Ether Hill & Queenwood

It is believed that Ether Hill was used as a site for the local gallows during the 14th century and stood as a terrible warning to anyone thinking of breaking the law; Ether Hill was chosen for the site of the gallows as it could be seen from miles around. This large wooded area mainly consists of deciduous trees that form and surround Ether Hill, and a frame work of bridle ways and paths (formal and informal) connect with other open spaces. Ether Hill is a great destination for all the family whatever their age, with views across Queenwood Golf course with the woodland itself skirting the Ottershaw Memorial Fields.

The award winning Ottershaw Memorial Fields were donated to the council by William James King on agreement this open space remained for the recreation and enjoyment of the residents. The memorial grounds have a natural setting with a wide range of recreational facilities for the local community. The site is staffed seven days a week and is open to the public at all times.

The Ottershaw Memorial Fields are well laid out with the woodland area acting as a backdrop to the sports facilities and open space. There is a wide range of facilities to choose from including changing rooms for people of all ages and multi use rooms which are used by local groups such as the weightlifters, highland dancers, weight watchers and local play groups. The local scout and guide groups have use of the building to the east of the bowling green and often use the woodland for their activities. The bowling green itself is accessible from the entrance at the western end of the park.

Other leisure facilities include a children’s play area and multi use games court located away from the pavilion accessed from car park 2 (see map).

Key
- Bridle way
- Myriad of paths through woods to walk
- Available
- Suitable (recreational area only)
- Bowling Green

Football, cricket table and tennis courts also available.
The main entrance provides good access for both pushchairs and wheel chairs catering for all visitors. The main car park 1 (see map) provides baby changing facilities, toilets including those for the disabled and ample spaces to park.

Facilities Available

- Two adult football pitches
- Cricket table
- Cricket Nets
- Bowling green
- Two tennis courts
- Play area
- Multi Use Games Area
- Formal bedding
- Weightlifters club
- Scout Group
- Play School

New to the area? Local Societies & Clubs
Ottershaw & Hamm Moor Cricket Club
www.ohmcc.co.uk Tel 0208 570 3439
Ottershaw Bowling Club April - Sep 01932 344245

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Parking is available at this site.

The area is suitable for walkers, leisure activities and an ideal location to picnic.

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Award Winning Park

Wooded Walks and Bridle Ways

Leisure Facilities for all the Family

Suitable (Some recreational areas only)
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