

Orchard Park Timeline

June 2005	Outline Planning Permission granted for Arbury Camp
December 2006	First houses occupied
May 2007	50 occupations
July 2007	100 occupations
September 2007	Orchard Park Primary School opened
November 2007	150 occupations
December 2007	POS5 (children's play area) open to the public
January 2008	200 occupations
February 2008	SCDC Scrutiny Committee appoints Task and Finish Group to review Arbury Park
April 2008	250 occupations
May 2008	300 occupations
September 2008	350 occupations
October 2008	Task and Finish Group present findings to Scrutiny Committee on Orchard Park
November 2008	400 occupations
November 2008	SCDC Cabinet consideration of Task and Finish Groups report
December 2008	SCDC Cabinet presents Action plan to Scrutiny Committee to address the recommendations of the Task and Finish Group
January 2009	Start of Citi 4 bus service through the development
March 2009	450 occupations
April 2009	New parish of Orchard Park created
April 2009	Progress report to Scrutiny Committee from the New Communities PFH
April 2009	Premier Inn hotel opened
April 2009	POS six and seven open to the public (Grass and paved seating areas)
May 2009	POS three (landscaped area around the circus) and four (sensory garden and children's play area at the community centre) open to the public
June 2009	Orchard Park Community Council inaugural meeting
June 2009	Work began on POS1 (sports pitches/MUGA)
July 2009	500 occupations
August 2009	Community Centre transferred to the Community Council
September 2009	Work started on artist designed local areas of play (LAPs) at A2, C1 and M
October 2009	POS5 (Children's play area) transferred to the Community Council
November 2009	Scrutiny update on Orchard Park from the New Communities PFH