

## APPENDIX IX: LEISURE AND RECREATION

Leisure and Recreation	
Facility	Comments
<b>Carleton Park Play Area</b>	Fenced play area with new equipment and football pitch. Money for new play equipment raised by local residents. Single end ball wall with tarmac surface.
<b>Frenchfield Sports Centre</b>	Football pitches and pavilion – extensively used by local groups and clubs, used for parkrun every weekend. Also, home ground for Penrith Football Club whose stadium is built there. Site used for a variety of sports and events. Sports such as football, archery, running, rugby, triathlon and cycling.
<b>Penrith RUFC</b>	Rugby pitches with clubhouse. Also houses Penrith Squash Club and Penrith Tennis Club. Used extensively for training and regular games. Clubhouse used as community meeting location by organisations and businesses. Car Park used for car boot sales, family days etc and during the week the club have an agreement with local employers who use it for staff parking.
<b>Folly Lane Allotments</b>	Important usage as allotments by local residents – owned by PTC.
<b>Playground and area at Milton Street</b>	Important green space with play-area equipment and goal posts. New improvements made to the play area in 2015 following funds being raised by the local community.
<b>Penrith Golf Course</b>	Footpath across from path from Beacon Edge. 18-hole golf course with separate practice ground. Clubhouse used for community functions.

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<b>Penrith Golf Course Practice Ground</b>	Adjoining the Golf Club and used by golfers for improving their game.
<b>Fairhill Playing Field</b>	Used for football, children's games, sledging, dog walking and has a small play area that has recently been upgraded and developed by the Fairhill Recreation Group.
<b>Castletown Recreation Field (The Rec)</b>	Football pitch for Castletown Juniors and Wetheriggs United; play area and Castletown Recreation Hall. Donated for use by the local people in perpetuity (covenanted).
<b>The Crescent</b>	Football pitch (no goal posts other than during the summer months) adjacent to North Lakes Hotel and Wetheriggs Country Park used for pre-season training and as cover for friendly fixtures when main pitches are undergoing annual maintenance.
<b>Castle Park</b>	4 full size tennis courts, 1 bowling green maintained by Castle Park Bowling Club, obstacle golf, children's play area. Site of Penrith Castle (Grade 1 Listed Heritage site).
<b>Penrith Leisure Centre</b>	25m swimming pool, learner pool, climbing wall, fitness suite, soft play facility, 6 rink indoor bowls, studios, 6 court sports hall, astro turf pitch, 1 outdoor grass mini soccer pitch associated changing rooms and catering facilities.

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<b>James Street Allotments</b>	Important usage as allotments by local residents – owned by PTC.
<b>Salkeld Road Allotments</b>	Important usage as allotments by local residents – owned by PTC.
<b>Castletown/Musgrave Street/Brackenburgh Allotments</b>	Important usage as allotments by local residents – owned by PTC.
<b>Pategill Play Area</b>	Off Prince Charles Close, partly occupied by play equipment for younger children.
<b>Scaws Play Area</b>	Significant greenspace with multi use games area adjacent to Pennine Way. Fenced children’s play area also on the site.
<b>Skate Park</b>	Used extensively as a social focal point by young people.
<b>Wetheriggs Play Area</b>	Within Wetheriggs Country Park, off Clifford Road / Wetheriggs Lane. Football pitch to west end. Track around the wood with seats and fitness trail equipment.
<b>Penrith Cricket Ground</b>	Well used cricket pitch and club house, home of Penrith Cricket Club.
<b>Friars Lane Bowling Club</b>	Bowling Club just off Friars Lane, one of the oldest in the county just going into its 148 <sup>th</sup> season in 2018.