

## Elsworth

<b>Population 2011</b>	670
<b>No of Homes 2011</b>	290

Comparison with Recommended Standards			
Type	Provision (hectares)	Requirement from Recommended Standard	Surplus/Shortfall (hectares)
Sport	2.09	1.07	+1.04
Play Space	0.11	0.54	-0.42
Informal Open Space	0	0.27	-0.26
Allotments	0.36	0.27	+0.10

### Outdoor Sport

Outdoor Sport Sites		
Address	Size (hectares)	Contents / Description
Elsworth Recreation Ground, Smith Street, Elsworth	2.09	<u>Overview:</u> Open space with cricket pitch, football pitch, play area and a pavilion

Pitches		
Type	Quantity	Quality
Football – Junior	1	Good
Football – Senior	1	Good
Cricket	1	Good

Pavilion		
Address	Sports	Quality
Elsworth Sports Pavillion, Elsworth Recreation Ground, Smith Street	All purpose pavilion	Very good

Current Users		
Sport	Clubs	Teams
Football/Cricket	Elsworth Sports Club	2 men's cricket 1 men football

**Children's Play**

<b>Children's Equipped Play Area</b>		
<b>Address</b>	<b>Size (hectares)</b>	<b>Contents / Description</b>
Elsworth Recreation Ground, Smith Street, Elsworth	0.11	<u>Overview:</u> Small play area with a grass and rubberised safety surface intended for children under 12 with a large range of equipment  <u>Classification:</u> LEAP  Quality: Good

<b>Informal Playspace</b>	
<b>Address</b>	<b>Size (hectares)</b>

**Allotments**

<b>Allotments</b>		
<b>Address</b>	<b>Size (hectares)</b>	<b>Quality</b>
Land north of Elsworth Church of England Primary School, Broad End, Elsworth	0.36	Good

**New or improved facilities required to meet local need**

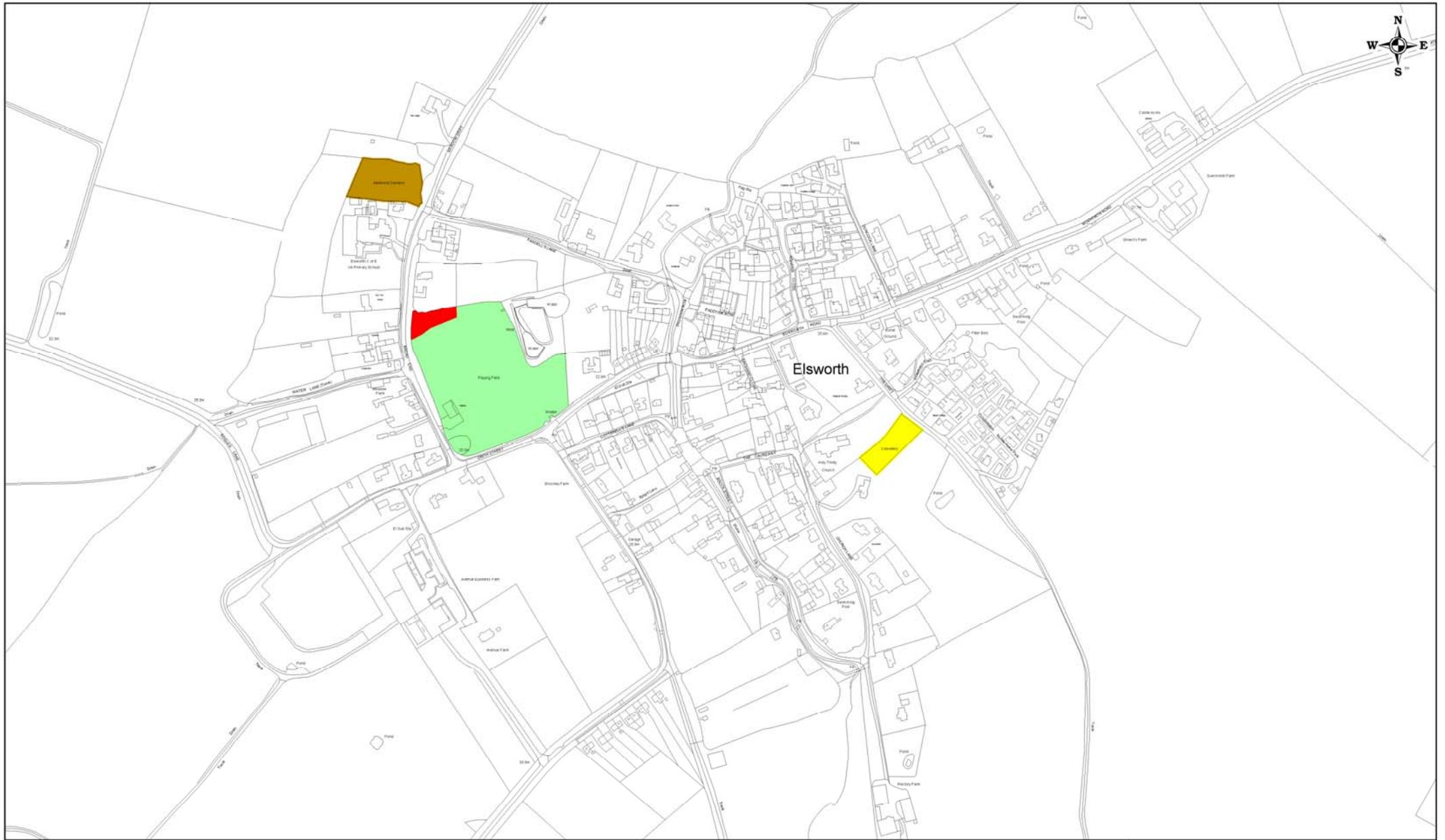
<b>Sport</b>	<b>Improvements Needed</b>

<b>Sport</b>	<b>Facility Needed</b>
Basketball	Informal basketball facility

**Summary**

The playing field is privately owned but leased to the Sports Club and widely used by the community. There is a substantial children's play area on the main field – and an area of woodland to the rear of this that has been developed for nature walks. There are mini and senior football pitches and a cricket pitch on the field.

There is a pavilion with disabled access. There is an adult cricket and football club within the village but no formal junior provision for football or cricket. The Parish Council are finding it increasingly difficult to upgrade play facilities.



### Recreation & Open Space Study 2013 - Elsworth

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|  Allotments          |  Burial Grounds      |  Children's Formal Play Space |  Community Orchards |
|  Informal Open Space |  Informal Play Space |  Outdoor Sport                |  |

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Scale 1:6000

