

Press Release

We are delighted to announce the sale of part of the Pfizer estate at Sandwich. The Pfizer Sports and Social Club has been sold to a benign local investor and sports enthusiast, Tony Harrison. Plans are in place to enhance further the magnificent sports and leisure facilities on this 17 acre site. Currently four football pitches, a cricket pitch, a bowls lawn and tennis courts are complemented by a large indoor sports hall, squash courts, fitness centre, games room, al fresco eating area and changing facilities that would not disgrace a five star hotel.

Among the options being discussed are building a swimming pool and a golf academy with an attached short game practice course as well as developing the restaurant and bar areas to enhance the appeal of the club for fitness training, corporate entertainment, weddings and family celebrations.

New owner Tony Harrison said: "We welcome ideas from the local community on how we can best meet the needs of companies, residents and workers".

Chamber Chief Executive David Foley said: "This sale represents a huge vote of confidence in the Sandwich area which will undoubtedly help to attract new investment into the former Pfizer site at the Discovery Park."

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Information

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