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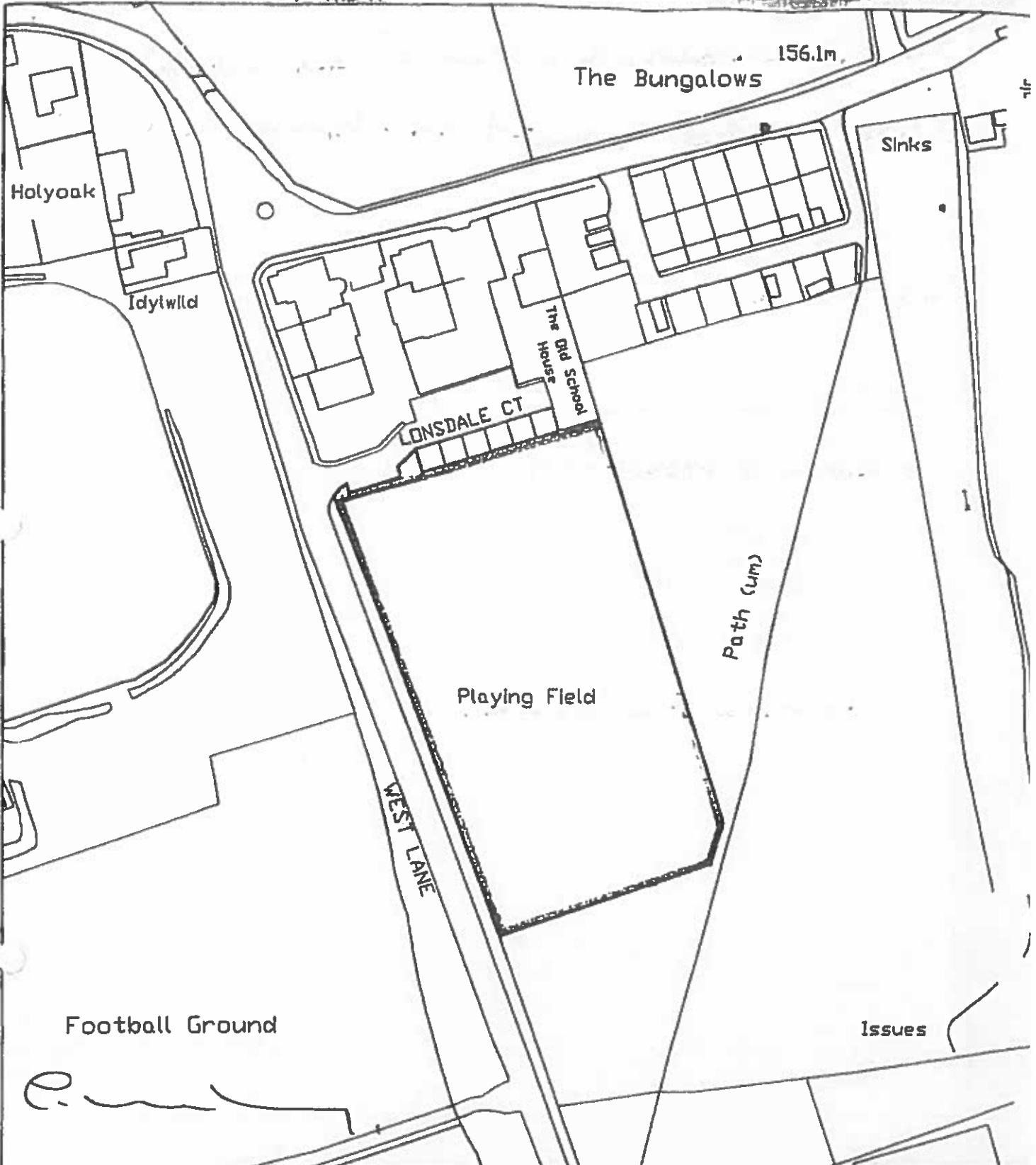
Exhibit A - Map of the Village of High Westwood with the field outlined in red.

The following is a list of Evidence Questionnaires with accompanying maps completed by the residents of High Westwood.

1. Peter Featherstone, Allendale Farm
2. Ralph William Coxon, Acorn Cottage
3. Mrs Lorraine Coxon, Acorn Cottage
4. Mr & Mrs S P Hindmarsh, Astley Cottage
5. Mark Featherstone, Hawthorn Cottage
6. Rhonda Anderson, Croft House
7. Kenneth Bainbridge, 2 The Bungalows
8. Mrs Victoria Parkinson, 3 Lonsdale Court
9. Lisa & Mark Buxton, 5 Lonsdale Court
10. Lynne and Derek Heron, 3 The Bungalows
11. Alan & Sandra Charlton, 1 Lonsdale Court
12. Katie & Paul Skinner, 4 Lonsdale Court
13. Alison, John and Hedley Windows, 2 Lonsdale Court

There is a further letter from P Hindmarsh.

EXHIBIT A



WESTWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Scale : 1/1250



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This is the exhibit marked 'A' referred to in the
Statutory Declaration of Lisa Buxton made this

• 17/5/2010.

before me


GERALD MASKERY

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67 WEDOMSLEY ROAD
CUMMERTON
CO. DURHAM, DH8 5HQ

Commissioner for oaths.

EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS A NEW GREEN

NAME	PIER FEATHERSTONE		
ADDRESS	ALLENDALE FARM HIGH WESTWOOD		
POSTCODE	NE17 7RE	TELEPHONE NO	[REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE ALLENDALE FARM	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes	No
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in (state the colour)	RED	
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	PLAY FIELD	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	SCHOOL PLAY FIELD	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 1945 to 2010	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From to	
	Then from to	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?	YES
10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?	
11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.	

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CENTRE | <input type="checkbox"/> NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?	NO
13. How do/did you gain access to the land?	VIA ROADSIDE GATE
14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?	GAMES
15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?	
16. What activities do/did you take part in?	FOOTBALL
17. Does your immediate family use the land?	YES

18. If so, what for?

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?
YES

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.
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20. Do you participate in any of them?
YES

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.
FOOTBALL, KITE FLYING, BALL GAMES

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| <input type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | <input type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FISHING | <input type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DRAWING AND PAINTING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PICNICKING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DOG WALKING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> KITE FLYING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TEAM GAMES | <input type="checkbox"/> PEOPLE WALKING |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FETES | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?
DURHAM COUNTY COUNCIL (EDUCATION DEPT)

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?
DURHAM COUNTY COUNCIL CUTS GRASS

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?
DONT KNOW

27. What did he or she say?	
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	n/o
28a. If so, from whom and when.	
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	No
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	No
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes /No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes/No

addresses upon the reverse of this form.

36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.

37. *I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.*

38. *I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.*

Signed




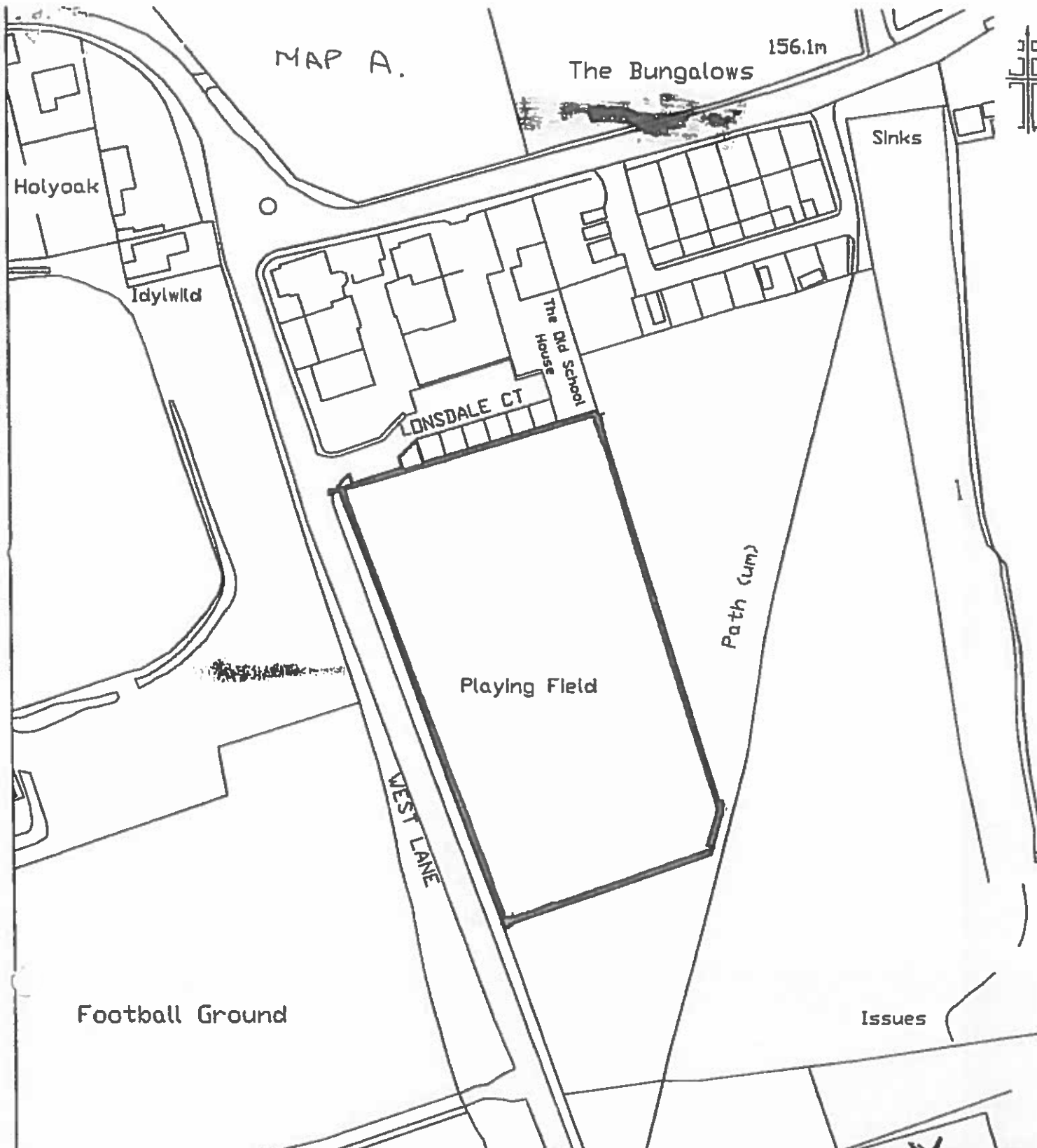
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NOTES FOR THE INTERVIEWER

THE GROUNDS FOR REGISTRATION OF A TOWN OR VILLAGE GREEN

Commons Act 2006 section 15, Registration of greens

- (1) Any person may apply to the commons registration authority to register land to which the Part ie part 1 of the Commons Act 2006, registration applies as a town or village green in a case where subsection (2), (3) or (4) applies.
- (2) This subsection applies where –
- (a) a significant number of the inhabitants of any locality, or of any neighbourhood within a locality, have indulged as of right in lawful sports and pastimes on the land for a period of at least 20 years; and
 - (b) they continue to do so at the time of application.
- (3) This subsection applies where – 
- (a) a significant number of the inhabitants of any locality, or of any neighbourhood within a locality, indulged as of right in lawful sports and pastimes on the land for a period of at least 20 years;
 - (b) they ceased to do so before the time of the application but after the commencement of this section; and
 - (c) the application is made within the period of two years beginning with the cessation referred to in paragraph (b).
- (4) This subsection applies (subject to subsection (5), where –
- (a) a significant number of the inhabitants of any locality, or of any neighbourhood within a locality, indulged as of right in lawful sports and pastimes on the land for a period of at least 20 years;
 - (b) they ceased to do so before the commencement of this section; and
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WESTWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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PETER FEATHERSTONE
ALLENDALE FARM.



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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	RALPH WILLIAM COXON		
ADDRESS	ACORN COTTAGE HIGH WOOD NCHETYLE		
POSTCODE	NE17 7UT	TELEPHONE NO	[REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	LIGRANCE TERR MEDONLEY CONS AT WESTWOOD SECONDARY SCHOOL	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	LIGRANCE TERRACE MEDONLEY CONSETT	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in (state the colour)	RED..... YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	RECREATION FIELD	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 1945 to 1952 1970-1978 1986 TO PRESENT DATE	
8. Between which years did you use it?	1945 1952 From to 1976 - 1978 Then from 1986 PRESENT TIME to	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?
 YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?
 YES

11. ~~What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.~~

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CENTRE | <input type="checkbox"/> NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?
 NO

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?
 FROM THE ROADSIDE/OR FROM GATE IN SCHOOL GARDEN

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?
 BIRD WATCHING, EXERCISE DOGS, TAKING PHOTOGRAPHS OF DOGS RACING EACH OTHER ETC

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)? ALMOST EVERY DAY AS MENTIONED ABOVE

16. What activities do/did you take part in? BIRD WATCHING, PHOTOGRAPHS OF DOGS

17. Does your immediate family use the land?
 YES

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 - (b) they ceased to do so before the commencement of this section; and
 - (c) the application is made within the period of five years beginning with the cessation referred to in paragraph (b).



18. If so, what for?
SAME AS MYSELF

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.

20. Do you participate in any of them?

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

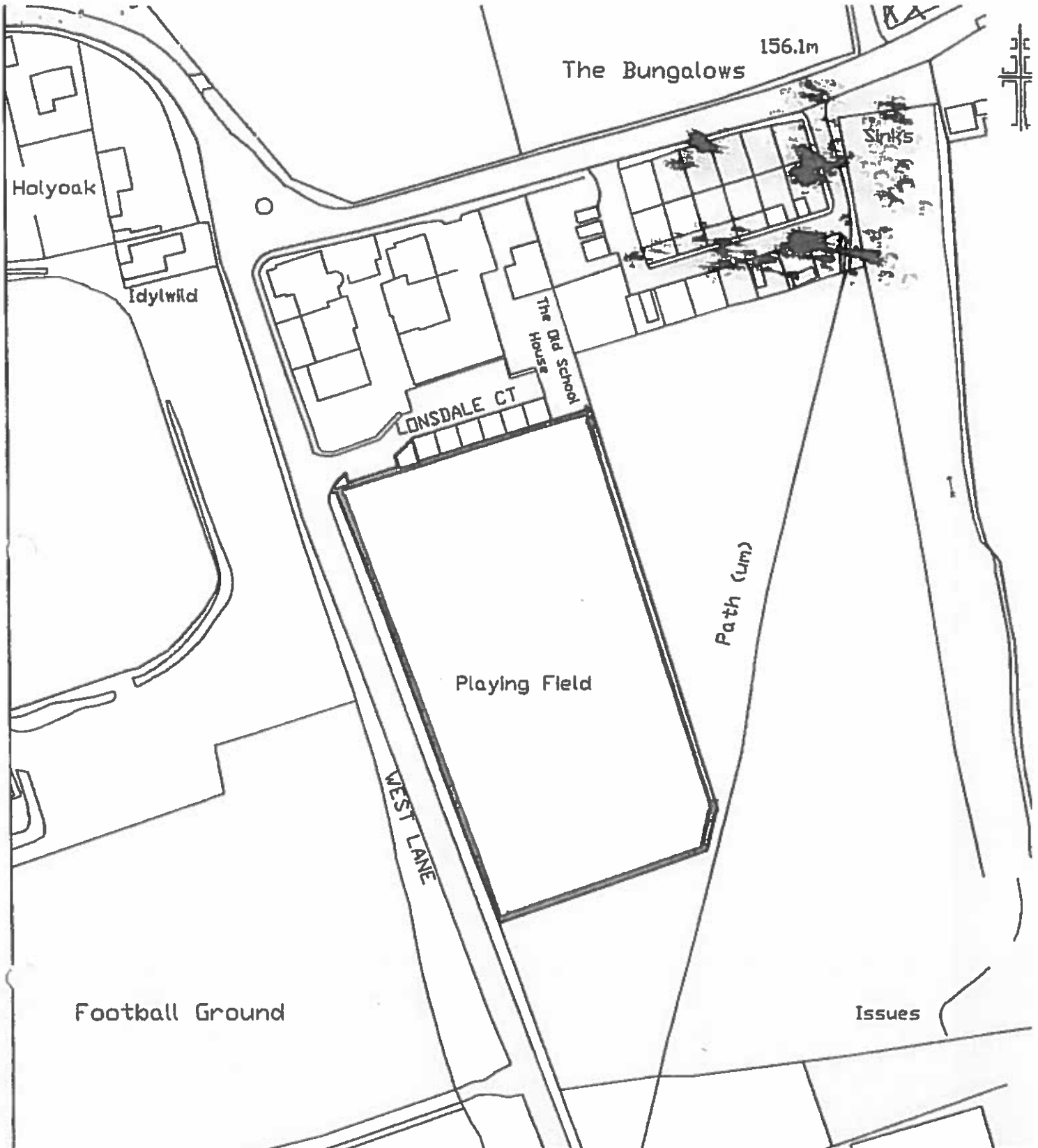
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| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FETES | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) <i>PICKNICKS.</i> | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land? *NO*

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?
MEMBERS OF LOCAL COMMUNITY

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?
NOT KNOWN

27. What did he or she say?	
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	NO
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	NO
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes/No



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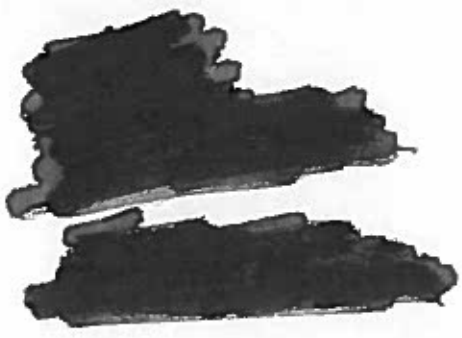


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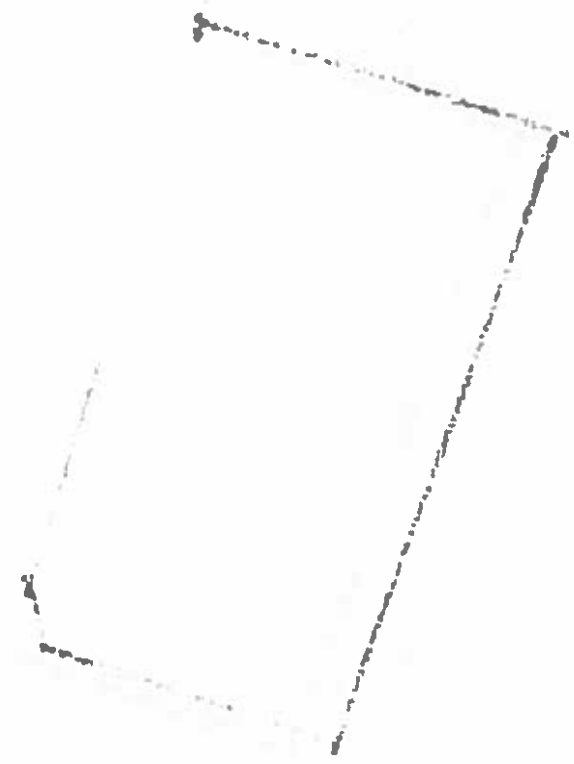
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. ACORN COTTAGE
acorn cottage



**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	MRS. LOVINE COXON		
ADDRESS	ACORN COTTAGE, HIGH WESTWOOD		
POSTCODE	NE17 7QT	TELEPHONE NO	[REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	ACORN COTTAGE HIGH WESTWOOD	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/No	YES
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ... <u>RED</u> (state the colour)	Yes/No	YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	SCHOOL SPORTS FIELD LOCAL RECREATIONAL FIELD	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From <u>1956</u> to <u>TODAY</u>	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From <u>1976</u> to <u>1978</u>	
	Then from <u>1986</u> to <u>TODAY</u>	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?
 YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?
 YES

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CENTRE | <input type="checkbox"/> NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?
 NO

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?
 FROM THE ROAD AS THERE WAS NO BOUNDARY FENCE

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?
 WALK MY DOGS. USED IT TO TAKE PHOTOS OF MY DOGS

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?
 REGULARLY.

16. What activities do/did you take part in?
 WALKING MY DOGS & TAKING PHOTOS

17. Does your immediate family use the land?
 YES

18. If so, what for?
 WALKING OUR DOGS
 TAKING PHOTOS OF OUR DOGS

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.

20. Do you participate in any of them?
 YES

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FETES | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?
 NO

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?
 MEMBERS OF THE LOCAL COMMUNITY.

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?
 DO NOT KNOW

27. What did he or she say?	
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	
	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	
	NO
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	
	NO
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31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes/No

addresses upon the reverse of this form.

36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for 5.5 years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.

37. *I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.*

38. *I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.*

Signed

A large, irregular black ink blot obscuring the signature of the applicant.

Date 5.5.10

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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	MR & MRS. S P HINDHART
ADDRESS	RETTY HOUSE, HIGH WATWOOD
POSTCODE NE17 7LJ	TELEPHONE NO [REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	HIGH WATWOOD SCHOOL FIELD
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/ No
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ... <u>RED</u> (state the colour)	X
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	SCHOOL PLAYING FIELD.
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	No.
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From <u>1965</u> to <u>1970</u>
8. Between which years did you use it? MY CHILDREN USED IT.	From <u>1970</u> to <u>1976/7</u> Then from to

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land? *yes.*

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same? *yes.*

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land? *No.*

13. How do/did you gain access to the land? *SIDE GATES FROM BOTH THE SCHOOL AND SIDE GATES FROM THE MAIN ROAD.*

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?
MY CHILDREN ALONG WITH OTHER VILLAGES CHILDREN USED IT TO PLAY ON. THE ONLY OTHER PLACE WERE AN OLD QUARRY WHICH WAS TOO DANGEROUS.

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?
VERY OFTEN.

16. What activities do/did you take part in?
OUR CHILDREN USED TO PLAY CRICKET, FOOTBALL AND OTHER VARIOUS GAMES.

17. Does your immediate family use the land?
NOT NOW, THEY HAVE GROWN UP AND LONG SINCE LEFT THE AREA BUT OTHER CHILDREN IN THE VILLAGES STILL USE IT. THERE ARE QUITS A NUMBER NOW.

18. If so, what for?
IT IS USED AS IT ALWAYS WAS FOR CHILDREN TO PLAY IN.

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?
FAIRS BOTH SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY ONE.

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.
SCHOOL FAIRS HAVE TAKEN PLACE HERE SINCE ABOUT 1965 UP TO THE SCHOOL CLOSURE. THERE HAVE BEEN A FEW COMMUNITY FAIRS SINCE.

20. Do you participate in any of them?
WE HAVE WITNESSED TO A REASONABLE FEW.

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | CHILDREN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | CHILDREN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FETES | | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?
NO

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?
NO

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?
NO

27.	What did he or she say?	
28.	Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	
28a.	If so, from whom and when.	
29.	Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	<i>No</i>
29a.	If yes, when and the reason.	
30.	Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	<i>No</i>
30a.	If yes, when and the reason.	
31.	Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	<i>No</i>
31a.	If yes, give examples and dates.	
32.	Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes /No
33.	Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes /No
34.	If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes / No
35.	If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes /No

WE ARE THE LONGEST INHABITANTS LIVING IN THIS VILLAGE

addresses upon the reverse of this form.

36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for 4 1/2... years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.

37. *I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.*

38. *I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.*

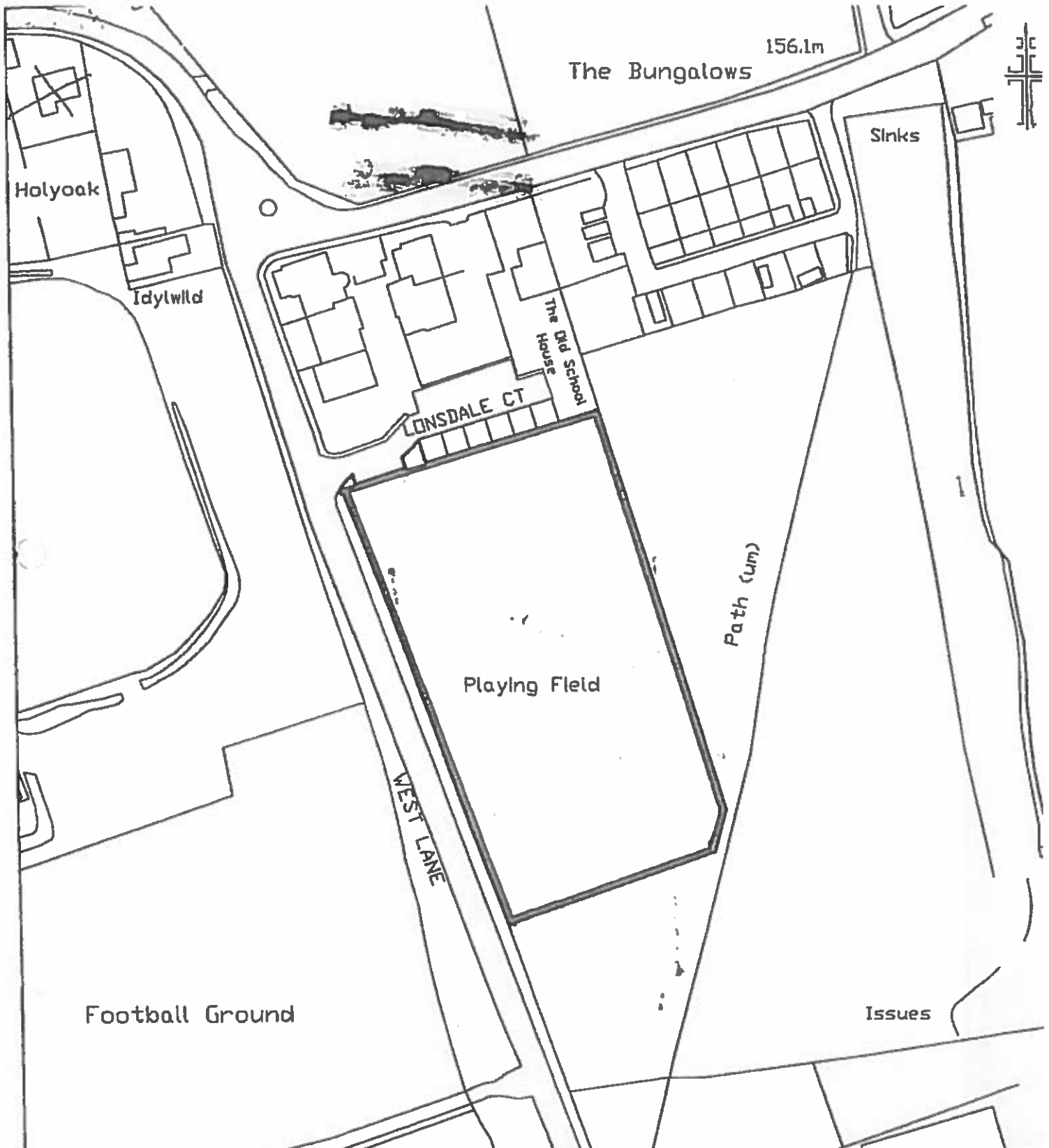
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 - (c) the application is made within the period of five years beginning with the cessation referred to in paragraph (b).



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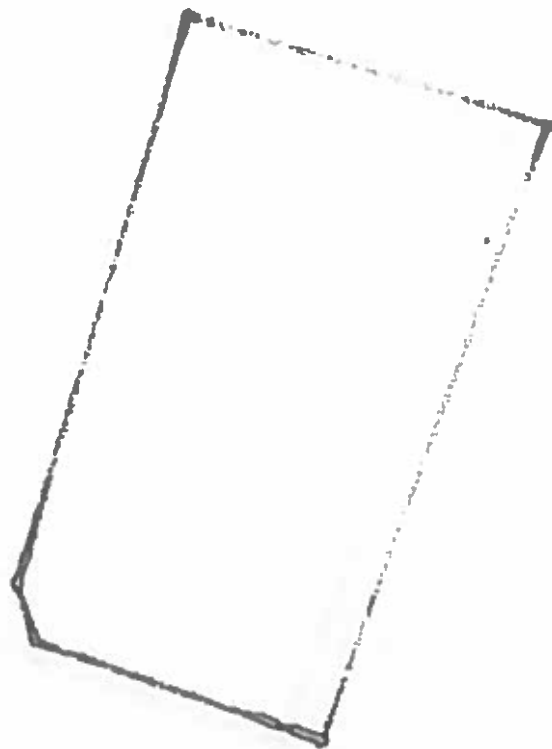
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ASTLEY HOUSE

X [REDACTED]
X [REDACTED]



9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?
Yes

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?
Yes

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?
No

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?
Through Gateway

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land? *As a child I played there with my friends. Now a parent I have used it to play with my children.*

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?
At least once a week.

16. What activities do/did you take part in?
Ball Games. hide & seek. flying Kite.

17. Does your immediate family use the land?
Yes

18. If so, what for?	Same as previous.
19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?	Medonley Village fete Summer 2000
19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.	Family gatherings - easter egg hunts
20. Do you participate in any of them?	Yes
21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.	Not to my knowledge
22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?	No
23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.	

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUNDEERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FISHING | <input type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DRAWING AND PAINTING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PICNICKING |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TEAM GAMES | <input type="checkbox"/> PEOPLE WALKING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PICKING BLACKBERRIES | <input type="checkbox"/> BONFIRE PARTIES |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FETES | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?	Durham County Council
25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?	Durham County Council
26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?	Un-Sure

27. What did he or she say?	
	N/A
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	
	No
28a. If so, from whom and when.	
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	
	We weren't aware that permission was required on council land.
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	
	No
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	
	No
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes/No

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 - (b) they ceased to do so before the commencement of this section; and
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36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for 40... years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.

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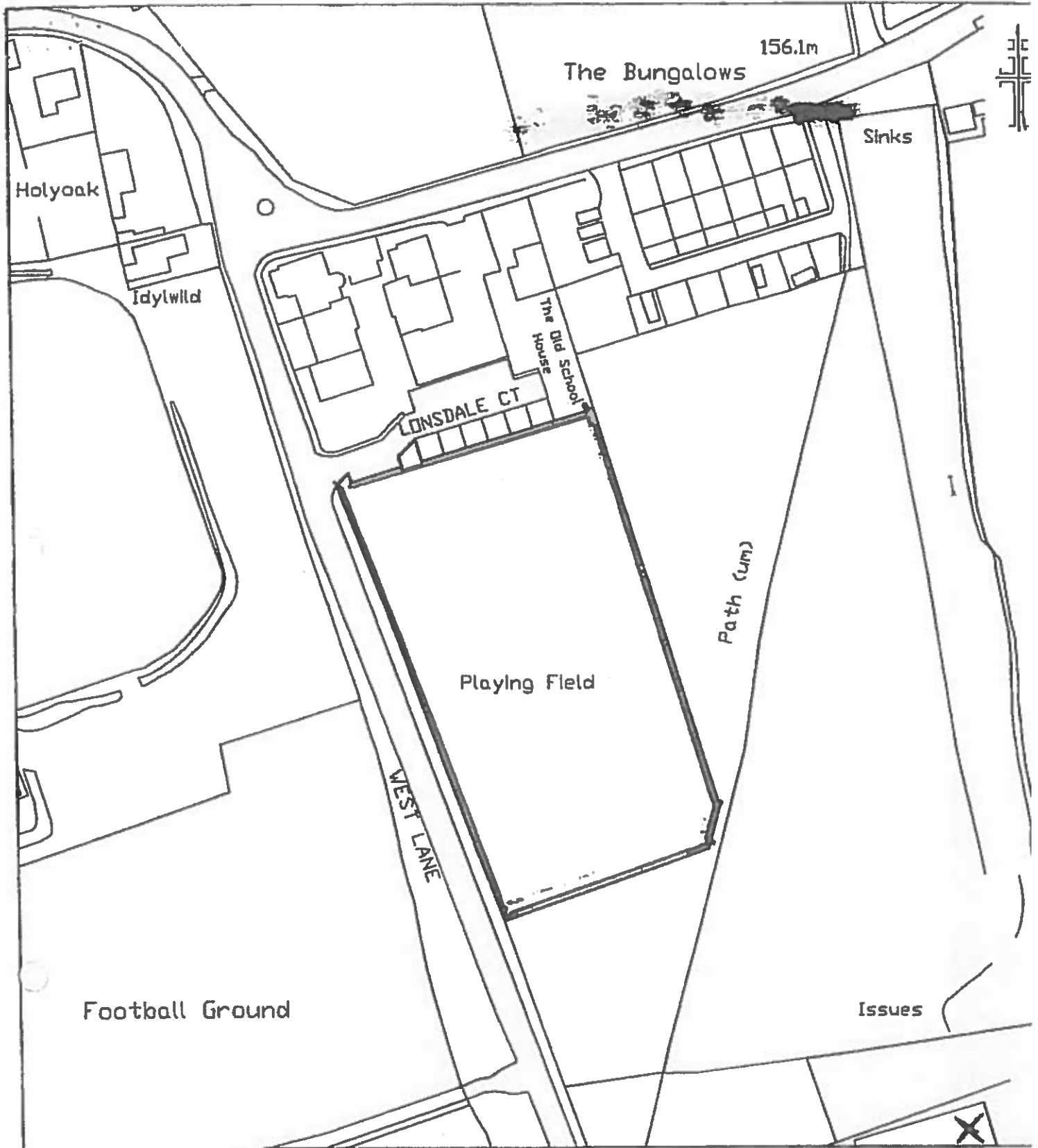
38. *I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.*

Signed



Date

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X = Allendale Farm.



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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	RHONDA ANDERSON		
ADDRESS	CROFT HOUSE	HIGH	WESTWOOD
POSTCODE	NE17 7QT	TELEPHONE NO	[REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	CROFT HOUSE
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	CROFT HOUSE
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/No <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in <u>RED</u> (state the colour)	YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	SCHOOL FIELD
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From <u>1979</u> to <u>2010</u>
8. Between which years did you use it?	From <u>1979</u> to <u>DATE</u> Then from to

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?
 YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?
 YES

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?
 NO

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?
 THROUGH THE GATE

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land? LOCAL CHILDREN HAVE USED THE LAND FOR PLAYING GAMES SINCE I CAME TO THE VILLAGE IN 1979.

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?
 EVERY WEEKEND + SOME EVENINGS
 WHEN CHILDREN WERE YOUNG

16. What activities do/did you take part in?
 FOOTBALL | CRICKET | GAMES

17. Does your immediate family use the land?
 WHEN THE CHILDREN WERE YOUNG

18. If so, what for?	PLAYING GAMES .
19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?	WILKINSLEY VILLAGE CEILIDH.
19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.	CHILDREN PLAYING - OVER 30 YEARS SCHOOL TEAM GAMES - UNTIL SCHOOL CLOSED
20. Do you participate in any of them?	FROM TIME TO TIME
21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.	NO .
22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?	PICNICKING BIRCHWORKS BUILDING SNOWMEN .
23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.	

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FETES | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?	NO
25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?	NO
26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?	I DONT KNOW

27. What did he or she say?	N/A
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	NO
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A .
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	NO
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	NO
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	N/A
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes/No

addresses upon the reverse of this form.

36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for 31 years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.

37. *I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.*

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Signed



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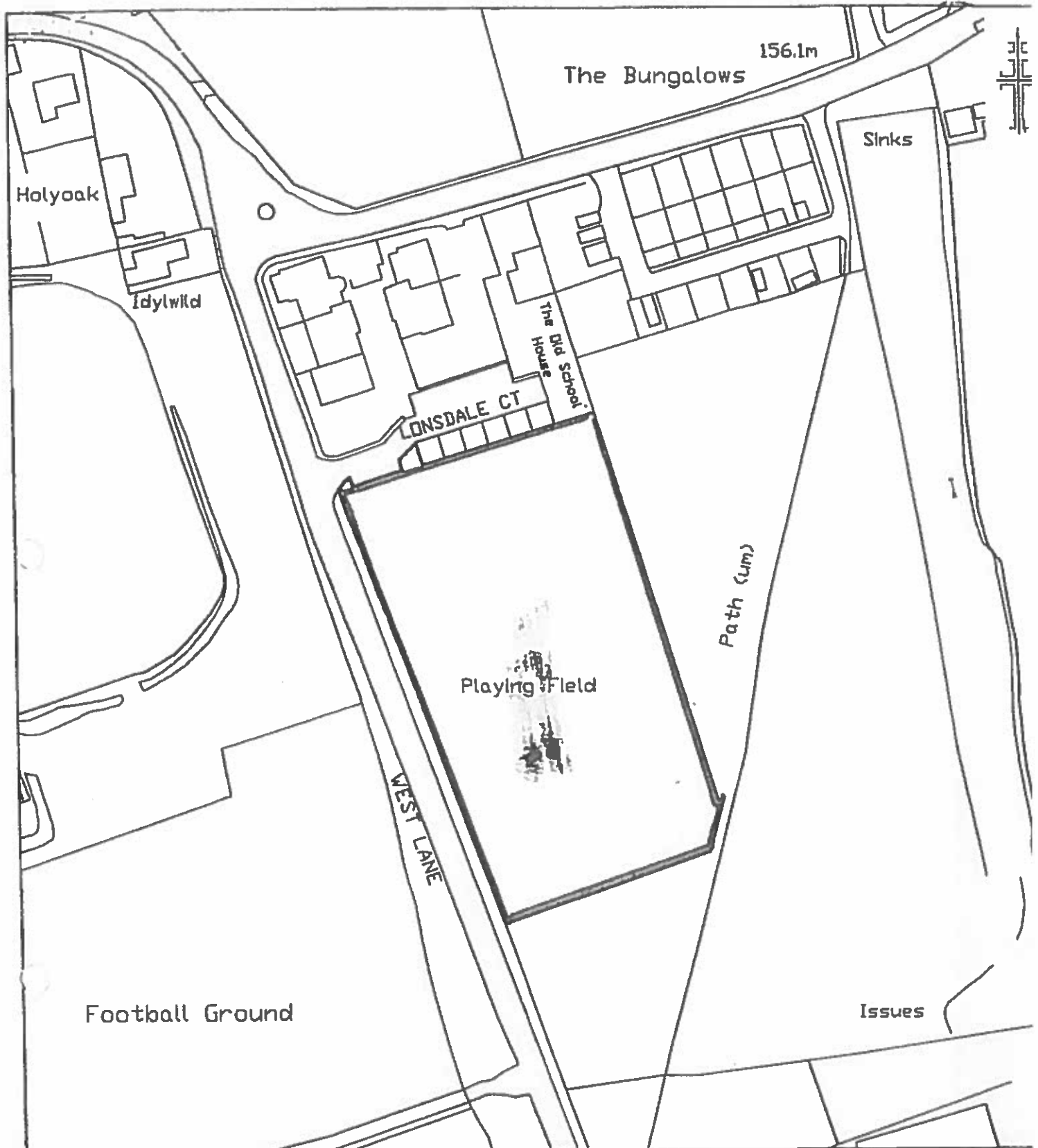
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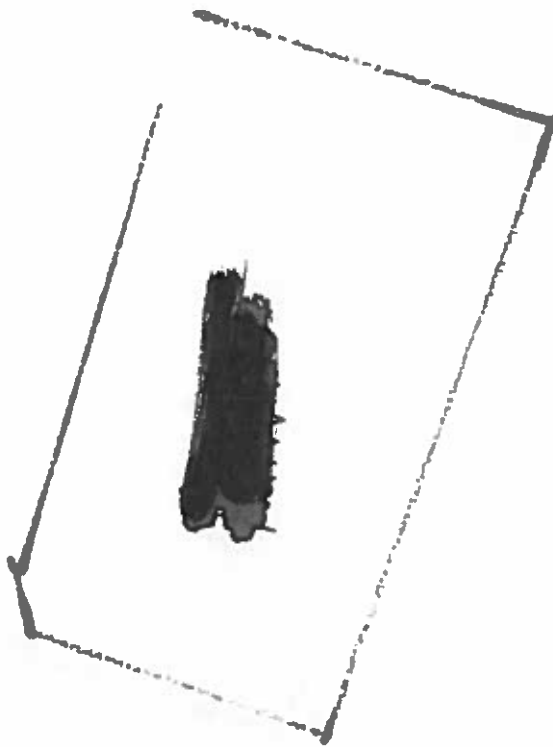
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A NEW GREEN**

NAME	KENNETH RAINBLORE		
ADDRESS	9 THE BUNGALOWS HIGHT WESTWOOD N/C - ORDN - TYNE		
POSTCODE	NE 17 7 9Y	TELEPHONE NO	

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	2000
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	1996
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? <small>(Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)</small>	Yes/ No
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged inRED..... (state the colour)	YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	PLAYING FIELD
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO
7. For how many years have you known the land? <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;">15</div>	From 1995... to 2010...
8. Between which years did you use it?	From 2000... to 2003... Then from 2006... to 2010...

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?	YES
10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?	YES
11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.	

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | |

THERE IS NO RECOGNISABLE FACILITIES AVAILABLE TO THE LOCAL INHABITANTS.

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?	NO
13. How do/did you gain access to the land?	BY A OPEN GATE / GAPS IN THE FENCE.
14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?	TO PLAY CRICKET . ETC.
15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?	2-3 TIMES PER MONTH
16. What activities do/did you take part in?	FOOTBALL, GOLF, ETC.
17. Does your immediate family use the land?	YES

18. If so, what for?
To Play GAMES

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?
YES

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.
MILLENNIUM CELEBRATIONS YEAR 2000

20. Do you participate in any of them?

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
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24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?
YES

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?

27. What did he or she say?	
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	<i>No</i>
28a. If so, from whom and when.	
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	<i>No</i>
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	<i>No</i>
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	<i>No</i>
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes /No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes/No

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36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for ...7... years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.

37. *I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.*

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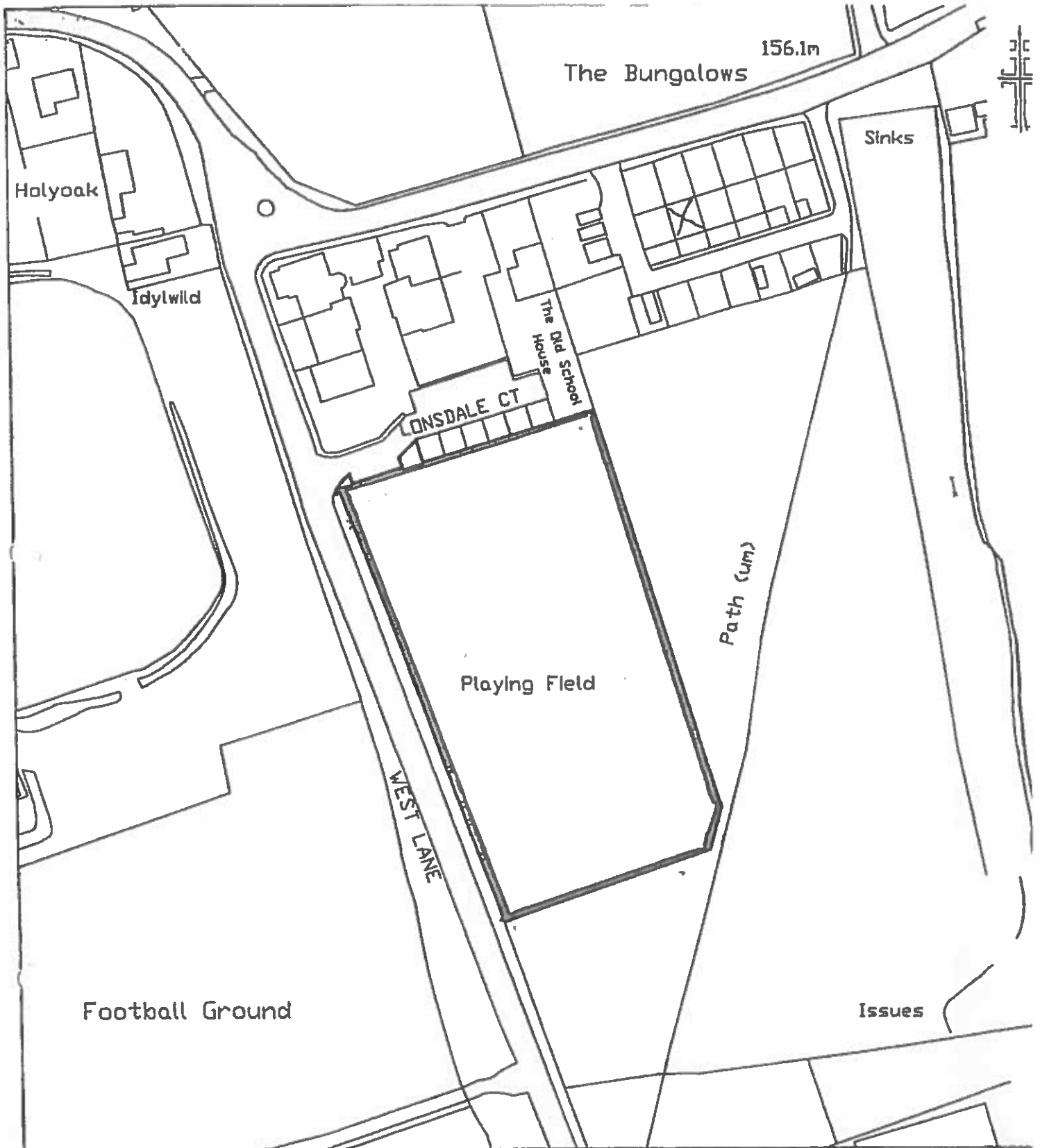
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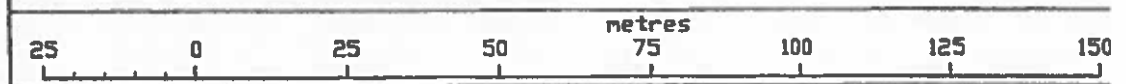
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NAME	MRS VICTORIA PARKINSON		
ADDRESS	3 LONSDALE COURT, HIGH WESTWOOD		
POSTCODE	NE17 7RG	TELEPHONE NO	[REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in .RED. (state the colour)		
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		✓
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	"PLAYING FIELD" or "THE FIELD"	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?		
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From MAR 02 to PRESENT	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From MAR 02 to PRESENT	
	Then from to	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?
 YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?
 YES

11. What ~~recognisable facilities~~ are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CENTRE | <input type="checkbox"/> NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

* But these are in neighbouring villages - NOT ON

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?
 No

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?
 THROUGH GATE

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?
 TO JOIN IN ACTIVITIES WITH CHILDREN AND/OR NEIGHBOURS IN VILLAGE WALK THE DOG OR RUN.

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?
 DAILY

16. What activities do/did you take part in?
 FOOTBALL, TENNIS, SUPERVISION OF CHILDREN, KITE FLYING, RUNNING, SKIPPING, BBQs, RUNNING SUMMER VILLAGE PARTIES, PICNICS, TENTS/CAMPING, WALKING

17. Does your immediate family use the land?
 YES

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18. If so, what for? FOOTBALL, TREE CLIMBING, CRICKET, KITE FLYING, FRISBEE, HANDSTANDS + CARTWHEELS, BBQS, BLACKBERRYING, ROUNDERS, BIKE RIDING, SKIPPING, PICKNICS

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?
SUMMER BBQ/FETES, CRICKET, FIREWORKS NEW YR + BONFIRE NIGHT

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.
SEE ABOVE - AS LONG AS I HAVE LIVED IN THE VILLAGE AT LEAST - 8 YEARS

20. Do you participate in any of them?
YES, ALL OF THEM

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.
NO JUST THE LOCAL COMMUNITY.

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?
SUMMER BBQ, BONFIRE NIGHT + SLEDGING

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FISHING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TEAM GAMES | <input type="checkbox"/> PEOPLE WALKING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PICKING BLACKBERRIES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BONFIRE PARTIES |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FETES | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?
COUNCIL

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?
THE COMMUNITY USE IT CURRENTLY

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?
N/A

27. What did he or she say?	
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	WEIVE NEVER NEEDED IT - IT IS COMMUNITY LAND.
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	NO
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	NO.
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/ No SOME OF SUMMER PARTIES / FETE
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/ No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes/No

addresses upon the reverse of this form.

36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for 8 years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.

37. *I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.*

38. *I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.*

Signed ..



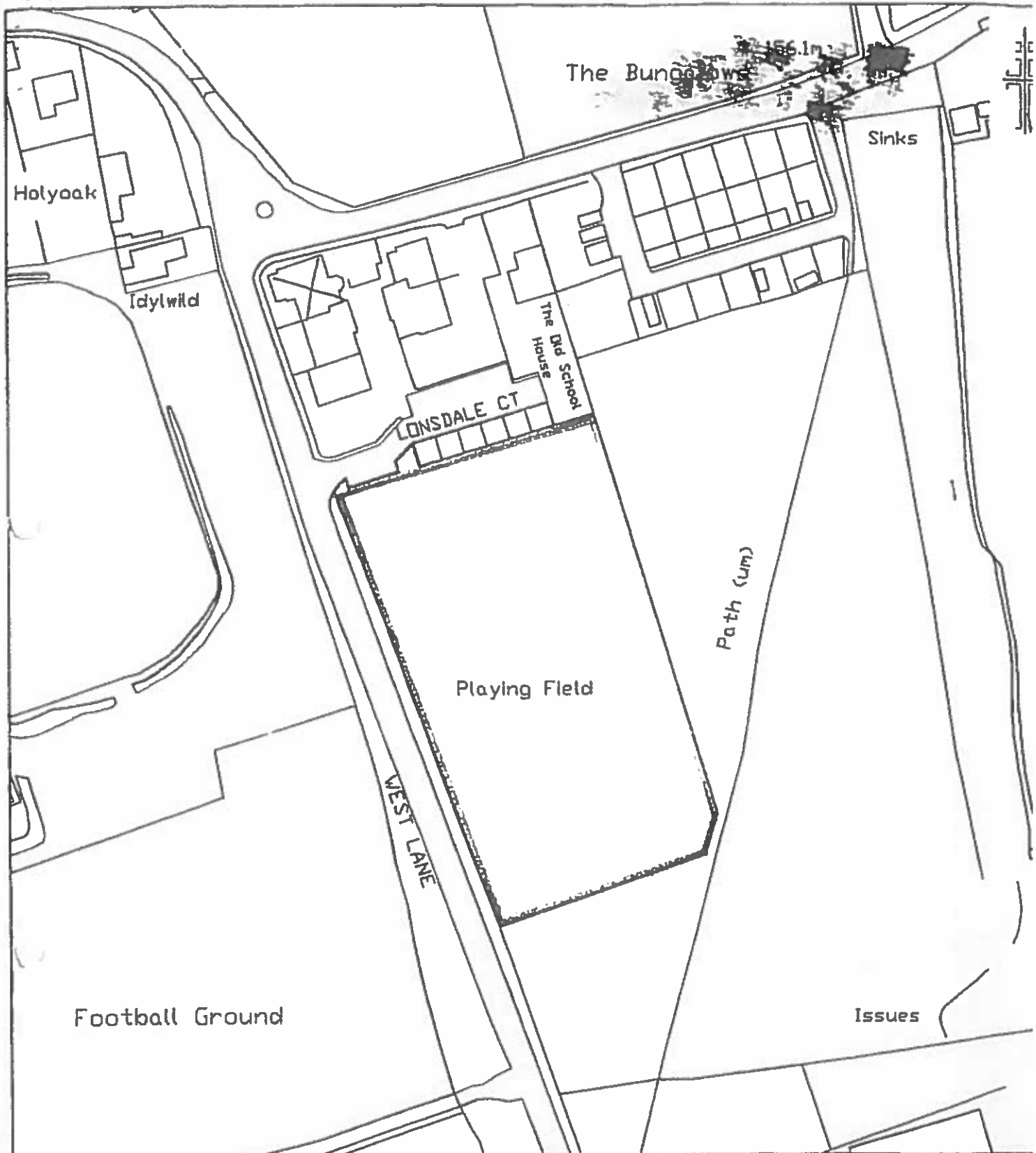
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NAME	LISA & MARK BUXTON	
ADDRESS	5 LANSDALE COURT, HIGH WESTWOOD	
POSTCODE	NE17 7BA	TELEPHONE NO. [REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	as above
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	as above
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes / <input type="radio"/> No
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in <u>Red</u> (state the colour)	YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	The Playing field or "the field"
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	School field
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From <u>2003</u> to <u>current date</u>
8. Between which years did you use it?	From <u>2003</u> to <u>Current date</u> Then from to

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?
 Yes

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?
 Yes

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CENTRE | <input type="checkbox"/> NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?
 No

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?
 Gate

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?
 For community activities re children meeting together to play, Annual festivities events, Recreation

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?
 Every day

16. What activities do/did you take part in?
 Football, Cricket, climbing trees, blackberry picking, walking, games, running, sledging, parties, fireworks, picnics

17. Does your immediate family use the land?
 Yes

18. If so, what for?
 Same as 16

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?
 New Years fireworks, Summer BBQ's, Bonfire night fireworks, sledging

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.
 as above, every year certainly since we moved here and we believe before then as well.

20. Do you participate in any of them?
 Yes, all of them

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.
 No

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?
 Bonfire night & New Year fireworks, blackberry picking.

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FISHING | <input type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DRAWING AND PAINTING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PICNICKING |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PICKING BLACKBERRIES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BONFIRE PARTIES |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FETES | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?
 The land was a gift by the coal board to the school. Therefore it either belongs to the school or

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?
 No one occupies the land, but the local residents use it for community use.

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?
 I believe the only person from Durham Council to see us on it would be the grass cutter.

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 County
 Council

27. What did he or she say? nothing	
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land? No	
28a. If so, from whom and when. N/A	
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land? No	
29a. If yes, when and the reason. N/A	
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land? No	
30a. If yes, when and the reason. N/A	
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants? No	
31a. If yes, give examples and dates. N/A	
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No

addresses upon the reverse of this form.	
36.	I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for ... <u>7</u> ... years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.
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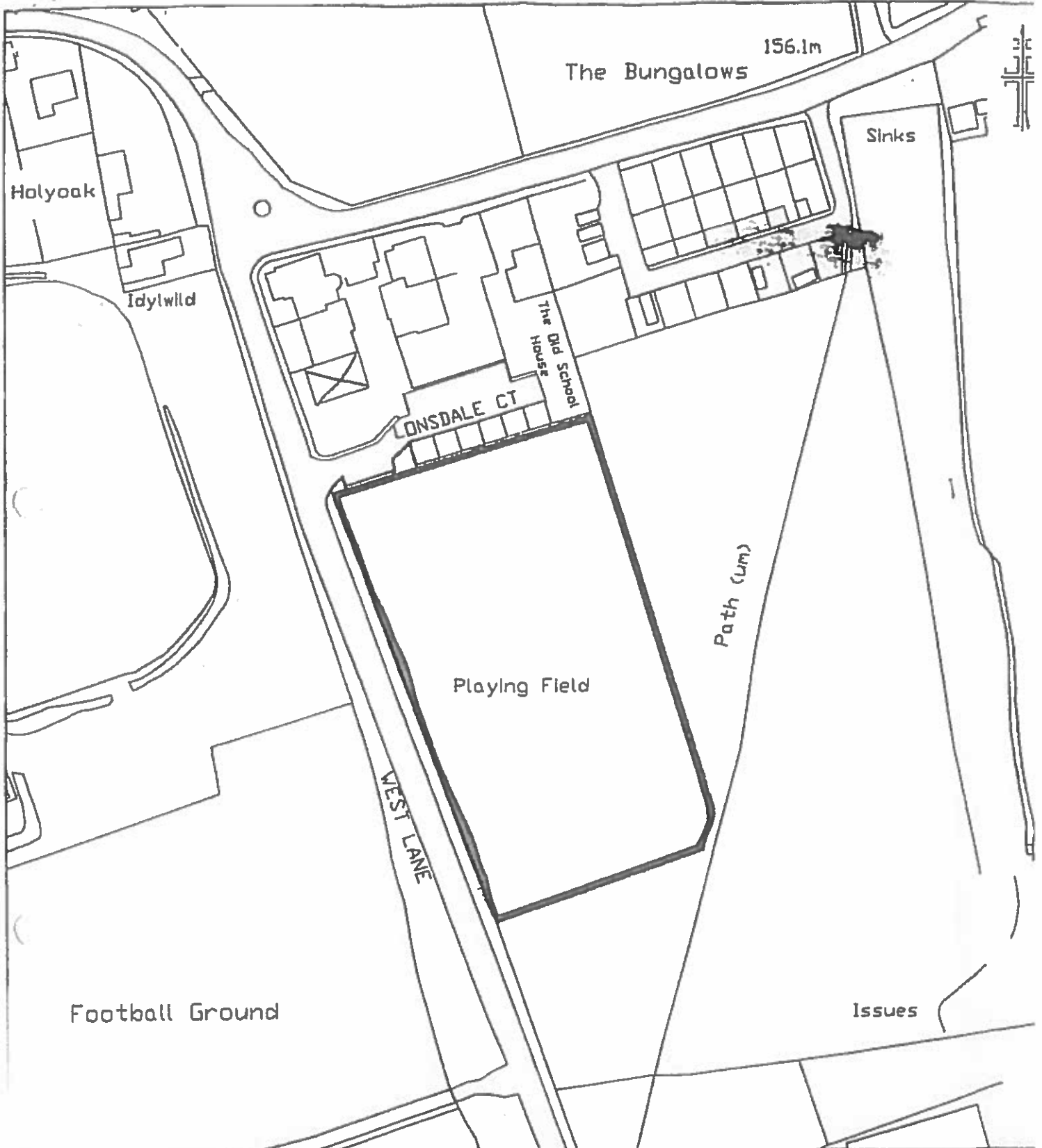
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NAME	LYNNE + DEREK HERON	
ADDRESS	3 THE BUNGLOWS, HIGH WESTWOOD	
POSTCODE	NE17 7QY.	TELEPHONE NO [REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes/ <input type="radio"/> No
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged inRed..... (state the colour)	Agree
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	Village green .
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	No .
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 2002 to date .
8. Between which years did you use it?	From 2002 to date . Then from to

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?
YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?
YES

11. What ~~recognisable facilities~~ are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?
No

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?
by the gate.

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?
for recreation purposes.

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?
fortnightly / monthly.

16. What activities do/did you take part in?
*sports and games with family children
 dog walking and training.
 Summer picnics & parties.*

17. Does your immediate family use the land?
yes

18. If so, what for?
As previously stated - children's games; rounders, football etc. Picnics + parties

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?
Summer parties.

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.
Summer parties + get together - have taken place as long as I have lived here

20. Do you participate in any of them?
Yes

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?
As above - summer games, sports + parties.

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?
Derwent-side council.

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?
The village?

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?
N/A.

27. What did he or she say?	N/A .
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	N/A .
28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A .
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	Derwent side council .
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	it has always been known as the village green .
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	No .
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A .
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	No .
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	No .
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
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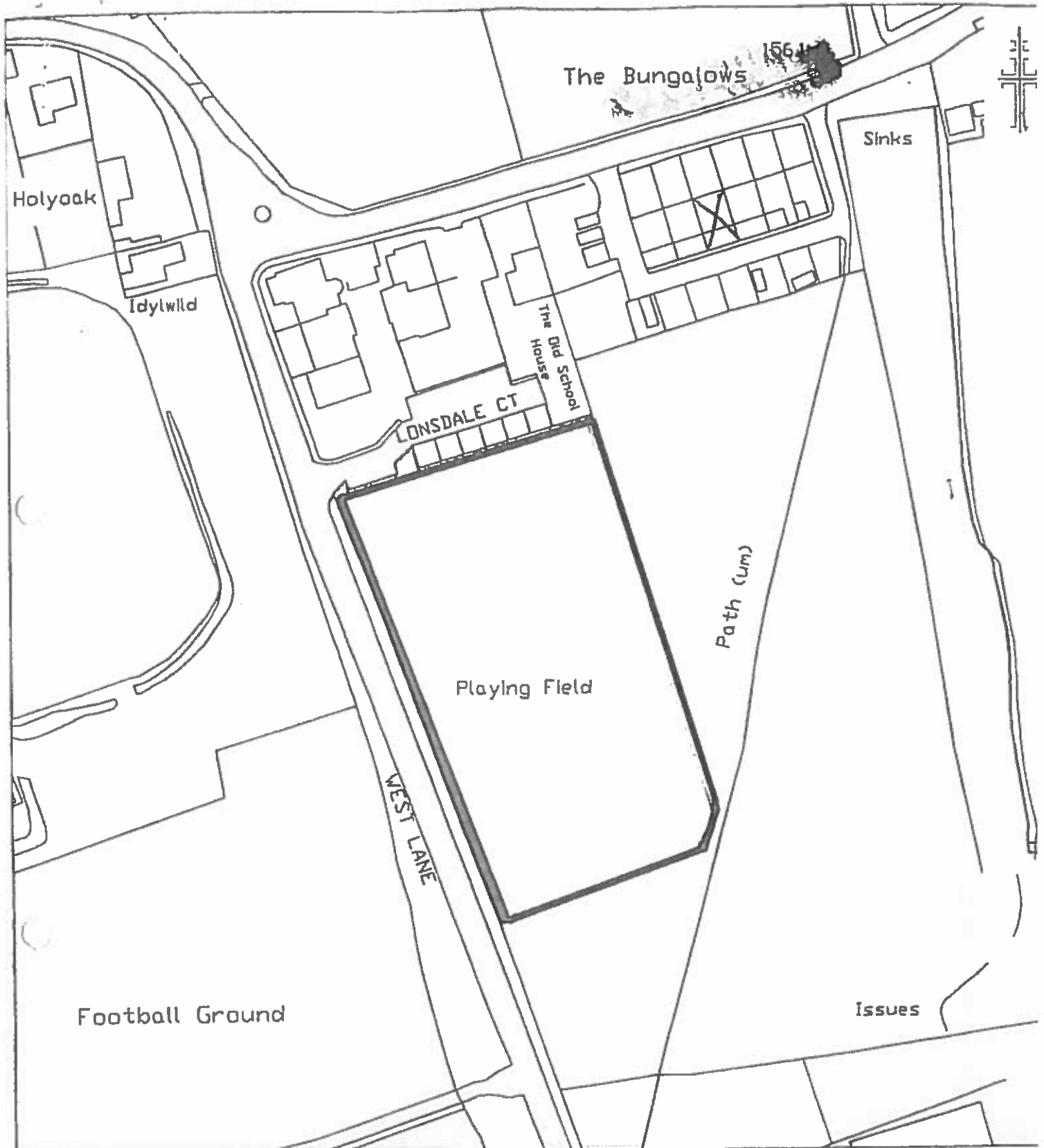
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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS
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NAME	Alan & Sandra Charlton		
ADDRESS	1 Leasdale Court, High Westwood Newcastle		
POSTCODE	NE 17 7RG	TELEPHONE NO	[REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	As Above
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	As Above
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ... <u>Red</u> (state the colour)	
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	School Playing Field
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	No.
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 1/5/02 to present day
8. Between which years did you use it?	From 1/5/02 to present day Then from to

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?
Yes.

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?
Yes.

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?
No

13. How do/did you gain access to the land? There is a double metal gate giving access to land from West Lane. Mainly use a gate that gives access to field from Lonsdale Court.

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land? It is adjacent to where we live & it is not the only open space now available in the village for recreational purposes.

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?
On a daily basis

16. What activities do/did you take part in? Walking, exercise, walking the dog, relaxing, football, camping out, BBQ's, village parties

17. Does your immediate family use the land? Yes. When family come to visit

18. If so, what for? *playing outdoor sports, walking the dog*

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?
Yes.

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place. *Since living here there have been annual village parties on the field*

20. Do you participate in any of them?
Yes

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.
No.

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land? *Fireworks at xmas, Summer BBQ's, Bonfire Night*

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FISHING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DRAWING AND PAINTING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PICNICKING |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> TEAM GAMES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PEOPLE WALKING |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FETES | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land? *Yes I believe the local council*

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land? *Nobody at present*

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land? *I'm not sure but the grass is cut regularly by the council & the workmen may have seen me.*

27. What did he or she say?	<i>Nothing</i>
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	<i>No.</i>
28a. If so, from whom and when.	
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	<i>No.</i>
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	<i>No.</i>
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	<i>-</i>
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	<i>No.</i>
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	<i>-</i>
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes/No

addresses upon the reverse of this form.

36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for ...⁸... years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.

37. *I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.*

38. *I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.*

Signed



Date 2/25/12

A K Chandra

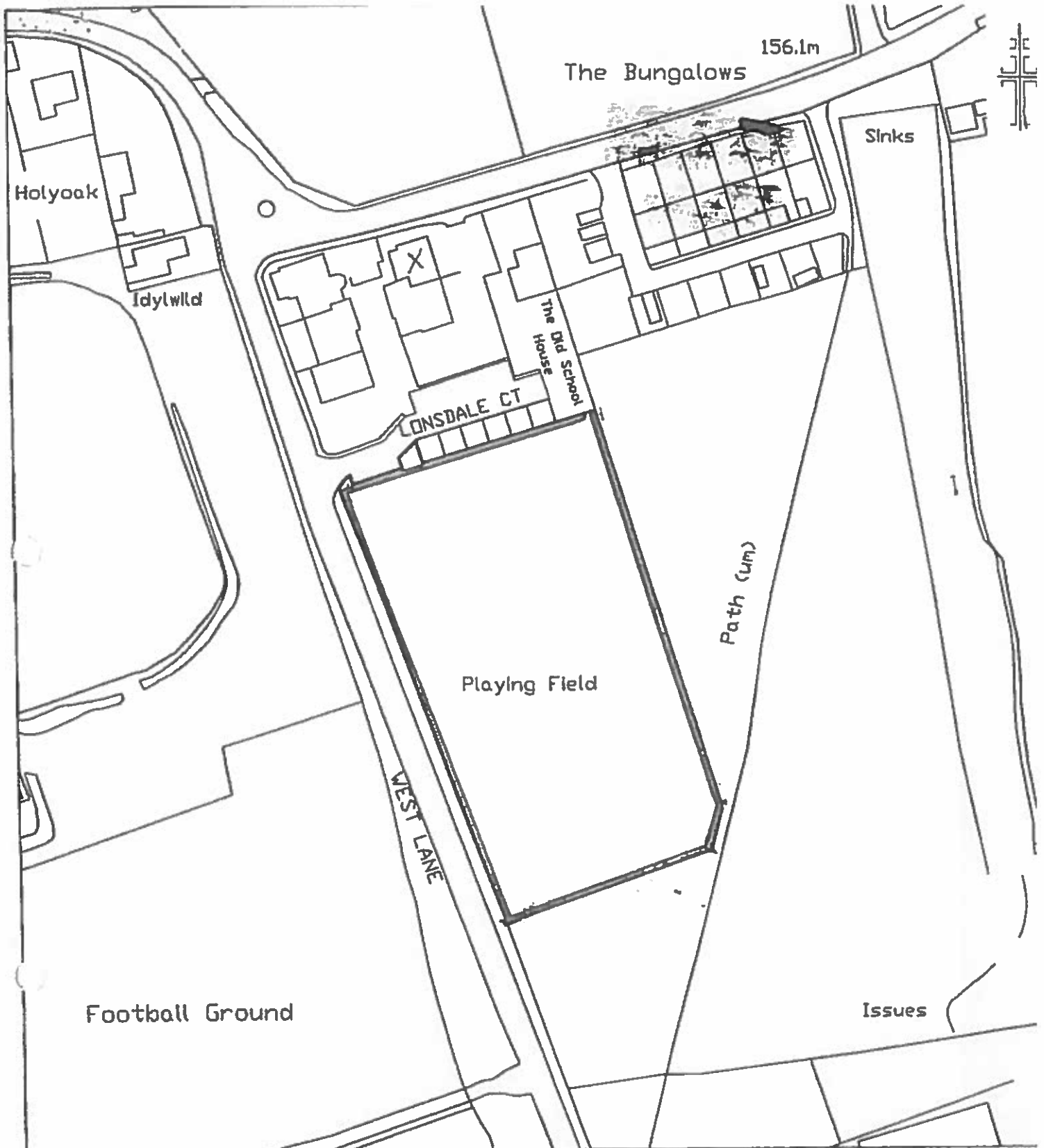
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 - (b) they continue to do so at the time of application.
- (3) This subsection applies where –
 - (a) a significant number of the inhabitants of any locality, or of any neighbourhood within a locality, indulged as of right in lawful sports and pastimes on the land for a period of at least 20 years;
 - (b) they ceased to do so before the time of the application but after the commencement of this section; and
 - (c) the application is made within the period of two years beginning with the cessation referred to in paragraph (b).
- (4) This subsection applies (subject to subsection (5), where –
 - (a) a significant number of the inhabitants of any locality, or of any neighbourhood within a locality, indulged as of right in lawful sports and pastimes on the land for a period of at least 20 years;
 - (b) they ceased to do so before the commencement of this section; and
 - (c) the application is made within the period of five years beginning with the cessation referred to in paragraph (b).



WESTWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Scale : 1/1250



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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	PAUL + KATIE SKINNER	
ADDRESS	4 CONSDALE COURT HIGH WESTWOOD	
POSTCODE	NE17 7RG	TELEPHONE NO: [REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	as above
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	as above
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/No <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ..Red..... (state the colour)	Yes
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	SCHOOL FIELD
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 2002 to 2010..
8. Between which years did you use it?	From 2002 to 2010... Then from to

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?
Yes

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?
Yes

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?
NO

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?
TWO WAYS - FROM PATHWAY FROM OUR PROPERTY AND PUBLIC PATHWAY THROUGH GATE

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?
The children of High Westwood play on this remaining piece of field on a daily basis

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?
Every day

16. What activities do/did you take part in?
Football, rounders, picnics, birthday parties, winter sports, summer fairs, fireworks

17. Does your immediate family use the land?
Yes

18. If so, what for?
As question 16

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?
Fetes, BBQ's, Fireworks, dog walking

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.
Summer Fete } annually since 2002
BBQ Fireworks }

20. Do you participate in any of them?
Yes

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.
NO

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FETES | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)
Birthday Parties | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?
NO

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?
NO

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?
NO

27. What did he or she say?	✓
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	—
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	when we bought the property the land was for "community use"
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	✓
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	NO
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	✓
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	NO
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	—
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and	Yes/No

addresses upon the reverse of this form.

36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for ...~~8~~... years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.

37. *I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.*

38. *I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.*

Signed ..



Date ..

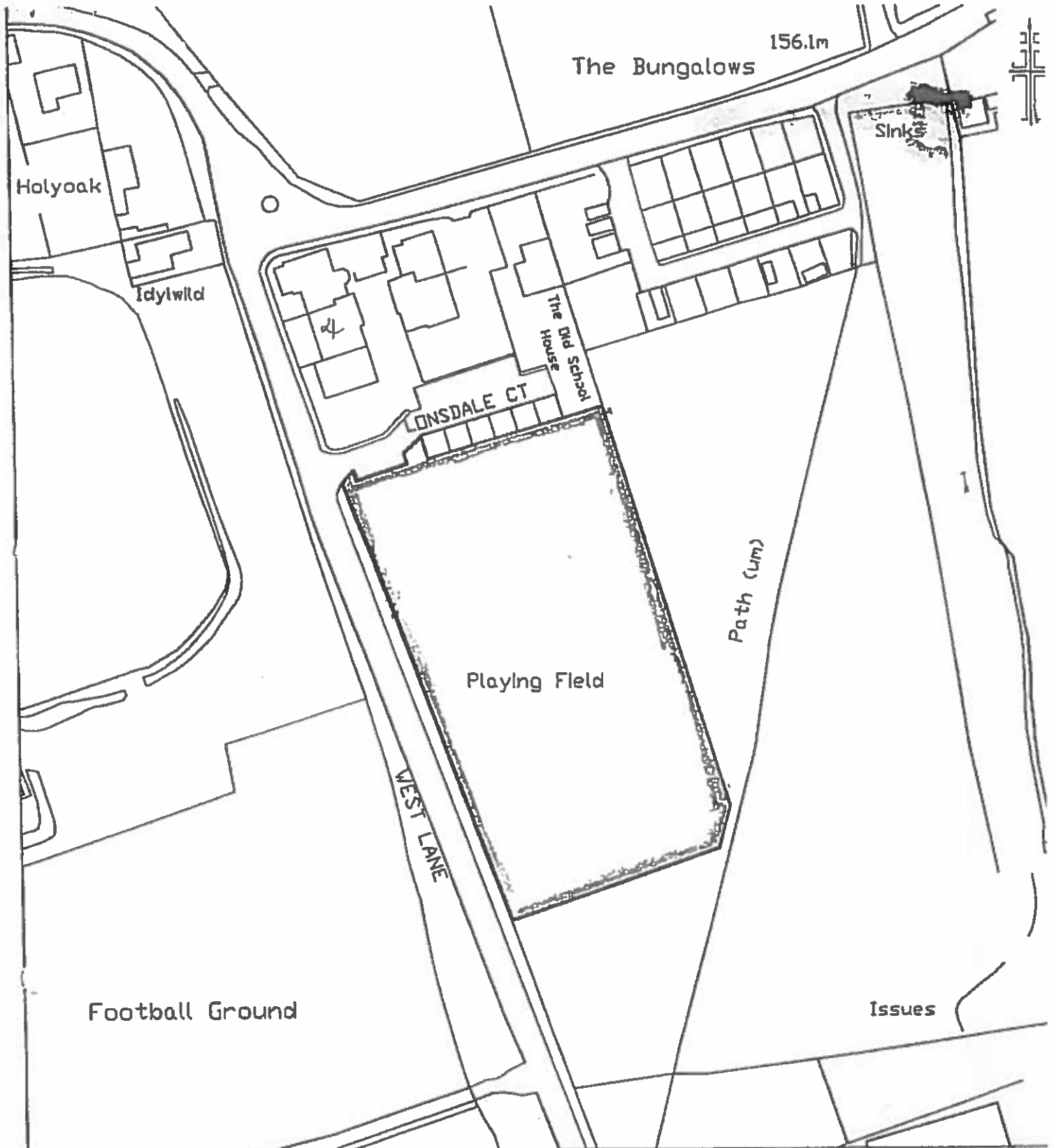
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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	ALISON WINDOWS / JOHN WINDOWS / HEDLEY WINDOWS		
ADDRESS	2 LANSDALE COURT NE17 7RG		
POSTCODE	NE17 7RG	TELEPHONE NO	[REDACTED]

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	As above
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	As above
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/No <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ..red..... (state the colour)	✓ Yes
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 2005... to ...DATE...
8. Between which years did you use it?	As above From 2005... to ...DATE... Then from to

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?	Yes
10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?	Yes
11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.	

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?	No
13. How do/did you gain access to the land?	Gate
14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?	To play
15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?	Daily
16. What activities do/did you take part in?	Take part in football, games, sledging etc.
17. Does your immediate family use the land?	All

18. If so, what for? <i>As above</i>
19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land? <i>Summer parties / fireworks @ New Year @ SNA</i>
19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place. <i>To my knowledge certainly since we have lived here</i>
20. Do you participate in any of them? <i>Yes</i>
21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.
22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land? <i>As above (19)</i>
23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CRICKET |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) | |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land? <i>Council</i>
25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land? <i>N/A</i>
26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land? <i>The glass cutter</i>

27. What did he or she say?	N/A
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	No
28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	N/A No
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	No
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	No
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	N/A
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
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addresses upon the reverse of this form.	
36.	I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for <u>4.5</u> years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.
37.	<i>I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.</i>
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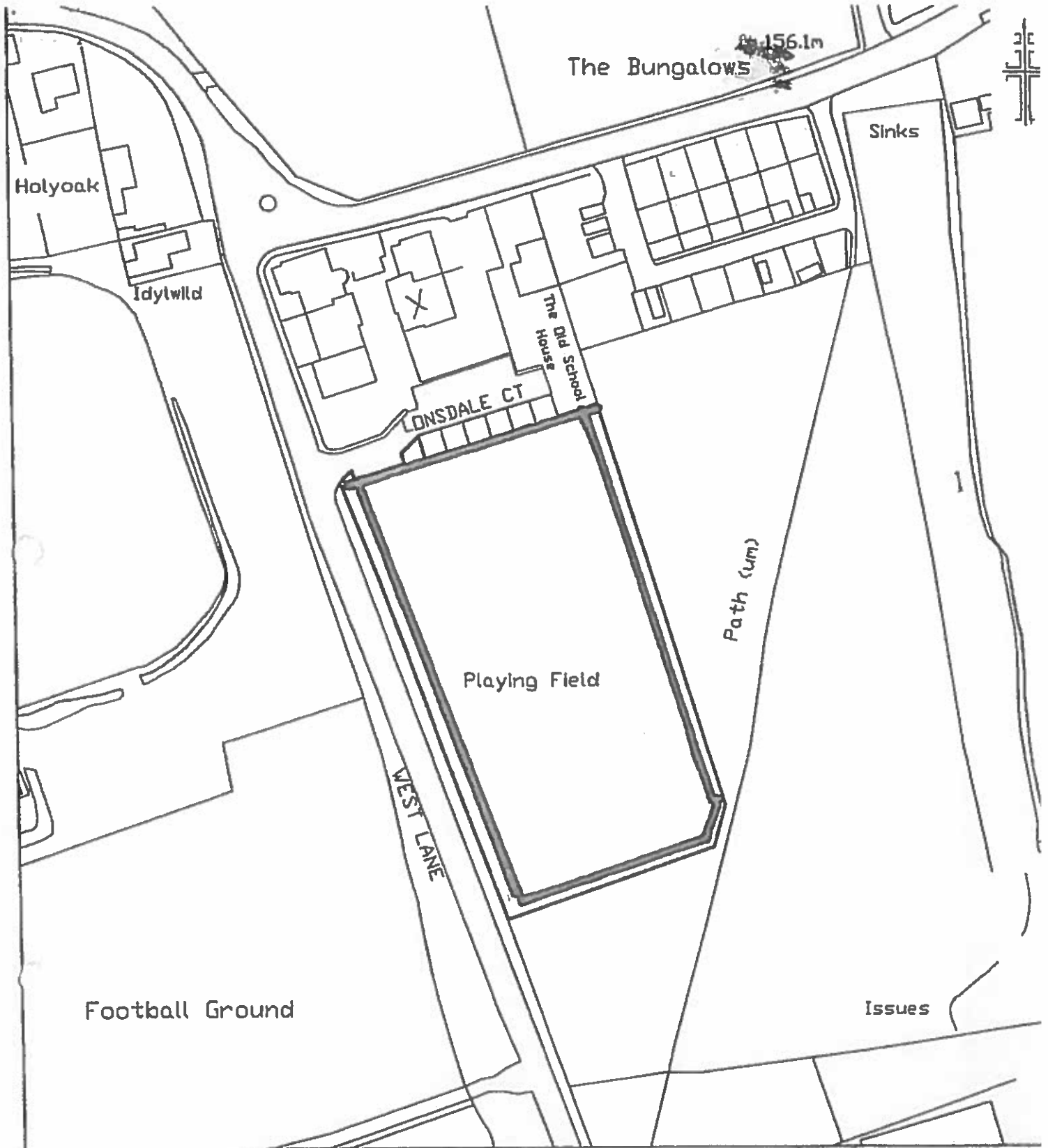
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HIGH WESTWOOD SCHOOL PLAYING FIELD

REGISTRATION OF VILLAGE GREEN.

DEAR SIR,

THIS FIELD HAS BEEN IN ALMOST CONSTANT USE AS BOTH A SCHOOL PLAYING FIELD AND AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES, MOST CHILDREN'S GAMES SUCH AS BASKET BALL, TENNIS, FOOTBALL, RUGBY-FOOTBALL ETC WERE PLAYED.

I HAVE LIVED IN THIS VILLAGE SINCE 1965, MY CHILDREN WENT TO SCHOOL HERE AND HAVE PLAYED ON THIS FIELD ON SUMMER EVENINGS AND WEEK-ENDS, THEY HAVE ALSO SLEEPS, PLAYED SNOWBALLS AND BUILT SNOWMEN IN WINTER TOGETHER WITH OTHER VILLAGE CHILDREN. NO ONE HAS EVER STOPPED ANY OF THESE ACTIVITIES THIS WINTER FROM 1970 ONWARDS. FOR OUR CHILDREN AND OTHER CHILDREN OF THE VILLAGE OF THE TIME.

AS THIS WAS THE ONLY LOCAL COUNCIL OWN SCHOOL IN THE AREA, HIGH WESTWOOD SCHOOL ALSO SERVED OUR NEIGHBOURING VILLAGES OF LOW WESTWOOD, HANSTEADLY COLLEGEY, ECHOSTON, ALLENDALE CUTTING, THE DEN AND SOME FROM REDEEMLY. THIS FIELD WAS THE ONLY LOCAL PLAYING FIELD IN THIS AREA, (AND STILL IS), WHERE CHILDREN FROM THESE COMMUNITIES ~~AND~~ CAN MEET UP AND PLAY TOGETHER. THESE ACTIVITIES, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE WENT ON LONG BEFORE WE CAME HERE.

IN THE 1920s MEYONSLEY HAD SEVERAL ANNUAL FETTES ON THIS FIELD AND SCHOOL ANNUAL FETTES, SPORTS DAYS AND OTHER ORGANISED GAMES, OFTEN ON SATURDAY MORNING WHICH WE ATTENDED.

THIS FIELD IS THE ONLY FIELD AVAILABLE FOR CHILDREN TO PLAY ON IN THIS AREA WHICH COVERS FROM HIGH WESTWOOD TO MEYONSLEY IN THE SOUTH AND LOW WESTWOOD IN THE NORTH.

I WOULD CONSIDER THIS AS A VILLAGE GREEN. IT IS POSSIBLE IT HAS BEEN A RECREATION AREA SINCE THE SCHOOL WAS OPENED IN 1879

5. THIS VILLAGE WAS A VIBRANT VILLAGE COMMUNITY WHEN WE FIRST CAME HERE, IT WAS MADE UP OF 3 ROWS OF HOUSES SIMILAR TO THOSE IN EXISTANCE IN LOW WESTWOOD AND OF COURSE THE EXISTING HOUSES THAT MAKE UP THE VILLAGE NOW. THERE WAS THE FOOTBALL FIELD, (JUST SOLD TO THE FARMER), BOWLS GREEN, TENNIS COURTS AND THE CRICKET FIELD WITH A CORNER WITH CHILDREN'S SWINGS AND ROUNDABOUTS. ALL HAVE GONE WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE CRICKET FIELD WHICH IS STILL IN VERY REGULAR USE. THE ONLY PLACE FOR CHILDREN TO PLAY NOW IS THIS PLAYING FIELD

WITH THE SCHOOL BUILDING NOW CONVERTED INTO HOUSES, THIS HAS RE-INVOICED THE VILLAGE WITH NEW AND YOUNG FAMILIES AND THEIR FAMILIES. THE MAIN DRAWBACK WITH THIS KIND OF CONVERSION IS THERE IS VERY LITTLE SPACE FOR SPORTS IF ANY AT ALL, SO PLAY AREAS ARE JUST NON-EXISTANT. THIS WILL INEVITABLY CAUSE THESE YOUNG FAMILIES TO MOVE OUT, THIS WOULD RESTRICT THE MARKET TO LOCAL PEOPLE AND THE VALUE OF THEIR PROPERTY WOULD DROP. THE ATTRACTION OF THESE HOUSES AND OTHER ACCOMMODATION IN THE VILLAGE WOULD ALSO SUFFER.

THE VILLAGE COMMUNITY RECENTLY GOT ROBBED AND WITH A SMALL GRANT FROM THE COUNCIL AND THE AID OF OUR FRIENDLY FARMER, RE-FENCED THE FENCE AND THE NO. TO PREVENT THE YOUNG CHILDREN PLAYING IN THE FIELD, RUNNING OUT ONTO THE ROAD, WAS THIS EXPENSE ANY GOOD WILL OF THE FARMER WASTED AND SOMEONE ELSE OUTSIDE THE VILLAGE WOULD BENEFIT BY IT?

Yours sincerely

[Redacted signature]

Jill Errington

From: Jill Errington
Sent: 08 April 2010 12:15
To: Alan Shield
Subject: RE: Village Green Status
Attachments: form 44 .pdf, evidence form .pdf, guidance notes .pdf

Hello Councillor Shield

In accordance with Section 15 of the Commons Act 2006 anyone can apply to have land registered as a village green if it has been used

- by a significant number of inhabitants of any locality (or neighbourhood within a locality);
- and they have indulged as of right (ie without permission, force or secrecy) in lawful sports and pastimes on the land for a period of at least 20 years

To make application form 44 must be completed (copy attached) which must be completed and signed by every applicant or authorised Officer and supported by any relevant documentation/evidence such as witness statements and photographs. An evidence questionnaire should also be completed to assist with this and a copy is attached to this e-mail

Once we receive the application we will check it for errors and allow the applicant an opportunity to amend the form

A formal notice is then sent to the owner, lessee, tenant or occupier and Parish Council (if any), together with a Notice in the local newspaper and on site - a period of 6 weeks is then allowed for any objections to the application

If objections are received a copy of these is sent to the applicant allowing 3 weeks to respond

The relevant officer of the registration authority would need to decide then whether a Public Inquiry was necessary or if it could be dealt with by Committee

I also attach a copy of guidance issued by DEFRA.

Thanks
Jill

Jill Errington
Senior Committee Services Officer
Tel: 01383 824362

From: Alan Shield
Sent: 08 April 2010 10:46
To: Jill Errington
Cc: Watts Stelling
Subject: Village Green Status

Jill :
Cllr Watts Stelling & I have been asked by residents of High Westwood (small hamlet in North Derwentside) how they can apply for 'village green status' for the former school playing fields.

This land (approx 0.64 hectares) is now surplus to DCC requirements & is subject to sealed bids from prospective purchasers - final date of submission 26.04.2010.

Can you please advise :

What is the procedure for any application, & what information is req'd?

Any pitfalls the residents need to be aware of ?

Anticipated time to complete the application?

Any other relevant information

We have been asked to visit the residents tonight so any help you can provide would be much appreciated.

Best Regards

Clr Alan Shield
Leadgate & Medomsley Division