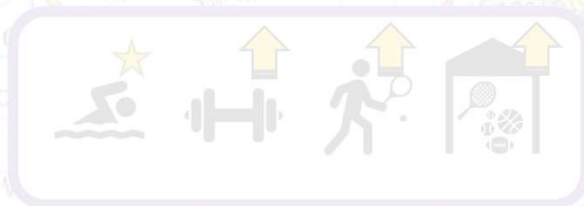


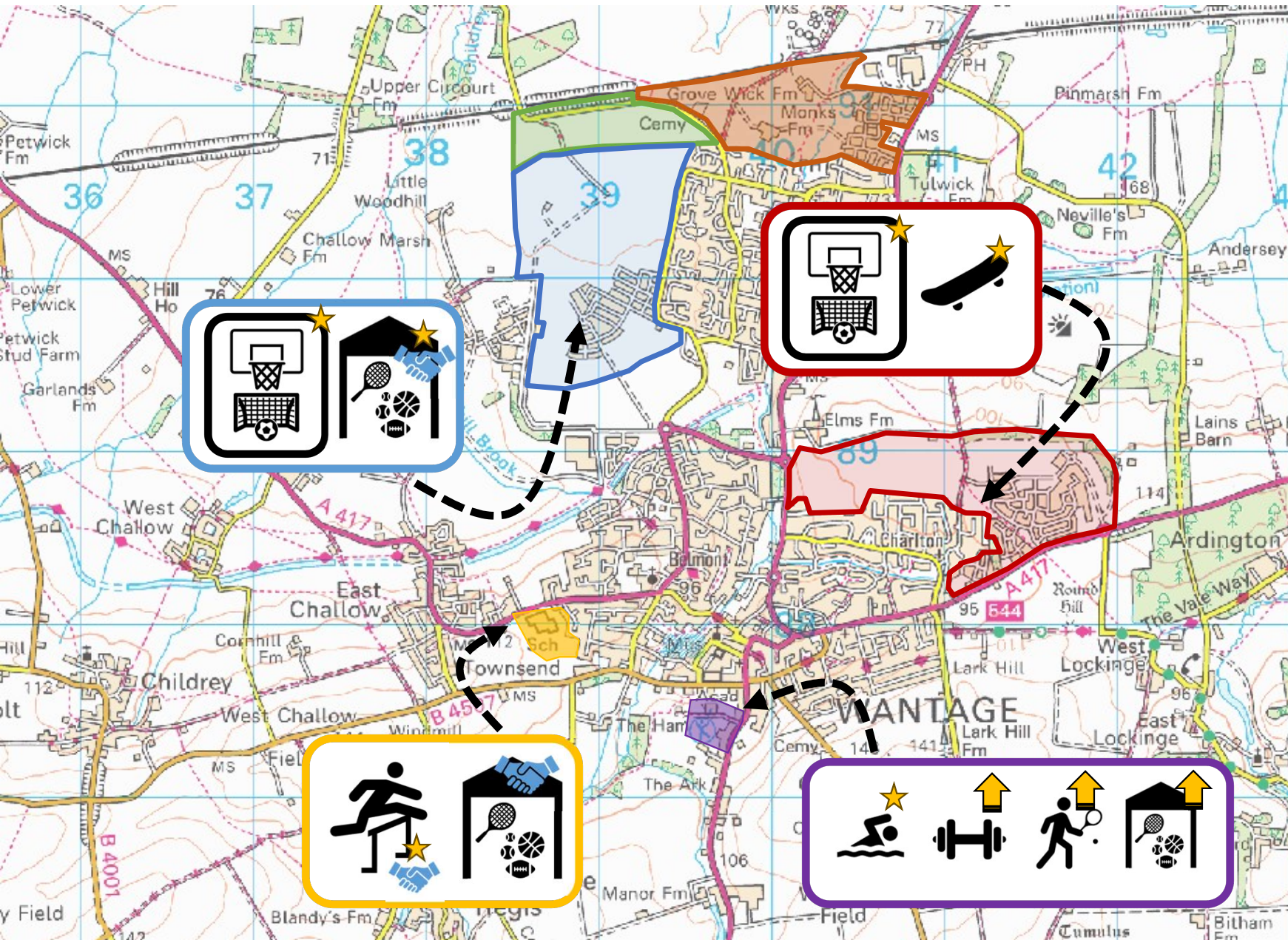
Wantage and Grove Leisure Provision

Leisure Facilities Assessment and Strategy recommendations

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Crab Hill Development Site

1,534 Homes with outline consent

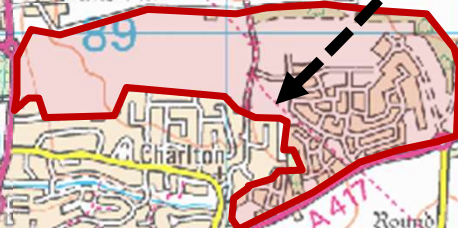
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New skate park granted planning permission 11 January 2024 (P23/V1296/RM)



New MUGA granted planning permission 11 January 2024 (P23/V1296/RM)



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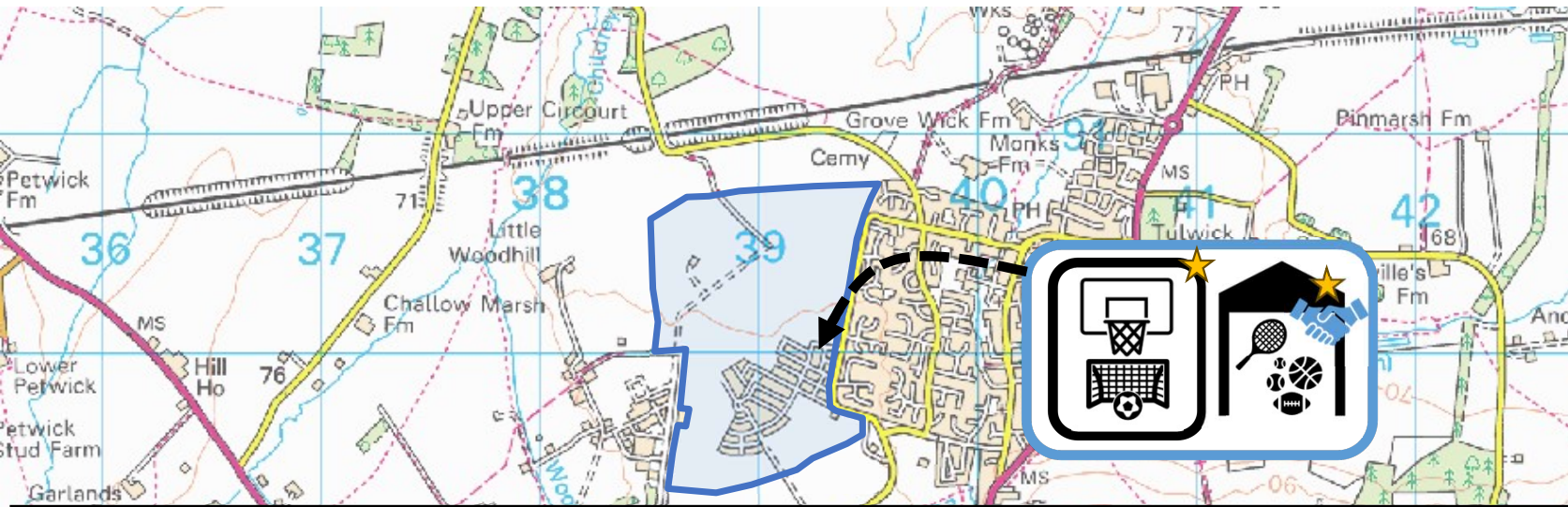
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Grove Airfield Development Site

2,500 Homes with outline consent
 595 Homes built (December 2023)

 New secondary school (St John's Academy) application under consideration (P23/V1928/RM) – circa 625 pupils + 25 SEN pupils.
 Not yet permitted.



Application for school shows Department for Education support for the enlarged sports hall with a community use agreement, as well as designing the MUGA to be accessible to the community.

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King Alfred's Academy (West Site)

No planning applications in place at the moment for potential facilities here



Sports hall at the academy is used by Challow Netball Club and casual community bookings



White Horse Harriers has plans and outline design for a Compact Facility with an 80m 4 Lane track and throw cages and jump facilities. This could be placed in a local Senior School (such as King Alfred's) who have agreed maintenance and security.

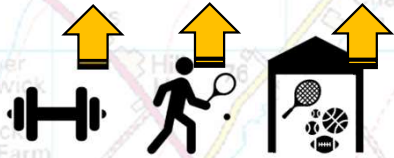
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Wantage Leisure Centre

Recommendations to improve the leisure centre here would need to be actioned by the Council, using S106 funding / CIL or other funding streams.



Diversifying sporting offer and modernising the sports hall:

- Upgrade sports hall floor
- Upgrade sports hall lighting
- Upgrade sports hall roof
- Upgrade changing accommodation



New 18m x 10m learner pool annexed to the current leisure centre building – frees up space in the main pool



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Wantage / Grove leisure provision – Potential funding sources options

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Swimming
£1,218,727

Redirect to support the Wantage Leisure Centre Learner Pool



Sports Halls
£1,949,671

Redirect to support enhancements of Wantage Leisure Centre sports hall or enhancement / provision of other sports hall opportunities e.g. scout facilities



General indoor sports
£105,544

Redirect to support expansion of the gym facilities at Wantage Leisure Centre, enhancements of Wantage Leisure Centre sports hall or enhancement / provision of other indoor sporting facilities



Indoor Sports Hub
£1,564,539

Redirect to support enhancements of Wantage Leisure Centre sports hall or enhancement / provision of other indoor sporting facilities



Health & Fitness (Gym)
£325,434

Redirect to support expansion of the gym facilities at Wantage Leisure Centre

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Outdoor Sports contributions

S106 funding has also been secured for playing pitch and tennis provision in the Wantage and Grove area.

Opportunities for the use of these contributions will be considered based on the outputs of the Leisure Facilities and Playing Pitch Strategies but, as with the indoor sports contributions, this will be subject to the usage restrictions of the contributions. Further discussions with Sports England, governing bodies and local organisations may identify potential projects that could benefit from these funds.