

Community post-it questions and answers

What does community mean to you? For example: allotment, Castle Grounds; Daeda's Wood; dog walking; farmers' market; Hempton Church Hall, library, local shops; Windmill Community Centre.

What others?

- Churches
- School
- Deddington Housing Association at Holly Tree Cottages
- All of the above make it a "Community". It is also small enough to be a very friendly community
- Meeting local people ie clubs, church; meeting people at shops
- Excellent shops and pubs. A wonderful church and Holly Tree Club
- All of these plus local clubs, either official or unofficial. And the pubs and church
- All of the above. Local clubs
- A small enough number of people who recognize one another
- All above – toddler groups, pre-school. Nursery
- Walking group
- Make Clifton more obvious 'part' of community – signs, info in Deddington to make people aware
- Clifton: pub and community spaces are important meeting (places?) and need information kept up to date
- All of the above
- Meeting places
- All of these listed plus * nursery * pre-school * school * clubs and groups especially baby and toddler
- The community needs to be small enough for the organizations to work as friendship groups as well as the function of the organization - too big and you do not blend as a group
- Nothing much for people without children growing up in the village (single females)

- Things to do / clubs with people in your area
- Local clubs and enough facilities for all clubs
- Meeting places. Chance to speak with locals. Friendly
- Castle Grounds; Windmill C Centre; local shops; library; farmers' market
- May we all as a community help financially with the upkeep and running cost of our beautiful church St Peter and St Paul, as we are blessed in having this beautiful church in our village
- Mutual respect, friendship, protection, exchange of ideas
- Looking out for others and lending a hand
- Clubs/ societies. People looking out for each other. Social activities – fitness, music, arts
- Having a sustainable community – small enough to recognize each other: not big enough to become a town
- SCHOOL: More places needed – provided from development grant
- Community spirit
- Wide variety of clubs and groups for all ages and interests
- Needs a gardening club
- Working together to maintain / develop facilities/ etc
- Talking / meeting others. Clubs, societies and interest groups
- Equality; talking to others; getting involved with the village; friendly people; clubs/ activities
- Pubs
- Friendly, helpful, smiling people who care about each other
- Numerous societies, eg history, book group etc
- Allotments to get to know other ploholders' Dog walking
- The cash supplied by the county council is meant for use to the benefit of residents So is the money from other sources

- Why doesn't the parish council use more of the cash stashed away for the benefit of residents and businesses. Over £500k is *too much* for a PC to keep in the bank
- There are not enough jobs to support expansion. It will become a commuter village
- Planned approach and future for Windmill Centre
- Invest some of the £5000k + the PC has in improving the Windmill Centre
- How about a gardening club/ society
- Youth club and youth organizations
- Rambling group; fitness trail
- All the events which the many willing volunteers organize which hugely help to make this village a great place to live – eg pre-school events, jumble sales, parish show, pantomime, festival, church bazaars, concerts etc etc
- Farmers' market
- People saying 'Hello' in the street and being welcoming when new people join the village – this happened to us and it was very nice
- Library; shop

C1 How has expansion in the parish affected your organization so far?

- Deddington Town Colts FC: * not enough green space for 11 football teams in village * have to play in three other villages * all-weather pitch too small – double size so more teams can train in village
- Farmers' market: Not noticeably

C2 How do you see your organization progressing with further possible development in the parish?

- Deddington Town Colts FC: * not enough space for youth football teams * more housing will mean more facilities * would like to participate – contact Roger Sykes
- Farmer's market: Possible development in terms of size and frequency
- We need somewhere for History Society to archive documents and artifacts and open to public once or twice a month – Town Hall?!

- We have several vacant plots at Satin Lane allotments which could be used by new residents...
- ...The patches are huge – I am afraid to put my name down as I could not keep it all in good condition

C3 Do you think that recreational facilities should be offered to a wider area than the parish?

- Farmers' market: Yes, but priority to parish
- Upgrade of children's play facilities at the Windmill Centre would be good – like Steeple Aston, Ardley (but would bring people in from outside village)
- Not advertised as such – but those in neighbouring villages should not be turned down
- Children and others already join clubs and societies in parish
- Yes, because it is easier to justify bigger facilities if you do
- Deddington Town Colts FC - * we already provide football for players from other villages * don't get too concerned about borders – look for partnerships with other villages

C4 How many users of your organization come from outside the parish

- Deddington Town Colts FC - * estimate 40% of football players from outside the parish * more at older age groups
- Parish show – quite a few from outside the parish as we make all the classes open.
- farmers' market brings in many from 'outside'
- Farmers' market: One on management committee – 70% of shoppers
- None
- Youth club: all come from parish

Statistics for Deddington Ward as at January 2013

- **2,695 usual residents**
- **52% females, 48% males**
- **641 people under age of 19**

- 626 people over age of 65

Which age group do you come in?

- Only 50% are between 19 and 65. Do development plans ensure adequate range of needs ??? age profiles etc
- What does the Health Centre think about 625 over age of 65 in population?
- Over 65 X 2
- Between 19 and 65 X 2 (one 29, one 62)
- Between 10 and 65 X 2
- Over the top (possibly)
- Over 65
- Over 65
- Over 65
- Between 19 and 65
- Over 70
- 19 – 65
- Age groups in my home
 - 50 – 55 X 2
 - 30 – 35 X 2
 - Under 5 X 2
- How many people in village do not drive – and so need better public transport? Access to trains is good but some coordination of bus time table with most used trains timetable would help
- I agree