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It is bad enough that the school for years has been leaving its lights on till midnight, and that now they have a distracting floodlight next to the zebra crossing.

Their attitude towards parents parking over drives, on double yellow lines and on the zigzag lines next to the zebra crossing is one of indifference. Now they intend to floodlight their pitch, which will be another visual annoyance for their long-suffering neighbours. The greatest inconvenience, however, will be the parking that will accompany the extra use of the pitch. There are already times on Saturdays when it is impossible to pass through Hartfield Rd because of congestion with parents picking up their children, refusing to move from the middle of the road until their child comes out. Our roads suffer already from lack of parking, and when there are parents' evenings and any event at the school, the roads are over-burdened, and anti-social parking is rife. This is a disastrous idea for those of us living nearby, and parking is always the main complaint when such short-sighted ideas are allowed.

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