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We welcome the use of these boards for the advertisement of local events and services.

Please remove any out of date notices and keep this notice board tidy. We will remove any that we consider inappropriate or that are not fully affixed within the notice area.

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Byelaws

Commons: Public Rights and Limitations Parishes of Hartley Wintney and Odiham

Under section 193 of the Law of Property Act 1925 the public have rights of access to the common for air and exercise.

The following acts are offences punishable on summary conviction by a fine of five hundred pounds, unless they are committed by a commoner in exercise of a right of common, or with lawful authority from this council.

1. Drawing or driving any carriage, cart, caravan, truck or other vehicle on the land otherwise than on a public carriageway unless authorised to do so by Hart District Council.
2. Camping on the land.
3. Lighting fires on the land unless authorised to do so by Hart District Council.
4. Failure to observe the following limitations and conditions which have been imposed by order unless authorised to do so by Hart District Council unless they are committed by a commoner in exercise of a right of common:
 - a) *Injuring or removing trees, shrubs, gorse, bracken, heather or plants on or from the land*
 - b) *Removing gravel, sand, soil or turf from the land*
 - c) *Taking or attempting to take fish from any water comprised in the land: Fishing is not permitted.*
 - d) *Discharging firearms or throwing or discharging missiles on the land.*
 - e) *Shooting or wilfully disturbing, chasing or taking game or other birds or animals on the land.*
 - f) *Permitting dogs to chase game or other birds or animals, or otherwise failing to keep dogs under close control on the land.*
 - g) *Removing or attempting to remove birds' eggs or nests from the land.*
 - h) *Setting traps, nets or snares or liming trees for birds or animals on the land.*
 - i) *Permitting horses, cattle, sheep or other animals (not belonging to a commoner and/or authorised by Hart District Council) to graze or stay on the land.*
 - j) *Posting or painting bills, advertisements, placards or notices on the land.*
 - k) *Bathing in any pond or stream comprised in the land.*
 - l) *Injuring notice boards, seats or other structures on the land.*
 - m) *Leaving any bottles, paper, litter, soil or rubbish on the land.*
 - n) *Injuring or disfiguring any ancient monument or earthwork or object of historical, scientific or antiquarian interest on the land.*
 - o) *Breaking in horses by grooms or others on the land.*
 - p) *Holding any show, event, exhibition or fair or placing any swings, roundabouts or other like thing on the land.*
 - q) *Erecting or placing any building, tent, booth, stall, fence, post, railing or other similar structure for any purpose on the land.*