

Request:

1. What is the council's set budget for expenditure on sport and leisure facilities for the following two years:

a. 2012 (so the 2011/2012 budget)

2011/12: The annual budget for Recreation & Sport in the borough was £5.277 million

b. 2020 (so the 2019/2020 budget)

2019/20: The annual budget for Recreation & Sport in the borough is £2.473 million.

2. I would also like to know how many of the following facilities were owned/operated by the council for the above two years (so January 2012 and January 2020) please:

- **Public swimming pools. Also, how many of these pools are Olympic-sized? (2012 and 2020)**

We had 4 public swimming pools in 2012 and 2020. None of these were or are Olympic sized.

- **Public athletics tracks (2012 and 2020)**

We have 1 athletics track.

- **Public cycling tracks/velodromes (2012 and 2020)**

We have no Cycling tracks or Velodromes.

- **Public playing fields / football rugby pitches does the council own/operate (2012 and 2020). This does not need to be broken down by size etc.**

In 2012 we owned/operated 33 pitches (including football, rugby, natural turf and artificial turf)

In 2020 we own/operate 39 pitches (including football, rugby, natural turf and artificial turf)

Some pitches are leased to clubs but the ownership remains with the local authority.