

Denmead Data Set August 2013

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Location characteristics & setting

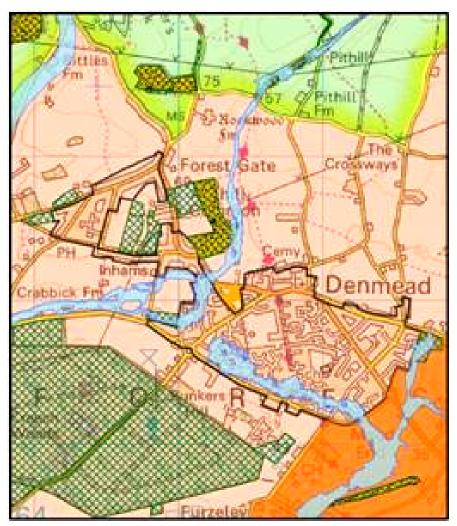


Winchester District

National Park

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South Downs National Park

The South Downs National Park lies just to the north of the village, although part of the parish is within the National Park.

Designated wildlife sites?

There are a number of SINCs on the outskirts of the settlement mainly covering meadows, woodlands (including ancient and semi-natural woodlands) and Anthill Common. A total of 19 SINCs are within the parish of Denmead.

Heritage sites?

There are no designated heritage sites within the immediate vicinity of Denmead

Flood zone 3?

Denmead lies along the upper reaches of the Wallington River which flows into Portsmouth Harbour. The flood zone 3 area cuts through the settlement along Harvest Road and across Hambledon Road.

A substantial area of housing is also covered by Flood zone 3 from the pond in the area northwest of Creech View across Forest Mead to the field drains to the southeast of the settlement.

Conservation Area or listed buildings?

There are 4 grade II listed buildings within the settlement boundary.

Grade 1 agricultural land under agriculture or horticulture?

There is no grade 1 agricultural land in the vicinity of the settlement.

What makes Denmead special?

Denmead has a rural character and an active `village community. The countryside penetrates to the centre of the village and this open space supports a variety of wildlife and gives the village centre a rural image which is enjoyed by both the residents of Denmead and also people coming to shop in Denmead or to walk on the lanes.

What do you see as the main opportunities for Denmead?

- Recognise a need and opportunity to plan for change
- There is an opportunity to maintain a gap between Denmead and Southwick and the major development at Waterlooville to preserve the village identity
- Provide affordable housing for local people
- Provide opportunities for new small businesses.
- Enhance the village centre.

What are the challenges facing Denmead over the next 20 years?

- Provision of affordable housing
- Supporting limited and controlled building of market housing targeting primarily brownfield sites.
- Retaining identity and character of the village.
- Protection of the Denmead gap
- Supporting an ageing population through the development of residential homes
- Support the development of small business and start up businesses taking account the relationship with Waterlooville.
- Providing good public or alternative transport links
- Support existing retail and encourage new retail; enhance the local centre.
- Providing additional facilities and recreational space needed
- Making sure infrastructure is provided at the right time to meet the needs of Denmead
- Enhancing the appearance of the village centre needs without compromising the recent works completed
- Provision of suitable broadband
- Provide additional facilities (larger hall).

Sources for the above: Denmead Village Design Statement 2007, Denmead Blueprint responses

Population & Housing

Givens	Figure		Scale	Data Source and reasons used
No of dwellings	2011 2001 2831 2462		Parish	2011/2001 Census data, ONS
Population estimate 2011	2011 6736 2001 6190		Parish	2011/2001 Census data, ONS
Tenure: Privately owned Council/RSL rented Privately rented	2245 225 211		Parish	2011/2001 Census data, ONS
No of new houses built- last 10 years (2002/03-2011/12)	216 Past housing comple	tion rate in Denmead	Settlement	From Hampshire County Council Annual Housing Surveys 2012
Number of households with local connection	147		Parish	From the <u>Hampshire Home Choice Register</u> July 2012. Number of household with local connection = the number of households identified as being eligible for affordable rural housing in a village to which they had a local connection by reason of family, residence or employment. These households are also included on the housing register.

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How many houses need to be developed	Figure	Scale	Data Source and reasons used
New homes to be provided as identified in Local Plan Part 1	250	Settlement	Local Plan Part 1, Policy MTRA2
Planning permissions already granted (at April 2013 including 'Little Frenchies Field') ¹	49		From Hampshire County Council Annual Housing Surveys 2013
Homes completed 2011- 2013	50		From Hampshire County Council Annual Housing Surveys 2013
Shortfall	151		No. of houses required minus those built and those granted permission

Settlement	Strategic Housing Land Availability Assessment 2012
	Settlement

Key housing data sources :	
Winchester District Housing Strategy 2008/09 - 2012/13	http://www.winchester.gov.uk/housing/housing-strategies/winchester-district- housing-strategy-2008-09-2012-/
Small Area Population Forecasts (SAPF)	http://www3.hants.gov.uk/factsandfigures/population-statistics/pop- estimates/small-area-pop-stats.htm
Office for National Statistics 2001 Census	http://www.winchester.gov.uk/data/census-2001/

¹ This figure includes the outstanding permissions at April 2013 for 38 dwellings, plus the 11 dwellings permitted at Land adjacent to Denmead Junior School, Bere Road in April 2013

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Office for National Statistics Neighbourhood Statistics	http://www.neighbourhood.statistics.gov.uk/
On this webpage you will find evidence base documents for housing	http://www.winchester.gov.uk/planning-policy/evidence-base/housing/
•	http://www.winchester.gov.uk/planning-policy/evidence-base/housing/housing- market-assessment-2007/

Employment

	Figure		Figure Scale			Data Source and reasons used
Those aged between 16-74	4796		Parish	2011 Census data, ONS		
Economically active = people in work or looking for work	<u>2011</u> 3537	<u>2001</u> 3126	Parish	2011/2001 Census data, ONS		
Economically inactive = retired, students, looking after family/home, permanently sick/disabled	<u>2011</u> 1270	<u>2001</u> 1245	Parish	2011/2001Census data, ONS		
Top employment destinations from Denmead:	Portsmouth Waterlooville Havant 8% Fareham/Por Southamptor Winchester 2	e 18% rtchester 4% n 3%		Census 2001 (Occupation Groups); SQW Winchester Economic and Employment Study 2007;		
Working residents % of working residents employed in Denmead % of Denmead workers living in Denmead	20.8% 42.5%		Parish	SQW Winchester District Economic and Employment Land Study, 2007		
Net flow of employees	-1436			SQW Winchester District Economic and Employment Land Study, 2007		

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	<u>2011</u>	<u>2001</u>		2011/2001 Census data, ONS
Managers and senior officials	517	683		
Professional	722	447		
Associate professional &	494	470		
technical				
Administrative & secretarial	439	428	Parish	
Skilled trades	376	276		
Personal services	278	161		
Sales and customer services	224	183		
Process plant and machine	151	157		
operatives				
Elementary occupations	206	238		
Retail and service Units	1	7	Settlement	NLP Retail and Town Centre uses study, 2007
Retail Uses				NLP Retail and Town Centre uses study, 2007 (updated by
Restaurants, cafes &		3		Denmead Parish Council 2014).
Takeaways				
Banks/other financial		1		
services			Settlement	
Estate agents and Valuers		2		
Travel agents	()		
Hairdressers & Beauty		3		
parlours				
Laundries & dry cleaners	()		

Key employment data sources :	
http://www.invest-in-southampton.co.uk/property/	
http://www.winchester.gov.uk/business/commercial-property/	
http://www.winchester.gov.uk/planning-policy/evidence-base/economy/	
http://www3.hants.gov.uk/factsandfigures/population-statistics/pop-estimates/small-area-pop-stats.htm	
http://www.winchester.gov.uk/data/census-2001/	
http://www.nomisweb.co.uk/	

Community & Social Infrastructure

	Figure	Data Source and reasons used
Car Parking	There is one Council-owned car park located at Kidmore Lane to the west of the centre, within a few minutes walk. This car park is free to use and contains 78 spaces, and was fairly empty during the NLP site visit (Thursday 31st May, 11.00 am). There are plenty of other car parking facilities at Denmead town/village centre; there is ample parking in front of the main parade of shops on Hambledon Road, there is space to park next to the Vacant Ashlands site, there is also a car park for the Health Centre and another for the church. There is a considerable amount of parking in Denmead for a centre of its size.	NLP Retail and Town Centre uses study, 2007
	Car Parking in the centre is well utilised with a recent Car Parking Strategy paper recording 100% utilisation outside of the shop and 47% in Kidmore Lane, although this is still considered to be a low figure.	Update by Parish Council, March 2014.
Public Transport Bus services	There is one request bus stop in Denmead centre, and one bus shelter opposite the main parade of shops. The bus shelter was of poor quality. Services run to Waterlooville, Horndean School, QA Hospital and Portsmouth	NLP Retail and Town Centre uses study, 2007, www.travelinesw.com
	Bus Services – the bus shelters have recently been refurbished. Within Denmead Parish there are 23 bus stops.	Update by Parish Council, March 2014.
Rail services	There is no train station in Denmead. Portsmouth and Havant train stations are the nearest to Denmead.	NLP Retail and Town Centre uses study, 2007, www.travelinesw.com
Schools	Denmead Primary Schools	

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		August 2015
	Capacity: 612	
	Cowplain Community Secondary School	
	1080	HCC education Department
Education Capacity	Surplus	
Primary Schools 2012	66	
Secondary Schools 2012	45	
Primary Schools 2017	-133	
Secondary Schools 2017	68	
Health facilities		
Doctors surgery	Denmead Doctors Surgery, Hambledon Road, PO7 6NR,	http://www.denmeaddoctorssurgery.co.uk/
	5 doctors	
Dental practices	Denmead Dental, Hambledon Road, Denmead, PO7	http://denmeaddental.co.uk
	6QA	
Library services	The closest library is at Waterlooville. A mobile library	
	service is available	

Summary of Denmead Town/Village Centre's Strengths and Weaknesses²

Strengths

- The centre has a good provision of convenience shops including a greengrocer, a bakery and a Co-Op store; the proportion of convenience retailers is significantly higher than the national average.
- The centre has a good provision of some services, particularly of banks and hairdressers/ beauty parlours, both of which are represented by a greater proportion than the national average.
- Car parking is adequate and not considerable for a village of this size but it is well used and it is critical to the vitality of Denmead Centre (update from Denmead Parish Council March 2014).
- Public transport links to and from the centre are reasonably good for a centre of its size, and run to a range of other centres.
- The environmental quality of the centre is reasonable for a centre of its size, there is adequate provision of street furniture, and there is little evidence of litter, graffiti or vandalism.

Weaknesses

- Denmead town/village centre has a relatively poor provision of comparison shops; the proportion of comparison retailers is lower than the national average.
- Denmead town/village centre lacks any travel agents or laundrettes/ dry cleaners/shoe repairs, but it is questionable whether such services would be expected in a centre of Denmead's size.
- The vacancy rate (11.8%) is slightly higher than the national average (10.5%), however as there are only two vacant units, it is difficult to draw any concrete conclusions regarding the level of demand for property.
- Pedestrian movement in the centre is hindered by Hambledon Road, the cars parked in front of the main shopping parade and the hedge separating the western end of the centre.

Opportunities

• Denmead benefits from a loyal local customer base and passing trade. Expenditure generated by this customer base is expected to grow in the future, which could provide opportunities to improve the range and choice of shops and services in the centre.

• The potential development of 3,000 residential at West Waterlooville could generate some additional trade.

Threats

- The demand for premises within Denmead is likely to be limited. The centre is dominated by independent traders. If independent traders close in the future the availability of new occupiers is uncertain and the number of vacant units could increase, which may undermine the vitality and viability of the centre.
- Denmead is located reasonably close to larger shopping centres in Havant including Waterlooville. The strength and proximity of these centres will limit the potential to maintain and enhance the vitality and viability of Denmead.

² NLP Retail and Town Centre uses study, 2007 (updated by Denmead Parish Council 2014)

Infrastructure

Summary - No specific show stoppers. Access and transport improvements needed. Health Centre facilities would need to be improved for anything other than small development.

Infrastructure	Policy Link	Source of Information
Access /Junction Improvement Works	CP10	HCC draft Transport Statement Sept 2012, Winchester Local Transport Schemes 2012
• Road narrowing/chicane at Hambledon end of B2150.		
Environmental Enhancements	CP10	HCC draft Transport Statement Sept 2012, Winchester Local Transport Schemes 2012
Denmead Junior School- Provide lighting between Little	Corner, Old River and	the Greenaway
Improved pedestrian/ cycle access and infrastructure	CP10	HCC draft Transport Statement Sept 2012, Winchester Local Transport Schemes 2012 and Winchester District Cycle Strategy 2012
 Denmead cycle route west to Wickham Denmead Junior- Traffic calming on Bere Road and Asl Enhance pedestrian and cycle facilities on Hambledon I Upgrade access along Bunkers Hill Road for children ad 	Road and Southwick Ro	ment recenity installed in Creech Woods
Public Transport	CP10	HCC draft Transport Statement Sept 2012, Winchester Local Transport Schemes 2012
 RTI at high frequency bus stops as part of PTG bus sto Deployment of journey planning kiosk and bus departur The bus stops on the Denmead loop require new stops/ also for hard standings to be provided along the outer loop 	e screen in village cent flags with text for times	re and detailed travel information, there is scope
Health Services-	CP6, MTRA2	NHS Advice - Infrastructure Study
 Improved facilities to meet demand from anything other 	than small developmer	nts.
	•	OS Strategy 2012/2013 and Built Facilities

- Acquisition of additional land for sports. Improvements to cricket facilities.
- Expand Tennis facilities
- Provision of a MUGA
- Refurbishment of NEAP in Ashling Park.