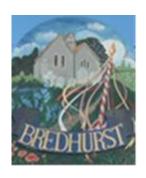
## **BREDHURST PARISH COUNCIL**

## Community Field, Hurstwood Road, Bredhurst

## **Policy for Users**



Adopted: November 2018
Reviewed: September 2020

- 1. Bredhurst Parish Council manages the community field in Hurstwood Road primarily for the use and enjoyment of Bredhurst residents who pay for its upkeep via their Council Tax.
- 2. Only charities, clubs and not for profit organisations either based in or linked to Bredhurst may apply to use the field.
- 3. Businesses and profit making individuals are not permitted to use the field unless as part of an approved event.
- 4. Private events and activities held in the field are not allowed.
- 5. Events and activities which raise funds for Bredhurst will be favourably considered.
- 6. Although no charge will be imposed for Bredhurst community events, Bredhurst Parish Council reserves the right to impose a hire charge if deemed necessary.
- 7. The sale and consumption of alcohol is strictly prohibited on the field unless Bredhurst Parish Council gives prior consent and the necessary licence obtained by the hirer and a copy supplied to the Parish Clerk.
- 8. Amplified speech/music is not allowed without prior permission of Bredhurst Parish Council.
- 9. The letting off of fireworks and releasing of Chinese lanterns or balloons is not permitted.
- 10. Bredhurst Parish Council will take into consideration the effect of proposed events on neighbouring residents and animals in adjoining fields before granting a request.
- 11. All events/activities must be covered by Public Liability insurance and a copy supplied to the Parish Clerk no later than one week before the event.
- 12. Organisations using the field shall leave the field in a clean, tidy and damage free manner. If any remedial work is required, the hirer will be liable for any costs incurred by Bredhurst Parish Council.
- 13. Children must be supervised in the toddlers' play area.
- 14. Smoking is prohibited within the toddlers' play area.
- 15. Dogs are not permitted within the toddlers' play area
- 16. All dog fouling must be bagged and deposited in the bin provided.
- 17. The field must not be used for the disposal of any waste; this includes garden/green waste. Incidents of fly tipping will be reported to Maidstone Borough Council and the PCSO.
- 18. Bredhurst Parish Council will endeavour to have the grass cut prior to an event and will arrange for the vehicle access gates to be unlocked.
- 19. Bredhurst Parish Council reserves the right to refuse entry to the field.
- 20. Bredhurst Parish Council reserves the right to rescind an agreement for use of the field.
- 21. Bredhurst Parish Council reserves the right to refuse a request to use the field.
- 22. Bredhurst Parish Council reserves the right to cancel events due to adverse weather conditions which may cause damage to the field.
- 23. Bredhurst Parish Council reserves the right to close the field to the public without notice.