority of your members have to travel to play home games?	Up to 2miles <input type="checkbox"/> 2-5miles <input type="checkbox"/> 5miles + <input type="checkbox"/>	
8. Do any of your teams travel outside of Wellingborough to access provision? If so, please state which facility and the reason why it is used.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Would you prefer this play to take place within Wellingborough as oppose to outside? If so, please indicate your preferred location or facility?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Do you have any current unmet demand?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
11. If yes, what is the nature of this demand (e.g. age group)		
12. What provision is required to meet the	Training facilities <input type="checkbox"/>	

demand?	Better quality pitches <input type="checkbox"/> More pitches <input type="checkbox"/> More ancillary facilities <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Home ground &amp; pitch quality information</b>	
13. Name of ground or playing field and the address:	
14. Who owns the grounds?	Club <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
15. Who manages the grounds?	Club <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
16. Who maintains the grounds?	Club <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
If other, please state:	
17. How would the Club rate the maintenance on the pitches?	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> Unsuitable <input type="checkbox"/>
18. If maintained by the club please answer the following question: What is the approximate total expenditure for the ground/each pitch?	£_____ per annum
19. Are there facilities for any other sport(s) at this site?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
20. If yes, please could you specify:	
21. Do any other clubs/teams play at this site? Please state the name of the club/team if known.	
22. Is this your preferred home ground?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
23. If no, please state the reason why and where your preferred home ground would be.	

<b>Pitch quality</b>	
Please tick accordingly to provide an over view of the quality of your designated pitch:	
24. Grass coverage	Good <80% coverage <input type="checkbox"/> Adequate 60-80% <input type="checkbox"/> Poor >60 <input type="checkbox"/>
25. Do you consider your pitch to be the recommended size?	Yes as per FA recommendation <input type="checkbox"/> Within minimum & maximum allowed <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
26. Slope of pitch (Gradient and cross fall):	Flat <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> Severe <input type="checkbox"/>
27. Length of grass:	Good (30mm to 50mm) <input type="checkbox"/> Too long (51mm+) <input type="checkbox"/> Too short (less than 29mm) <input type="checkbox"/>
28. Evenness of pitch:	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Adequate <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
29. Problem areas (evidence of dog fouling, glass, litter, vehicle tracks):	None <input type="checkbox"/> Some <input type="checkbox"/> Lots <input type="checkbox"/>
30. Problem areas (evidence of unofficial use of the pitch):	None <input type="checkbox"/> Some <input type="checkbox"/> Lots <input type="checkbox"/>
31. Problem areas (evidence of poor drainage):	No evidence of standing water/ poor drainage <input type="checkbox"/> Some evidence of poor drainage <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, poor drainage <input type="checkbox"/>
32. In total, how many pitches are there at your home ground:	1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 <input type="checkbox"/> 6 + <input type="checkbox"/>  If 6+ please state how many: _____
33. Please state the number of each type of pitch at your home ground, including pitches marked out on top of others.	Adult (11v11) _____ Youth (11v11) _____ Youth (9v9) _____ Mini (7v7) _____ Mini (5v5) _____
34. How many matches were cancelled last season per pitch type?	
35. What were the main reasons for the cancellations? (e.g. weather conditions)	
36. Are pitches floodlit?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

37. If no, is there demand for this to be floodlit?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Ancillary facilities</b>	
38. Are changing facilities available to your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
39. Are there separate male and female changing rooms?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
40. Do the changing facilities meet the needs of your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
41. Are the facilities DDA compliant (access for all abilities)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
42. Is appropriate car parking available	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
43. Is there a fence preventing unauthorised access to the site?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
44. Has the site suffered from vandalism in the last year?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
45. Please state any specific issues you have with the pitches and ancillary facilities at the site:	
<b>Overall provision</b>	
46. Are you satisfied with the overall provision of facilities and ancillary provision within the study area?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
47. If no, please state the key issues with provision:	

**Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities: Sports Clubs Survey: Rugby Union**

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<b>Description of Club</b> <i>Please state type and number of teams.</i>	
<b>Contact Details</b> <i>Please provide the name and contact details of the key person if we need to come back to you for further information and/or update you on the work.</i>	Name:
	Position:
	Email:
	Telephone No:

About your club		
1. In the previous 5 years has the number of teams in your club:	Seniors (19-45 ages)	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
	Youth (U13-U17 ages)	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
	Colts (U18-U19 ages)	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
	Mini/midi (U7-U12 ages)	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Please state any reasons for any significant changes:		
3. Do you have plans to increase the number of teams?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
4. If yes, please indicate how many more (i.e. two teams):	Senior men's teams:	
	Senior women's teams:	
	Youth boys teams:	
	Youth girls teams:	
	Colt boys: Colt girls: Mini/midi teams:	
5. Where will they play?		
6. Do the majority of your players live within Wellingborough?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
7. How far do the majority of your members have to travel to play home games?	Up to 2miles <input type="checkbox"/>	
	2-5miles <input type="checkbox"/>	
	5miles + <input type="checkbox"/>	
8. Do any of your teams travel outside of Wellingborough to access provision? If so, please state which facility and the reason why it is used.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Would you prefer this play to take place within Wellingborough as oppose to outside? If so, please indicate your preferred location or facility?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Do you have any current unmet demand?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	

11. If yes, what is the nature of this demand (e.g. age group)	
12. What provision is required to meet the demand?	Training facilities <input type="checkbox"/> Better quality pitches <input type="checkbox"/> More pitches <input type="checkbox"/> More ancillary facilities <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Home ground &amp; pitch quality information</b>	
13. Do you use facilities in Wellingborough?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
14. If yes, please state the name and address of the facilities used.	
15. Who owns the facilities?	Club <input type="checkbox"/>
	Council <input type="checkbox"/>
	Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/>
	School <input type="checkbox"/>
Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
16. Who maintains the facilities?	Club <input type="checkbox"/>
	Council <input type="checkbox"/>
	Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/>
	School <input type="checkbox"/>
Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
17. If other, please state:	
18. Where known, what is the approximate total expenditure for this pitch per annum?	£_____ per annum
19. In total, how many rugby pitches are there at your home ground (including those which are marked over another)?	Senior: _____
	Midi/mini: _____
20. In total, how many mini/midi rugby pitches are there at your home ground:	1 <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 <input type="checkbox"/>
	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
	If more than 3 please state how many <input type="checkbox"/>
21. Are pitches floodlit?	
22. Is there an artificial grass pitch (AGP) on site?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
23. Do any other clubs/teams play at this site? If yes, please could you state the name(s) and when they access the site (if known).	

24. Are there facilities for any other sport(s) at this site? If yes, please specify (e.g. 4 tennis courts, 1 cricket square etc.)	
25. Is this your preferred home ground?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
26. If no, please state the reason why and where you would prefer to play.	
27. How many matches and training sessions are cancelled on average per annum:	Winter (season): 0 <input type="checkbox"/> 1-3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4-6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7+ <input type="checkbox"/>
	Summer (closed season): 0 <input type="checkbox"/> 1-3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4-6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7+ <input type="checkbox"/>
28. What do you consider to be the main reasons for these cancellations (e.g. waterlogging/snow/frost)?	
29. Are there any specific problems with this pitch? (e.g. sloped/uneven/water pooling/grass growth/vandalism)	
<b>Pitch quality</b>	
30. Grass coverage	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
31. Size of pitch	Acceptable <input type="checkbox"/> Unacceptable <input type="checkbox"/>
32. Length of grass	Too long <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Too short <input type="checkbox"/>
33. Evidence of glass/litter/vehicle tracks/dog foul	None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes some <input type="checkbox"/> Lots <input type="checkbox"/>
34. Is there evidence of rust on the goal posts?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
35. How would you rate the quality of this pitch?	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
36. Please describe any specific problems you have with your pitch/pitches.	
<b>Ancillary facilities</b>	
37. Are changing facilities available to your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

38. Are there separate male and female changing rooms?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
39. Do the changing facilities meet the needs of your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
40. Are the facilities DDA compliant (access for all abilities)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
41. Is appropriate car parking available	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
42. Is there a fence preventing unauthorised access to the site?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
43. Has the site suffered from vandalism in the last year?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
44. Please state any specific issues you have with the pitches and ancillary facilities at the site:	
<b>Overall provision</b>	
45. Are you satisfied with the overall provision of rugby pitches and ancillary provision within the study area?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
46. If no, please state the key issues with provision:	

### Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities: Sports Clubs Survey: Cricket

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<b>Description of Club</b> <i>Please state type and number of teams.</i>	
<b>Contact Details</b> <i>Please provide the name and contact details of the key person if we need to come back to you for further information and/or update you on the work.</i>	Name:
	Position:
	Email:
	Telephone No:

### About your club

1. In the previous 5 years has the number of teams in your club:	Open age (Men 18-55 ages):	Increased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Decreased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
	Open age (Women 18-55 ages):	Increased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Decreased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
	Junior (7-18 ages):	Increased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Decreased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Please state any reasons for any significant changes:		
3. Do you have plans to increase the number of teams?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
4. If yes, please indicate how many more of each team:	Open age (Men 18-55 ages):	
	Open age (Women 18-55 ages):	
	Junior (7-18 ages):	
5. Where will they play?		
6. Do the majority of your players live within Wellingborough?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
7. How far do the majority of your members have to travel to play home games?	Up to 2miles <input type="checkbox"/>	
	2-5miles <input type="checkbox"/>	
	5miles + <input type="checkbox"/>	
8. Do any of your teams travel outside of Wellingborough to access provision? If so, please state which facility and the reason why it is used.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Would you prefer this play to take place within Wellingborough as oppose to outside? If so, please indicate your preferred location or facility?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Do you have any current unmet demand?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
11. If yes, what is the nature of this demand (e.g. age group)		
12. What provision is required to meet the demand?	Training facilities <input type="checkbox"/> Better quality pitches <input type="checkbox"/> More pitches <input type="checkbox"/> More ancillary facilities <input type="checkbox"/>	

<b>Home Ground</b>	
13. Please state the name and address of the facilities used.	
14. Who owns the grounds?	<input type="checkbox"/> Club <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Other
15. Who manages the grounds?	<input type="checkbox"/> Club <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Other
16. Who maintains the facilities?	<input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Other
17. If other, please state:	
18. How many cricket pitches/squares are there on the site?	
19. Please state the number of wickets per pitch/square:	Pitch/square 1: ____ grass wickets ____ non turf wickets Pitch/square 2: ____ grass wickets ____ non turf wickets Pitch/square 3: ____ grass wickets ____ non turf wickets
20. If so, which teams use the non turf wickets:	
21. Are any other pitches (e.g. football and/or rugby) marked out over/within the outfield of any of the cricket pitches?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
22. How many competitive matches per season are played per cricket pitch (if the Club is in the middle of its season please use the last playing season figures) :	Pitch 1: ____ competitive matches per season Pitch 2: ____ competitive matches per season Pitch 3: ____ competitive matches per season
23. How many matches were cancelled last season?	____ matches

24. What were the main reasons for the cancellations? (i.e. weather conditions):	
25. Please indicate why:	
26. Is this your preferred home ground?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
27. If no, please state where your preferred home ground would be and why.	
<b>Pitch Quality</b>	
Please tick accordingly to provide an over view of the quality of your designated pitch:	
28. Overall quality of cricket pitch	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
29. Grass coverage	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Acceptable <input type="checkbox"/> Unacceptable <input type="checkbox"/>
30. Length of grass	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Acceptable <input type="checkbox"/> Unacceptable <input type="checkbox"/>
31. Condition of pavilion/clubhouse	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Acceptable <input type="checkbox"/> Unacceptable <input type="checkbox"/>
32. Evidence of glass/litter/stones/dog foul	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
33. Is there evidence of damage to surface	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
34. Evidence of unofficial use:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
35. Is the outfield	Even <input type="checkbox"/> Uneven <input type="checkbox"/>
36. Are the grass wickets	Even <input type="checkbox"/> Uneven <input type="checkbox"/>
37. Is any non turf wicket	Even <input type="checkbox"/> Uneven <input type="checkbox"/>
38. Please describe any specific problems you have with your designated pitch:	
39. Do you have a Performance Quality Standards assessment for your home ground?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
40. If so, how did it rate the quality of pitches and did it highlight any specific issues?	
41. If so, is a copy available?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>



42. Do any other clubs/ teams play at this site? If yes, could you state the name(s) and when they access the site (if known).	
43. Are there facilities for any other sport(s) at this site? If yes, please specify (e.g. 4 tennis courts, 1 cricket square etc.).	
<b>Ancillary facilities</b>	
44. Are changing facilities available to your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
45. Are there separate male and female changing rooms?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
46. Do the changing facilities meet the needs of your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
47. Are the facilities DDA compliant (access for all abilities)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
48. Is appropriate car parking available	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
49. Is there a fence preventing unauthorised access to the site?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
50. Has the site suffered from vandalism in the last year?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
51. Please state any specific issues you have with the pitches and ancillary facilities at the site.	
<b>Overall provision</b>	
52. Are you satisfied with the overall provision of cricket pitches and ancillary provision within the study area?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
53. If no, please state the key issues with provision.	

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<b>Description of Club</b> <i>Please state type and number of teams.</i>	
<b>Contact Details</b> <i>Please provide the name and contact details of the key person if we need to come back to you for further information and/or update you on the work.</i>	Name:
	Position:
	Email:
	Telephone No:

About your club		
1. In the previous 5 years has the number of teams in your club:	Seniors (16+)	Increased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Decreased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
	Junior (11-15)	Increased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Decreased <input type="checkbox"/>
		Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Please state any reasons for any significant changes:		
3. Do the majority of your players live within Wellingborough?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
4. How far do the majority of your members have to travel to play home games?	Up to 2miles <input type="checkbox"/>	
	2-5miles <input type="checkbox"/>	
	5miles + <input type="checkbox"/>	
5. Do any of your teams travel outside of Wellingborough to access provision? If so, please state which facility and the reason why it is used.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
6. Would you prefer this play to take place within Wellingborough as oppose to outside? If so, please indicate your preferred location or facility?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
7. Do you have plans to increase the number of teams?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
8. If yes, please indicate how many more (i.e. two teams):	Senior mens teams:	
	Senior womens teams:	
	Junior boys teams:	
	Junior girls teams:	
9. If yes, where will they play?		
10. Do you have any current unmet demand?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Home Ground		
11. Please state the name and address of the facilities used.		
12. Who owns the grounds?	Club <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Council <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/>	
	School <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
13. Who manages the grounds?	Club <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Council <input type="checkbox"/>	

	Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/>
	School <input type="checkbox"/>
	Other <input type="checkbox"/>
14. Who maintains the grounds?	Club <input type="checkbox"/>
	Council <input type="checkbox"/>
	Parish Council <input type="checkbox"/>
	School <input type="checkbox"/>
	Other <input type="checkbox"/>
15. If other, please state:	
16. How many pitches are there at your home ground?	Full. Size: ____ Half size: ____
17. Please indicate the surface for each of the hockey pitches at your home ground.	Artificial grass: ____ Sand filled: ____ Sand dressed: ____ Water based: ____ Short Pile 3G (40mm): ____ Medium Pile 3G (55-60mm): ____ Long Pile 3G (65mm with shock pad): ____
18. Are pitches floodlit?	
19. Is this your preferred home facility?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
20. If no, please state where you would prefer to play and why.	
21. Are there facilities for any other sport(s) at this site?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
22. If yes, please could you specify:	
23. Do any other clubs/teams play at this site? Please state the name of the club/team if known.	
How would you rate the quality of the facility (please select accordingly)?	
24. Evidence of moss/lichen (all surface)	None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-some <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-lots <input type="checkbox"/>
25. Holes or rips in surface	None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-some <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-lots <input type="checkbox"/>
26. Loose gravel	None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-some <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-lots <input type="checkbox"/>
27. Grip underfoot	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Adequate <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
28. Quality of line markings	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Adequate <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>

29. Evidence of glass/stones/litter	None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-some <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-lots <input type="checkbox"/>
30. Evidence of inappropriate use	None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-some <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-lots <input type="checkbox"/>
31. Evidence of damage to the surface	None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-some <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-lots <input type="checkbox"/>
32. Condition of posts/nets/goals	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Adequate <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
33. Surrounding fencing	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Adequate <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
34. Adequate safety margins	Yes-fully <input type="checkbox"/> No-but adequate <input type="checkbox"/> No-not adequate <input type="checkbox"/>
35. Overall quality of pitch	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
36. Quality of changing facilities	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
37. Facility as a whole	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
38. Please describe any specific problems you have with your designated pitches:	
39. Do the facilities stated above meet the club's needs?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
40. If no, why?	
41. Is there is any unmet demand?	
42. If yes, how many additional hours per week of an pitch are required to meet the demand, what use would this be for (e.g. senior and/or junior play, competitive matches and/or training) and what facilities would be required?	
<b>Ancillary facilities</b>	
43. Are changing facilities available to your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
44. Are there separate male and female changing rooms?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
45. Do the changing facilities meet the needs of your club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
46. Are the facilities DDA compliant (access for all abilities)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

47. Is appropriate car parking available	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
48. Is there a fence preventing unauthorised access to the site?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
49. Has the site suffered from vandalism in the last year?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
50. Please state any specific issues you have with the pitches and ancillary facilities at the site:	
51. If yes, what improvements would be required? (e.g. more space, better changing facilities etc.)	
<b>Overall provision</b>	
52. Are you satisfied with the overall provision of hockey pitches and ancillary provision within the study area?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
53. If no, please state the key issues with provision.	

## Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities

### Parish and Ward Survey

The Borough Council of Wellingborough has appointed **The Environment Partnership (TEP)** to undertake an audit and assessment of open spaces, sports, and recreational facilities within the Borough. The study will investigate whether the current level of provision is sufficient in terms of quality, quantity, and accessibility to meet the needs of Wellingborough's residents now and in the near future.

We have provided a questionnaire and a series of site plans for your Ward/Parish. If you would like to discuss any aspects of the questionnaire, please phone **Laura Schofield** or **Alice Babb** on **01925 844004**.

Please return the completed questionnaire to **TEP, Genesis Centre, Birchwood Science Park, Warrington, WA3 7BH** by **24<sup>th</sup> February 2015**.

<b>Ward/Parish:</b>	
<b>Contact details</b>  <i>Please provide the name and contact details of the key person if we need to come back to you for further information and/or update you on the work.</i>	Name:
	Position:
	Email:
	Telephone No:

#### Definitions of Terms Used

*Parks and Gardens: formal garden areas like Croyland Gardens, Swanspool Gardens*

*Natural and Semi-Natural Open Space: wooded areas normally for nature conservation*

*Green Corridors: pedestrian rights of way, cycle ways, public footpaths, canal and river banks*

*Amenity Greenspace: small informal grass areas in and around housing estates, village greens*

*Provision for Children and Young People: children's playgrounds, skate parks, climbing walls, small enclosed tarmac areas for basketball, football*

*Outdoor and Indoor Sports and Recreational Facilities: football fields, cricket pitches, bowling greens and indoor sports halls for badminton, football, squash*

*Allotments and Community Gardens: allotment gardens, community gardens for growing fruit and vegetables*

*Cemeteries and Churchyards: quiet contemplation and burial*

*Civic Spaces: setting of a civic building, public demonstrations and community events*

## Supply of Open Space, Sports, and Recreational Facilities

### Quantity

1. Please state below whether you feel there is enough or not enough of each type of open space within your area. (Please select all that apply)

	More than enough	Satisfactory	Not enough	No opinion
Parks and Gardens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural and Semi-Natural Open Space	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Green Corridors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Amenity Greenspace	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provision for Children and Young People	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor Sports and Recreational Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Indoor Sports and Recreational Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Allotments and Community Gardens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cemeteries and Churchyards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Civic Spaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you answered 'Not enough' please provide more details below.

### Cemeteries

2. With specific regards to cemeteries in your area\*, please state the capacity in terms of the number of years the cemetery is likely to be able to operate for in the future?

\* Please note Wellingborough Norse is providing this information for Finedon, Doddington Road and Wollaston Cemeteries.

**Quality**

3. Please select the level of satisfaction with the facilities listed below from very satisfied to very dis-satisfied.

	Very satisfied	Fairly satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dis-satisfied	Fairly dis-satisfied	Very dis-satisfied	Don't know-no view
Parks and Gardens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural and Semi-Natural Open Space	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Green Corridors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Amenity Green Space	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provision for Children and Young People	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Allotments and Community Gardens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cemeteries and Churchyards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Civic Spaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sports Halls	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Skate parks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Swimming Pools	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gym/ fitness facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grass pitches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Synthetic/ all-weather pitches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	Very satisfied	Fairly satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dis-satisfied	Fairly dis-satisfied	Very dis-satisfied	Don't know-no view
Outside hard courts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Multi-use games area/ outdoor courts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Village Halls/ Community Centres	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Golf courses/ raring	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bowls	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cycling routes (traffic free)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Walking/ running routes (traffic free)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Availability

4. What do you consider the barriers are to accessing open spaces, sports and recreational facilities in Wellingborough? (Please select all that apply)

Too far to travel

Public transport not available

Public transport costs

No safe cycle route

Cultural Reasons

Costs too much to use

Feels unsafe

Poor quality

Unsuitable facilities

Lack of facilities in local area

Car access/ parking problems

Booking arrangements

Lack of safe cycle routes

Close to busy road

Poor maintenance

Lack of information about what is available

Opening times

Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

### Demand for Open Space, Sports, and Recreational Facilities

5. Do you think there is any demand for open spaces, sport and recreational facilities within your area that is not being met? Yes  No

If yes, please explain below:

6. What do you feel are the key issues, concerns or constraints affecting the development of sport and physical activity in your area?

7. What do you see as the main needs in terms of new or improved open spaces, sport and recreational facilities and/or activities in your area?

8. Do you have any future plans to improve the open spaces, sport and recreational provision in your area? Yes  No

If yes, please explain below:

9. Please state whether you feel any improvements should be made to the following aspects of open space, sports, and recreational facilities.

	No improvements needed	Some improvements needed	Major improvements needed
Play equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Maintenance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Boundaries (fences, hedges)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Toilets	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provision of litter bins	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dog fouling bins	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Seats/benches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shelters	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tables	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
BBQ Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Access points to site	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pathways	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Level surfaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Information boards and signage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community notice board	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Planted areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grassed areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural features e.g. woodland, wildlife	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Art/sculptures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Changing rooms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lighting	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pitches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Artificial grass pitches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
On site security e.g. CCTV cameras	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dog free areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



### Locally Designated Green Spaces

Using the plans enclosed which show the current designated sites in your area:

#### Definitions of Terms Used

**Environmentally Important Open Spaces (EIOS):** Sites identified as important for their visual or physical character and structure protected from development so that their open character is not eroded. These include parks, traditional village greens, or more informal areas such as spaces where important views to the countryside can be obtained. EIOS do not need to be publicly accessible.

**Important Amenity Areas (IAA):** Sites identified as important for their recreational value including recreational/sports grounds (including school sports grounds), playing fields, the town's linear park system, formal town parks, pocket parks allotment gardens, informal open space and children's play areas as well as civic spaces, churchyards and cemeteries in close association with housing development. IAAs must be accessible.

10. If you are aware of any additional sites you think should be designated, please identify them on the map provided and write the name and address below.

11. If you are aware of any sites which are currently designated but no longer relevant, please identify them on the map provided and write the name and address below.

### General Open Space, Sports, and Recreational Facilities

Using the plans enclosed which shows the existing open space, sports, and recreational facilities in your area:

12. If you are aware of any open space sites that have been developed or new ones which have been created, please identify them on the map provided and write the name and address below.

#### Any other questions?

If you would like to discuss anything in more detail, please phone **Laura Schofield** or **Alice Babb** on **01925 844004**, or email us at **wellingborough@tep.uk.com**.

Many thanks for your help with this important study.

## Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities: NGBs/CSPs Survey

We would like to hear your views on sports and recreational facilities in the Borough of Wellingborough.

The Borough Council of Wellingborough has appointed The Environment Partnership (TEP) to undertake an audit and assessment of open spaces, sports and recreational facilities within the Borough. The study will investigate whether the current level of provision is sufficient in terms of quality, quantity, and accessibility to meet the needs of Wellingborough's residents now and in the near future.

Please fill in as much of the questionnaire as you can. All the answers provided will be treated as confidential.

If you have any questions or need help completing the questionnaire, please phone **Laura Schofield or Alice Babb** on **01925 844004**.

Completed questionnaires should be returned by email to [wellingborough@tep.uk.com](mailto:wellingborough@tep.uk.com).

Many thanks for your help with this important study.

<b>Name of Sport:</b>	
<b>Contact details</b> <i>Please provide the name and contact details of the key person if we need to come back to you for further information and/or update you on the work.</i>	Name:
	Position:
	Email:
	Telephone No:

<p><b>1. What strategic facility statement does your Whole Sport Plan include? (NGBs only)</b> List and/ or provide link to relevant document with a high level summary.</p>	
<p><b>2. Does your sport have a current facility strategy? (NGBs only)</b> <i>(please provide a link/copy)</i></p>	
<p><b>3. Is Wellingborough part of an identified priority area for your sport? If so, please state here and provide any relevant links.</b></p>	
<p><b>4. Please summarise what the demand is for the sport in Wellingborough.</b></p>	
<p><b>5. Do you feel there are barriers to increasing use of and availability of sports facilities in Wellingborough? If so, please state what these barriers are.</b></p>	
<p><b>6. Are you aware of any demand for your sport in the Wellingborough area which are currently unmet? If so, please state what these are.</b></p>	

<p><b>7. Does your organisation have any specific capital or revenue investment that may be relevant for this area?</b></p>	
<p><b>8. Are any interventions planned that will increase demand for facilities?</b></p>	
<p><b>9. Do you have enough facility capacity for your sport in Wellingborough? Are they well located for your sport?</b>  <i>Please indicate if these are based on a formal assessment.</i></p>	
<p><b>10. Do facilities in neighbouring areas meet the needs for your sport? If so, please state where.</b></p>	
<p><b>11. Do you believe there is potential to grow your sport significantly in Wellingborough?</b></p>	
<p><b>12. Any other comments?</b>  <i>For example, are any facilities at risk; are there any issues of access? Please state here any facility information you think Wellingborough Borough Council should be aware of that has not been covered.</i></p>	

## Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities: Community Survey

You will notice that the survey has not been addressed to any particular individual in your household. This is because we would like to hear the views of the widest possible range of people. Therefore, please ask the person in your household who will next have their birthday to complete the survey. This includes children aged 10 and over.

We would like to hear your views on parks, play areas, sports facilities, recreational land and other open spaces in the Borough of Wellingborough.

The Borough Council of Wellingborough has appointed The Environment Partnership (TEP) to undertake an audit and assessment of open spaces, sports and recreational facilities within the Borough. The study will investigate whether the current level of provision is sufficient in terms of quality, quantity, and accessibility to meet the needs of Wellingborough's residents now and in the near future.

Please fill in as much of the questionnaire as you can, even if you do not use open space or sports facilities we would still like to hear your views.

All the answers provided will be treated as confidential.

If you have any questions or need help completing the questionnaire, please phone **Laura Schofield** or **Alice Babb** on **01925 844004**. Alternatively, you can email your views to: [wellingborough@tep.uk.com](mailto:wellingborough@tep.uk.com)

Completed questionnaires should be returned in the pre-paid envelope provided by **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2014**.

Many thanks for your help with this important study.

### Prize Draw

Anyone who completes the Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities: Community Survey 2014 has the opportunity to enter a draw to win £50. If you would like to be entered into the prize draw please state your name, email address, and telephone number so we can contact you if you are the winner (your details will not be used for any other purpose).

## Open Spaces, Sports, and Recreational Facilities: Community Survey

### Definitions of Terms Used

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*Cemeteries and Churchyards: quiet contemplation and burial*

*Civic Spaces: setting of a civic building, public demonstrations and community events*

1. Please tick the category to which you fall into:

Wellingborough Resident (urban area)  Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Wellingborough Resident (rural area)  Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

## Supply of Open Space, Sports, and Recreational Facilities

### Quantity

2. Please tick below whether you feel there is enough or not enough of each type of open space within your area. (please select all that apply)

	More than enough	Satisfactory	Not enough	No opinion
Parks and Gardens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural and Semi-Natural Open Space	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Green Corridors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Amenity Greenspace	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provision for Children and Young People	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor and Indoor Sports and Recreational Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Allotments and Community Gardens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cemeteries and Churchyards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Civic Spaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you answered "Not enough" could you please give more detail below.



	Very satisfied	Fairly satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Fairly dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied	Don't know-no view
Swimming Pools	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gym/ fitness facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grass pitches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Synthetic/ all-weather pitches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outside hard courts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Multi-use games area/ outdoor courts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Village Halls/ Community Centres	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Golf courses/ raring	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bowls	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cycling routes (traffic free)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Walking/ running routes (traffic free)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Demand for Open Space, Sports, and Recreational Facilities

### Current Needs

6. How often have you used each of the following types of open spaces in the last 12 months? (please select all that apply)

	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Occasionally/seasonally	Don't use
Parks and Gardens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural and Semi-Natural Open Space	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Green Corridors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Amenity Greenspace	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provision for Children and Young People	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor and Indoor Sports and Recreational Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Allotments and Community Gardens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cemeteries and Churchyards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Civic Spaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



7. If you do use the open spaces, sports and recreation facilities in the Borough, could you give the address or the name below of the site you use most frequently?

8. For the above site select 3 reasons for visiting the site rating them from 1 to 3 (1 being the main purpose to visit)?

To play sport (including angling) \_\_\_\_

Passive recreation (walking, sitting) \_\_\_\_

Historical or cultural interest \_\_\_\_

Food production (allotment) \_\_\_\_

Access (riverside path, cycle path) \_\_\_\_

Children's play area \_\_\_\_

Community involvement \_\_\_\_

Socialise \_\_\_\_

9. What would encourage you to use the open spaces and sports facilities that you don't currently use? (Please tick all that apply)

If I had more time

If I had more of an interest

If it cost less to take part

If public transport was available

Better public transport

If public transport cost less

Safe cycle route

More suitable facilities

Better quality

If it were cleaner/more pleasant changing facilities

Better parking

If it was not so close to a busy road

Better booking arrangements

Better site management

If there were more facilities in my area

If facilities were closer to where I live

If there were the appropriate clubs locally

If there were more local fitness classes (e.g. pilates)

If there was more information about what was available

If I felt safer

Longer opening times

Nothing, I already do enough

Nothing, I do not want to exercise

Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

10. Which sports or activities do you participate in? (Please tick all that apply)

- Athletics/ Running
- Basketball
- Badminton
- Cricket
- Cycling
- Football
- Golf
- Gym/fitness facilities
- Hockey
- Indoor bowls
- Martial arts
- Netball
- Outdoor bowls
- Rugby
- Running
- Skating
- Swimming
- Table tennis
- Tennis
- Walking

Other  (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Where do you participate in these activities? Please include facilities outside of the Borough of Wellingborough.

12. Are you a member of any sports or leisure clubs?

Yes  No

If yes, please name:

### Future Demand

13. Please state whether you feel any improvements should be made to the following aspects of open space, sports, and recreational facilities.

	No improvements needed	Some improvements needed	Major improvements needed
Play equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Maintenance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Boundaries (fences, hedges)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Toilets	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	No improvements needed	Some improvements needed	Major improvements needed
Parking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provision of litter bins	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dog fouling bins	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Seats/benches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shelters	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tables	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
BBQ Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Access points to site	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pathways	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Level surfaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Information boards and signage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community notice board	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Planted areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grassed areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural features e.g. woodland, wildlife	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Art/sculptures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Changing rooms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lighting	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	No improvements needed	Some improvements needed	Major improvements needed
Pitches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Artificial grass pitches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
On site security e.g. CCTV cameras	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dog free areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

15. Are there any sports or activities that you would like to try?

16. What do you feel is needed to improve the future provision and development of sport and physical activity in Wellingborough? (E.g. more sports and opportunities for older people)

## Monitoring Information

The completion of this section of the form is optional; however the following paragraph explains why it is important.

Open spaces and sports facilities can and do play a major role in promoting the inclusion of all groups of society. However, inequalities have traditionally existed within sport, particularly in relation to gender, race and disability. The council is committed to promoting and developing equal opportunities and equality of access, recognising inequalities and taking steps to address them. By monitoring the profile of the individuals completing the form the Council can ensure that a wide cross-section of the community has been involved in this consultation process.

*Please tick the appropriate boxes*

**Gender:** Male  Female

**Age Group:** 16 yrs or below  17-25 yrs  26-59yrs

60+yrs

### **Ethnicity:**

#### White:

British  Irish  Any other white background

#### Dual/Mixed:

White & Black Caribbean  White & Black African

White & Asian

Any other mixed background

#### Asian or British Asian:

Indian  Pakistani  Bangladeshi  Any other Asian background

#### Black or Black British:

Caribbean  African  Any other Black background

#### Chinese or ethnic group:

Chinese  Any other group

### **Disabilities:**

Are you registered disabled? Yes  No

The information in the questionnaires will remain confidential and will only be used by the Borough Council of Wellingborough for the purposes of an assessment of open spaces and sports facilities in Wellingborough. Information shared with the Borough Council of Wellingborough will only be used to develop a summary of provision and no individual details will be shared. Your information will not be used for commercial gain.