



CAMBOURNE TOWN COUNCIL
District of South Cambridgeshire

Cambourne Sports Pitches. (Policy for flying of remote control aircraft)

Location: Sport Pitches, Cambourne Town Council, Back Lane, Great Cambourne, Cambridge. CB23 6FY
Land primarily for the use of Cambourne residents.

Access should be made via the Town Office.

1. EMAIL: you can e-mail the bookings clerk direct at :-
bookings@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk
2. PHONE: Contact the Town Office on **01954 714403**
Monday – Friday between 9.00am – 5.00pm or leave a message.

Conditions for use

1. All Users must act with courtesy to the Cambourne Community at all times.
2. Users must be affiliated to the Cambourne model aircraft enthusiasts group and be a member of the British Model Flying Association membership. Membership of the British Model Flying Association ensures that members have liability insurance in the case of an incident while flying aircraft. (please visit here for more info <http://www.bmfa.org/>).
3. **The Town Council** reserves the right to ask for proof of membership of the British Model Flying Association from anyone using the pitches for the purpose of flying model aircraft. Any one unable produce such evidence will be asked to leave the pitches.
4. All users should comply with the BMFA Guidelines and Safety Codes as in the BMFA Member's Handbook is the latest version of the 2010 Handbook, complete with all additions and corrections set out in the first addendum sheet, published in December 2011. (please visit the following link for more information <http://www.bmfa.org/>).
5. Users should make every effort possible while using the pitches not to disturb other users and nearby residents. There should be no flying on the pitches when there is any other activity on them (e.g. matches are being played, community events are on). This only applies to the flying of electric aircraft, which are reasonably quiet, as opposed to fuel aircraft which would cause a noise disturbance.
6. In case of accidents a report should be filled in and handed in to the Town office within 48 hours.
7. It is the User's responsibility to ensure that all equipment brought onto the pitches meets current safety regulations. **The Town Council** cannot be held responsible for any accident that involves any equipment the user has brought onto the site.
8. The Access road must be kept clear at all times for emergency vehicles. Users will not be permitted to park on pitches (or drive on them at any time). Users are required to use the sport centre car parks.

9. The Hirers shall not do, or permit, any damage to the pitches.
10. Litter, rubbish including cigarette ends and all waste must not be left in or about the pitches; **all rubbish must be removed and placed in appropriate waste containers.**
11. **The user is responsible for all conditions of this policy.**
12. **The Town Council** do not accept any responsibility whatsoever for loss of personal belongings, money or articles of any description belonging to the user. Cars and their contents are left at owners risk in the Public Car Parks. In all cases users should avoid undue noise on arrival and departure.
13. No animals are allowed on the pitches, except in the case of trained assistance dogs.
14. Arrangements for use of the pitches must be made through the Booking Clerk designated by **The Town Office.**
15. **The Town Council** reserves the right to terminate any use where there is evidence of public nuisance.
16. Users are responsible for the supervision of their children at **all** times.