Bildeston Parish Council

Transparency Arrangements

Public Land and Buildings

Chamberlin Hall

Description	Open space
Location	Land accessed from Wattisham Road
Owner/Custodian	Custodian trustees The Chamberlin Hall is managed by a separate Management Committee comprising Management trustees The Bildeston Adventure Playground Committee was granted a lease for the play area on 12 th September, 2001
Date of Acquisition	19 th December, 1994
Cost of Acquisition	Hall cost £350,000 and bowls area £150,000
Present Use	Village hall, car park, bowls green, open space and play area with access road

Coronation Playground

Description	Large grassed area of approximately 1 acre with
	boundaries that include fencing, hedgerows and trees
Location	Land accessed from Wattisham Road
Owner/Custodian	Owner
Date of Acquisition	29 th April, 1955
Cost of Acquisition	No fee – donated to the Parish Council
Present Use	Playing field

Grove Cemetery

Description	Cemetery
Location	Land south of St Mary Magdalene's Church, Church Lane, Bildeston comprising consecrated and unconsecrated ground
Owner/Custodian	Owner
Date of Acquisition	1993
Cost of Acquisition	Not known
Present Use	Cemetery – established through planning consent on 25 th November, 1993 (formerly agricultural land)

Kings' Pightle

Description	Grassed area and natural habitat
Location	Land to the south-west of the B1115
Owner/Custodian	Custodian Trustee.
	Bildeston Parish Council transferred the land to a
	Management Committee – the Charity trustees - on
	11 th June, 1997.
Date of Acquisition	18th July, 1994
Cost of Acquisition	Not known
Present Use	Nature reserve

Market Place

Description	Surfaced area in the centre of the village
Location	Adjacent to the High Street
Owner/Custodian	Owner
Date of Acquisition	Not known
Cost of Acquisition	Not known
Present Use	Market place trading, clock tower, war memorial and
	residential parking as permitted by the Parish Council

Sportsfield

Description	Large grassed area of approximately 6 acres with boundaries that include fencing, hedgerows and trees
Location	Land accessed from Consent Lane
Owner/Custodian	Custodian Trustee.
	Bildeston Parish Council transferred the land to a
	Management Committee - the Charity trustees on 5 th
	December, 1980.
	The Parish Council acts as Custodian trustee.
Date of Acquisition	26 th October, 1979 (subsequently transferred)
Cost of Acquisition	£10,000
Present Use	Playing field for sports and recreation

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