

Site Code	Site Name	Grid Reference	Size	Main Habitats	LBAP Priority Habitats / Species	Full description	Wildlife Site Qualifying Features
WS/SO40/12	Old Rectory Meadow	SO463019	1.48 ha	Neutral Grassland (MG6) Marshy Grassland (M23)	Species Rich Grassland (HAP)	A large meadow with a southerly facing slope becoming much wetter in the southern half with species such as <i>Lychnis floscucli</i> , <i>Carex flacca</i> and <i>Dactylorhiza</i> . In the south-western corner is an area of scrub with scattered mature fruit trees (pear and apple) many with mistletoe. The site is surrounded by thick hedgerows and two public footpaths run through it. A more neutral dry grassland can be found in the northern half with <i>Centaurea nigra</i> , <i>Lotus corniculatus</i> and <i>Trifolium pratense</i> . Invertebrates appear diverse at this site in particular. Surrounding land use to the south and west include more rich wet meadows, slightly more diverse botanically than this one but still the meadow forms a valuable unit of a larger site. To the north is a house and road and to the east an Id orchard. Management could be improved at this site as the application of fertiliser is most likely affecting its diversity for the worse. Llanvihangel Tor-y-Mynydd Churchyard and Church Meadow lie adjacent and form part of a bigger Willdife Site.	H4 Neutral Grassland