Cambourne

Population 2011	7440
No of Homes 2011	3190

Comparison with Recommended Standards			
Туре	Provision (hectares)	Requirement from Recommended Standard	Surplus/Shortfall (hectares)
Sport	13.59	11.90	+1.69
Play Space	0.65	5.95	-5.30
Informal Open Space	154.24	2.98	+151.26
Informal Play Space	2.96	2.98	-0.02
Allotments	2.44	2.98	-0.54

Outdoor Sport

Outdoor Sport Sites		
Address		Contents / Description
	(hectares)	
Cambourne Playing Fields, Back Lane, Cambourne	10.17	Overview: Large open space with football pitches, tennis courts / netball courts and a multi-use games area.
Land north of School Lane, west of Swansley Lane	1.56	Overview: Large open space with cricket pitch
Land south of Cambourne Playing Fields	1.86	Overview: Large open space

Pitches		
Туре	Quantity	Quality
Football – Senior	4	Very Good
Football	6 mini	Very Good
Cricket	2	Very Good
Rugby	2	Very Good
Tennis – Hard Court	2	Good
Bowls	8 rink	Very Good
MUGA	5 aside sand filled	Good
Tennis courts	2	Good

Pavilion		
Address	Sports	Quality
Great Cambourne Sports Pavillion	All sports	Very good
Lower Cambourne Cricket Pavillion	Cricket pavilion	Good

Current Users		
Sport	Clubs	Teams
Football	Cambourne Rovers	2 men
	Cambourne	3 youth
	Eagles	1 mini
	Cambourne	2 youth 6 mini
Cricket	Cambourne	4 men
	CC	8 youth
Bowls	Cambourne Bowls Club	30 members
Rugby	Cambourne	2 men
	Exiles Rugby	
	Club	
Tennis	Cambourne	Over 150 members
	Tennis Club	8 teams
		2 Netball team as part of club

Children's Play

Children's Equipped Play Area		
Address	Size (hectares)	Contents / Description
Land at Cambourne Playing fields, north of Back Lane, Cambourne	0.07	Overview: Small fenced off play area with grass and a rubberised safety surface with a small range of equipment Classification: LEAP Quality: Good
Land north of Brace Dein, Cambourne	0.15	Overview: Small play area with a small range of equipment Classification: LEAP Quality: Good

Land north of School Lane, east of Hop Gardens, Cambourne	0.14	Overview: Small fenced off play area with grass and a rubberised safety surface with a small range of equipment Classification: LEAP Quality: Good
Land north of School Lane, east of The Oaks, Cambourne	0.12	Overview: Small fenced off play area with grass and a rubberised safety surface with a small range of equipment Classification: LEAP Quality: Good
Land south of Cambourne Playing fields, south of Back Lane, Cambourne	0.09	Overview: Small play area with a small range of equipment Classification: LEAP Quality: Good
Land south of Greenhaze Lane, west of Monkfield Lane, Cambourne	0.08	Overview: Small fenced off play area with a rubberised safety surface with a small range of equipment Classification: LEAP Quality: Good

Informal Playspace		
Address	Size (hectares)	
Land north of Miller Way, Cambourne	0.03	
Land south of Miller Way, Cambourne	0.02	
Land west of Stagwell Road, Cambourne	0.03	
Land east of Swansley Lane, Cambourne (1)	0.01	
Land east of Swansley Lane, Cambourne (2)	0.03	
Land north of Woolthwaite Lane, Cambourne	0.02	
Land at Codling Walk, Cambourne	0.01	
Land at Woodfield Lane, Cambourne	0.02	

Land north of Auberry Way, Cambourne	0.03
Land north of Crow Hill Lane, Cambourne	0.02
;amd spitj pf Greenbank, Cambourne	0.02
Land south of Greenhaze Lane, Cambourne	0.02
Land east of Laith Road, Cambourne	0.03
Land east of Stagwell Road, Cambourne	0.07
Land north of Smithy Way, Cambourne	0.02
Land north of Greenhaze Lane, Cambourne	0.02
Land south of Greenhaze Lane,, Cambourne	0.03
Land west of Foxhollow, Cambourne	0.04
Land south of Greenhaze Lane, Cambourne	0.03
Land East of Mayfield Way, Cambourne	0.03
Land at Mayfield Way, Cambourne	0.02
Land east of Shepard Close, Cambourne	0.02
Land east of Bullrush Lane, Cambourne (1)	0.03
Land east of Bullrush Lane, Cambourne (2)	0.02
Land west of Chervil Way, Cambourne	0.03
Land north of Brace Dein, Cambourne	1.79
Land east of Lysander Close, Cambourne	0.13
Land north of Lancaster Gate, Cambourne	0.02
Land west of Oxford Way, Cambourne	0.03
Land west of Sterling Way, Cambourne	0.09
Land at De Havilland Close, Cambourne	0.06
Land west of Anson Road, Cambourne (1)	0.04
Land west of Anson Road, Cambourne (2)	0.07
Land north of Hudson Road, Cambourne (1)	0.02
Land north of Hudson Road, Cambourne (2)	0.04
Land east of Sterling Way, Cambourne	0.01
Land east of Lysander Close, Cambourne	0.01

Informal Open Space		
Address Size (hectares)		
Land at Cambourne	154.24	

Allotments

Allotments		
Address	Size (hectares)	Quality
Land east of Brace Dein, Cambourne	1.42	Excellent
Land west of Greenbank, Cambourne	1.02	Good

New or improved facilities required to meet local need

Sport	Improvements Needed
Bowls	Small pavilion (the portacabin needs
	turning next to the green)

Sport	Facility Needed

Summary

Cambourne as a new settlement is still being developed, with many homes in Upper Cambourne still to be completed. The open spaces provided have been developed guided by openspace standards from recent development plans, and assessments of the sport and play needs that would be present in the village. More formal sports and play facilities are integrated with areas of Green Infrastructure, including a network of footpaths, areas for informal recreation and spaces supporting wildlife. A play strategy was used in the development of Cambourne and this has proved to be a valuable tool in delivering accessible and high quality formal and informal play opportunities.

Cambourne has a variety of sports facilities, and a range of teams across the sports of rugby, football, cricket, bowls tennis and netball. A new Sports Centre opened in 2011.

The bowls club have indicated a need for small club house facility so they can offer visiting team's refreshments and shelter during inclement weather. A grant of £25000 was awarded for new changing rooms and the total project cost was £512600. Storage facilities were made available for the MUGA in 2006 at a total cost of £10000.

