

Community buildings/ sports fields, parks etc in Wooler Parish. February 2018.

Wooler youth hostel and Shepherds Huts 30 Cheviot St, Wooler NE71 6LW.

Accommodation provider for tourists. 2-300 uses per annum. Owned by Glendale Gateway Trust. No local community activities held on these premises. Currently looking for a person to lease the building and run the business.

Cheviot Centre , Padgepool Place, Wooler, Northumberland NE71 6BL. Owned by Glendale Gateway Trust. Indoor and Outdoor spaces for Community , Education and Social uses. Main hall, secondary hall, toilets, disabled toilets, kitchen, office, disabled access, garden. Hub of activities for U3A and other local groups, provides meeting rooms for a wide range of uses. It has approximately 2.500 – 3000 users per year Accommodates the local library, tourist information office, local agricultural society and a local business supports activities for Voluntary Service group for elders. Situated close to a town car park. Open 7 days/week including evenings. Catchment area is Wooler and beyond. Mostly local but also has visitors from elsewhere. Funded by fees and charges , donations and grants.

Wooler Tennis Club. Weetwood Ave, Wooler NE71 6AG

Sport and recreation facility for tennis club members only (15 members).Catchment area Wooler and beyond. Open 7 days a week including evenings. Owned by Wooler Tennis Club. Clubhouse for members use(approx 15 sq metres), main hall, toilets kitchen. Car parking nearby. Funded by fees ,charges and fundraising.

Wooler Drop In 53. High Street **Wooler** Northumberland. NE71 6BH. Building owned by Glendale Gateway Trust and leased to the Drop In . Approx 80 sq metres floor space .Current lease is for 3 years.Indoor space comprises of a meeting room, a toilet and a kitchen spread over two floors. It is used mainly for leisure and social purposes by local young people, supervised by youth workers. The Drop In engages with the wider community via coffee mornings, charity shops, a first school shop, a Christian Aid Shop all taking place on the premises. It also is involved in wider community activities via participation in The Duke Of Edinburgh Award Scheme.There are education elements to some sessions.Sessions take place weekly on a number of evenings with 80 attendances per week. There is on street car parking. Funded by grant aid and fundraising activities. Open Mon, Wed and Thurs evenings.

Wooler Evangelical Church. Cheviot St, Wooler NE71 6LN. Freehold building owned by the church. Indoor and outdoor space . Indoor space, approx 280 sq metres, comprises of Main hall, secondary hall, toilets , disabled toilets, kitchen. There is parking adjacent to the building. Used by about 80 people a week, mostly from Wooler people and people from surrounding areas. Age Uk also use the premises. Maintained by donations.

Wooler URC and Glendale Hall. 20 Cheviot St, Wooler NE71 6LW. The Buildings are freehold and are owned by URC Northern Synod. The uses are community, health, sport and recreation, social and worship. The buildings are open 7 days per week incl. evenings. They have approximately 150 users per week.. There is a church building with gallery and a room to the rear. There is a private car park with spaces for a good number of cars. There is one main hall with a stage, toilets and a kitchen with a small parking space. The buildings are used by local people from Wooler and beyond. Running and maintenance costs are raised by fees and charges, fundraising and donations. Grade 2 listed.

St Mary's Church is in the centre of town. 7 Church St, Wooler NE71 6BZ. It was built in 1765 and is Grade 2 listed. It comprises of a graveyard, church, a church room, toilets, kitchen and has disabled access. It has a number of community users, approximately 100 per week, made up of congregation, an exercise class, a playgroup and a knitting group. The facility is available for use 7 days per week. The cost of running and maintaining facilities is met by fees and charges, fundraising, donations, grants, and funding. The catchment area is Wooler and beyond. It does not have parking places.

St Ninians Churchis in Wooler. 19 Burnhouse Rd, Wooler NE71 6EQ It is a Roman Catholic place of worship situated on Burnhouse Road in the town of Wooler in Northumberland, owned by the diocese of Hexham and Newcastle . It has a disabled toilet, toilet, kitchen and main church space.It has approximately 40 users per week from Wooler and beyond with some increase in summer by visitors to the area.Parking is on the roadside near the church. Grade2 listed building.

Wooler First and Glendale Middle School. 5 Brewery Rd, Wooler NE71 6QF The buildings and land are freehold and owned by Northumberland County Council. It has indoor and outdoor spaces, extensive sports field and play areas, a main hall, classrooms, stage, toilets , kitchen, changing rooms, gym, playing fields, small swimming pool and car parking for 20 cars on site,15 cycle spaces. An external building houses a Pre School facility. The school is involved with local indoor bowls club, adult education classes, some social functions and local Pantomime Group with 200 + community users. The school is mainly used by 300 local children during term time, from Wooler and surrounding areas.It is open weekdays, evenings and weekends. It is funded by NCC, fees and charges, fundraising, donations and grants.

There is a **Health Centre** in Wooler Town Centre which provides for the local community and beyond. There are the usual range of services, including two separate doctors surgeries, some physio provision etc however it must be noted that Wooler does not have a local Dentist. Optical health is provided for via a limited service from a visiting optician and this facility is located in a room in a wool shop on the High Street in Wooler.. There aren't any local hospitals. The nearest accident and emergency hospital is at Cramlington in Northumberland. 42.4 miles away.

There are 4 public houses in the centre of Wooler

The Anchor , 2 Cheviot St, NE716NL

The Angel, 4 High St, NE716BY Grade 2 listed

The Black Bull Hotel, 2 High St NE716BY Grade 2 listed

No 1. Hotel 1High St NE71 6LD Grade 2 listed

The Anchor, The Angel and No 1 are all owned and managed by private individuals who live on the premises.

The Black Bull building is owned by a private individual and the business is owned and managed by another person who lives on the premises. It has letting bedrooms.

The Black Bull, The Angel and The Anchor host a wide range of community events, social evenings, private parties, providing spaces for local clubs and groups to hold meetings, to practice music etc. They are well used, with open mic nights proving popular, darts matches, domino events, lunch clubs, funeral wakes, christening parties, birthdays and anniversaries and Christmas parties all being attended by local people and visitors alike. They all serve food.

No 1 Hotel is currently re establishing itself after a change of owner. It serves food and is used by local people and visitors from further afield. It has letting bedrooms.

The Tankerville Arms, 20-22 Cottage Rd, Wooler NE71 6AD, is situated on the main A697 in Wooler parish. It has 17 bedrooms, two dining areas, a bar and an outside beer garden. It is used by locals and tourists. It puts on seasonal events and has space for weddings, christenings and other parties and events. It is currently extending its tourism offering by converting redundant out buildings into self catering accommodation. Grade 2 listed.

Wooler also has a **Fire Station** on South Road which currently accommodates a community deep bed gardening project and also is the venue for the local Sure Start project. The fire station is staffed by retained fire fighters and is owned and managed by NCC and Northumberland Fire and Rescue Service.

Wooler Football Club. Brewery Road **Wooler** NE71 6QG this club is situated on NCC land and consists of changing rooms etc and football field. The changing areas are situated in Porta cabin and sheds. Used by very many adults and local children and also children from across Northumberland and beyond. WFC is voluntary run to promote playing of football for girls and boys from the local area. Junior coaches lead the sessions for young people who meet on Monday evenings during school terms on the WFC mens pitch. It is community led and self funded.

Wooler Bowling Club The Green, 2-4 Weetwood Road, Wooler.
NE71 6AE Approx 90 people attend. The club is open 7 days per week. The facility is both indoors and outdoors. The catchment area is Wooler and beyond and the club host matches for clubs from further afield. The clubhouse and green is situated on the edge of Scotts Park. The land and building (65 square metres) is freehold and owned by the club itself. The clubhouse has a kitchen with storage space, toilets and a large hall. Community uses have included cubs and scouts venue and Panto rehearsals etc. There are 15 parking spaces. The club is maintained by fees and charges, fundraising and donations.

Wooler Cricket Club

Volunteer run on land owned by Mr Redpath. The land is leased via a private rental agreement.

The ground and pavilion are located on Brewery Rd, Wooler. It has over 1000 uses per season. It is privately funded. It hasn't got mains electricity but has a generator and a water supply. The pavillion is owned by the Cricket Club and consists of 2 changing rooms, two toilets, a small room and a kitchen. It hosts matches and is part of the wider Alnwick and District League in North Northumberland. The league games are played on Saturdays with Sundays set aside for Cup and friendly fixtures

It was founded in 1962 and adults meet on a Wednesday evening during the season (April-September)

There is also a junior section which meets on a Friday evening.

It also hosts a Summer camp for young people.

Over 1000 uses per season.

The club has recently received the award for "The Ground of The Year" for the whole of Northumberland.

Riverside Caravan Park and Bridgend Club. (The Brewery Club)

A very large caravan park on the southern gateway into Wooler on the A697 with static and mobile homes and lodges It has a number of caravan community users . Detailed information about ownership, facilities on both sites and users or community uses etc have been sought but haven't been made available .

Scotts Park. This is the responsibility of the Parish Council. A range of outdoor events take place here. There is a fenced off play park on site.

Brysons Park. This is the responsibility of the Parish Council. There is a play park on site.

War memorial. Built in 1921. Tower Hill OS Grid Ref.: NT 993 282

Church Street Wooler

Commonburn Ponds. Wooler NE71 6RL Forestry Commission land.