



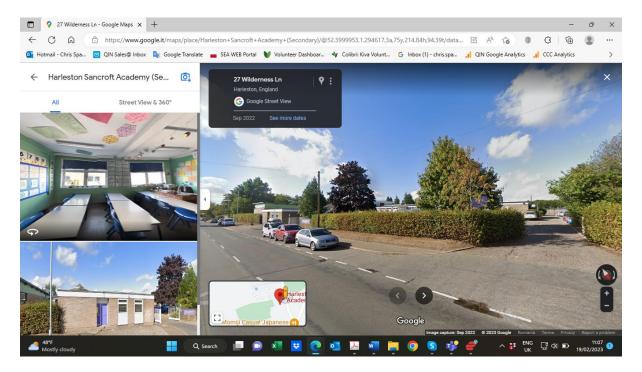
Harleston Youth Football Club Under 5 to Under 14 Visitor Guidance

Harleston Sancroft Academy (formerly Archbishop Sancroft High School)

HSA is a no-smoking, no-dog site. Please respect the wishes of the school.

Location

Wilderness Lane Harleston, IP20 9DD. It is on the opposite side of the road to the Recreation Ground.



Normally both gates to the car park will be open, clearly marked entrance and exit. What you can see in the picture above is the entrance. The exit is 30m or so to the left further down Wilderness Lane.

The school car park will get very full on match days. Please park sensibly / responsibly, whilst not blocking access to the container or access to the field for emergency vehicles.

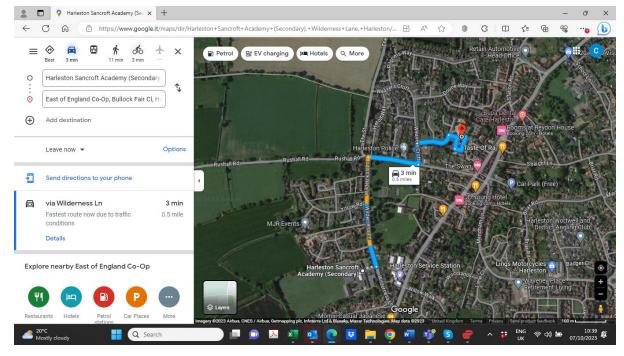
Please do also respect the coned-off area towards the field or the use of Home and Away team officials and Blue Badge holders only: this is to allow easier access to the field for those carrying coaching equipment or with reduced mobility.

Whilst there is parking on the road outside the school, this also gets full and can be dangerous for drivers and pedestrians getting in and out of cars, and the police have recently been patrolling this on Sundays. So, even better, please go onto the Rec car park 100m up the road on the other side, opposite the Titlow Road junction, where there will almost always be available spaces.

Here is the entrance to the Rec car park, pointing towards the school which is 100m down on the right.



If an Under 16 match is going on and the Rec car park is full then further on-street parking is available along Weaver's Croft opposite the library to the side of the Rec, or around the first right and onto the Co-Op car park on Paddock Road IP20 9AT. All are within 5 minutes' walk of the school if you cut across the Rec (ignore the 11 minutes it says underneath for going the long way around!).



Main HYFC Club Officers 2024-2025

Chairman - Mickey Ellis: ellismickey21@gmail.com; Vice Chairman - Matthew Goodswen: matthew.goodswen@hotmail.co.uk Secretary - Katie Devereux: kmound21@googlemail.com; Vice Secretary - Chris Sparrow: chris.sparrow2211@hotmail.co.uk Treasurer - David Stewart: davidarstewart@gmail.com; Welfare Officer - Craig Leeder: carjackjeans@gmail.com

Getting Pitchside

Access to the sportsfield is at the back of the carpark and the right hand side of the school buildings, behind the tennis courts. Walk through the car park and the gates to the right of the tennis courts.

Facilities

Male and female changing room and toilets are available behind the tennis courts, they are the doors on the left as you look back down the field from the tennis courts, just behind where the large grey wheelie bins are parked.

HYFC Young Referees Programme

Recognising a shortage of referees within the game in general and the club in specific, HYFC are offering a programme which funds and supports referees under the age of 21 to take FA-recognised refereeing qualifications, gain confidence and experience via refereeing HYFC matches. If one of these young referees is officiating the game which you are attending, please treat them with the same respect you would want others to treat your young person with if they were officiating.

Photography & Filming

Like most clubs, HYFC have players from backgrounds which mean that from a safeguarding point of view photos and videos of them should not be in general circulation - as this will bring with it a risk of their whereabouts being identified.

In previous seasons we have had objections from certain opposition officials and / or supporters when we have requested that filming from the touchline be stopped.

Can we please ask you to take as the starting point that there should be NO photography or filming of HYFC matches unless this has been checked and cleared with the HYFC manager first.

Zero Tolerance Behaviour Policy

HYFC have adopted FA Respect Guidelines and will have Respect Monitors on the touchlines at all matches.

Incidences of inappropriate behaviour either on or off the pitch will be dealt with appropriately by the Respect Monitor in conjunction with the HYFC team manager either during the match or after the match, and with reference to the relevant league or the FA as necessary.

We as a club recognise that we are far from perfect ourselves, and so we invite those who play against us to hold us to the same standards. Only by working together in this way will we begin to see a reduction in the behaviours of the small minority which spoil kids' football for the well-behaved majority.

But most importantly of all, please enjoy your visit to HYFC, have a good game and a safe journey home.