

Likes / Dislikes

Q1 Likes

The community feel

The convenient shops

Quite easy, free parking

So many friendly, helpful people

Community spirit

All we need within a contained village

Green open spaces in the conservation area, beautiful historic buildings, shops, friendly community

Lots of facilities, good community

Community spirit, beautiful villages, limited development

Concerts and musical events

Access to everyday facilities, allotments, sense of age-mixed community

Friendly, lively community – please don't let developers ruin this by swamping the village with large developments

Change nothing

It's a village. Not too big therefore traffic manageable. Good community and lots to do/clubs to join.

Wonderful church, shops, people

Like – community, it's very unique and yearned for by many who visit

Good village community/atmosphere – would be lost if expanded too much

The library, Deddington News, sense of community

We love the village life. We love the fact it is a small community. Friendly and small, great amenities.

Good place to live, friendly environment, low level of crime

It's a wonderful village feel, expanding would turn us into a town which would be horrible.

Lack of large scale developments

Full range of facilities – use of church as a venue, friendly community

Friendliness, peace, especially at night

Good community

Village atmosphere, would be spoilt by large development

Good community, good medical services, good place to live

Love the village, don't destroy it please for gain ie money

I like many more than three things – good school, good medical services, fantastic ambience

I have lived in Deddington for 27 years and loved living here as a crime free village until this week when my house was burgled whilst away on holiday

Deddington has brilliant amenities

There is a very strong community in this village who seem to want to keep Deddington rural

It has a mix of somewhere to live, the community and somewhere to visit – outsiders wanting somewhere to potter or get a coffee after visiting Rousham for example

Like Deddington, has most of the things we need

Very attractive village, great church with a large range of village activities, good community spirit, good facilities for a village

Overall like Deddington, no big changes required

Friendly people, has co-op – very useful, looks very pretty

Deddington's Castle Grounds are wonderful, we are lucky to have such a special area as this
Peace, quiet, convenience of health centre, shops
Community spirit – we're still small enough to know/know of each other
Facilities which cover most needs eg PO, shops, school, drs, vet etc
Historic village – fairly unspoilt
Restaurants, shops, allotments
Rural, people, market and shops, rural beautiful and unspoilt
Variety of small businesses –of woodyard, computer co – tucked away in back streets
Sense of Community, countryside walks, runs, cycling, wildlife on the doorstep, plenty of local amenities
Love the village ethos and atmosphere
Good facilities, dr, shops, pubs, school, good location for rail/Oxford/M40, village atmosphere
Hempton – quiet, in countryside, friendly
Tranquillity, copious open fields, active community
Community, facilities, rural location
The community spirit, wealth of facilities and the beautiful green spaces
Great facilities considering the size of the village, rural atmosphere, active community
Easy access to shops, good food, and other facilities
I am fortunate that I travel abroad frequently- fortunate in the sense that few places are as beautiful. Hoping it will stay this way. Natural beauty, history, unspoilt
Local facilities, shops etc. Eating/drinking venues. Accessibility to countryside and towns/Oxford, community activities
The facilities of Deddington, bus, shops, pubs, library. The buildings. Proximity to M40 and Oxford.
Good range of shops and services. Castle Grounds amenity. Proximity of open countryside. Strong community spirit.

Q2 Dislikes

Vulnerability of our development
Nothing really
Lack of Parking
Traffic in Earls Lane
No evening bus service
Parking of cars and very little consideration for people with drives
Bus service
Traffic
Speed of traffic on Earls Lane
Speeding and on street parking
New position of the post box
Noise outside pub in summer
Traffic
Too many cars parked all day
Impossible (almost) to do without a car in Hempton
Flood lights on tennis court with meter
The threat of big developments

Lack of pavement at end of Earls Lane (can't safely push pram)
Traffic mis-use of Earls Lane, particularly HGVs and coaches
Too many cars, traffic too fast, litter
The tennis club needs floodlights
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Speed of traffic, Clifton Road, lack of pavement Earls Lane, no parking in Market Square
Too many cars (too many for household)
Can feel like town because of number of outsiders despite small 'village' size
Cars parked everywhere, especially at weekends, heavy traffic, dogs off their leads and not under control
Heavy traffic
Too many cars parking and huge lorries passing through – all spoiling the lovely Market Place, the centre of our village
Lack of public transport, 38 ____ HGV using the village as a rat run, 7.5 restriction on bridge totally ignored!
Now only one overpriced shop (from 3). Appalling parking. Parasitical land developers.
Speeding and traffic. Parking.
Excess cars parked. Speeding traffic. Lack of street lighting.
Hempton Road speeding traffic
Traffic congestion, volume of HGVs, impracticality of using S4 bus
Hate – lack of traffic management for commuters using village streets as cut-through and speeding
Clifton does not have a village hall/community centre/ bus service. Roads in Clifton are very poorly maintained by council. Traffic.
Parking congestion in Deddington. Speeding traffic in Clifton and Hempton
Traffic speeding through all three villages
Traffic down Earls Lane, speeding. Potential of land developers.

Q3

Planned future
Speed limits extended, better parking, more businesses and facilities
Better traffic calming measures
Traffic calming, more pedestrian crossings 20mph zones, cycle lanes
Earls Lane traffic calming
The Windmill Centre building – its ghastly
Traffic
Transport please
Would be good to have more individual shops baker, greengrocer
Earls Lane parking: important to negotiate with adjacent landowners perhaps to allow a strip of hard-surface car park on part of a field. Failing that, verge parking on hardcore, not mud for surgery access.
Parking on Earls Lane, reduced traffic through Market Place, make Philcote street one way
No parking on pavements, Plants and hedging overhanging the pavements
Street lighting, limit to new development, more social/exercise classes
Facilities at Windmill Centre improved, inside and outside, improvement/upgrade of village nursery building, footpath on Earls Lane

Cycle path to Clifton (and beyond!) More social activities like Zumba which appeal to a wide range of people

Better footpaths/cycle network giving access to countryside

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Competition for Co-op again! More council housing. Land developers shot, land given to community!