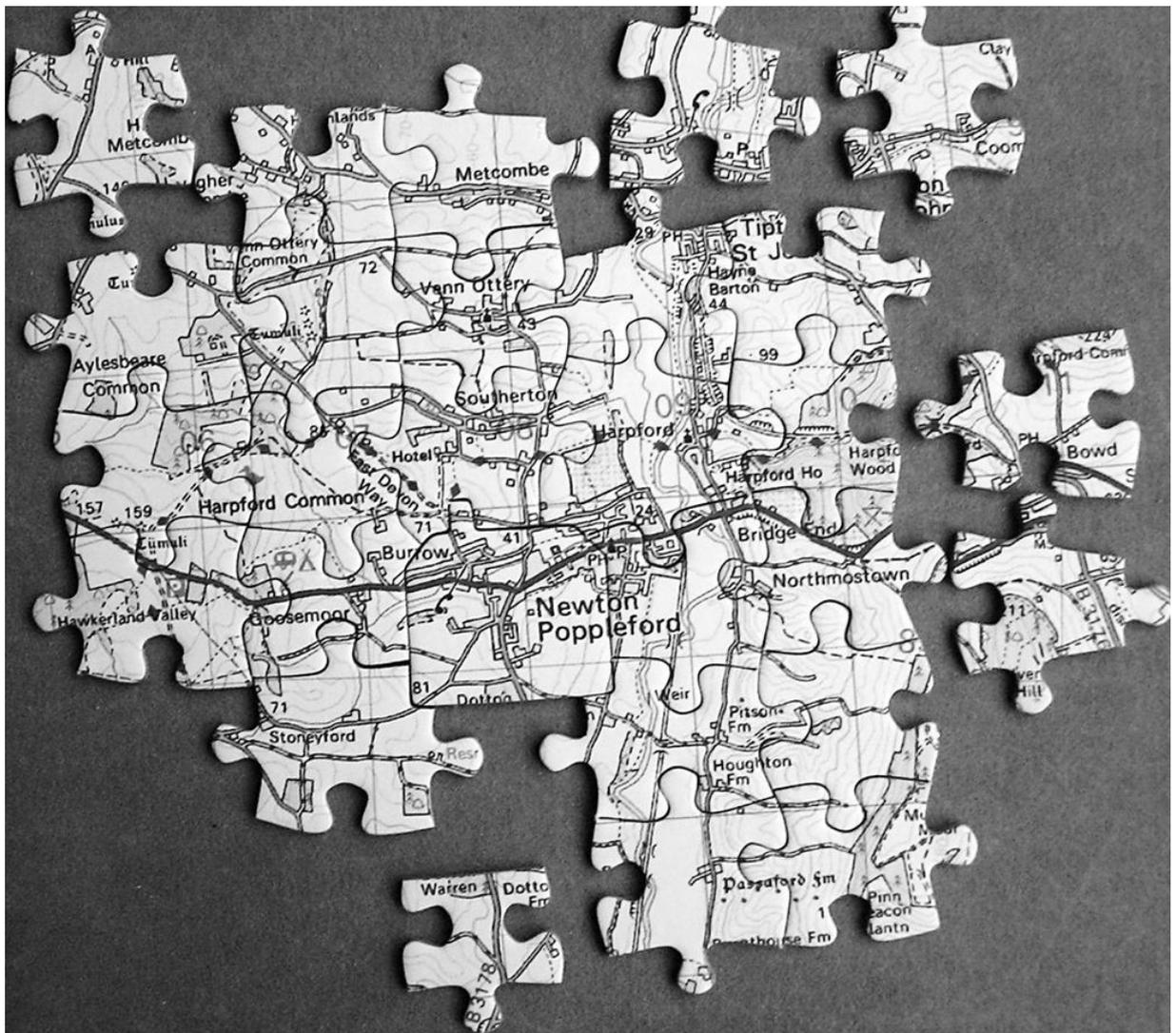


Newton Poppleford & Harpford Parish Plan

Filling in the Picture



Responses to the 2010 Questionnaire

Introduction

With the blessing of the Parish Council, a small steering group was formed late in 2009 with the objective of producing a Parish Plan. The first stage was to develop a questionnaire to go to all households in the (Civil) Parish to sound out opinions. An Open Day was held in the Village Hall in January 2010, which generated lots of topics of local interest. Contacts were also made with Community Council for Devon who had guided similar exercises in a number of other villages. The steering group met during March and April 2010 to draft, pilot and refine the questionnaire format.

A team of volunteers was gathered: questionnaires were delivered to all 904 households in late May 2010 and gathered in June 2010 (despite some interruption from General Election matters!). The response was very good - almost 70% of forms were returned.

Not everybody answered every question, but for a lot of the questions there were over 500 responses - well representative of the village.

Sadly, the analysis has been delayed by a combination of funding difficulties, computer problems, demands on time for members of the steering group, etc. Eventually, funding was agreed in March 2011 for Devon County Council to carry out the data input. Spreadsheet results were not received from them until November 2011, despite prompting.

The Steering Group would like to record thanks to all those willing volunteers who distributed and collected the questionnaires, and those who provided funding for the printing and analysis, the Parish Council, Devon County Council and the East Devon AONB Partnership.

Apart from the responses to Questions 2, 3 & 4 which refer to the number of properties, **all other responses are numbers of people.**

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## About your Household

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| <b>1</b> | How many people in each of the following age brackets live in your household?<br><b>Total Response 1319 people</b> |
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0 - 4 years: **48**    5 - 10 years: **89**    11 - 16 years: **81**    17 - 21 years: **61**  
 22 - 39 years: **135**    40 - 59 years: **332**    60 - 64 years: **138**    65 - 74 years: **215**  
 over 75 years: **220**

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| <b>2</b> | In what type of dwelling does your household live?<br><b>Total Response from 593 properties</b> |
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Rented; Private: **49**    District Council: **38**    Housing Association: **7**  
 Owner Occupied: **492**    Shared Equity: **3**    Other: **4**

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| <b>3</b> | Is this your only or main residence? |
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Yes: **585** No: **8**

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| <b>4</b> | Has your property been affected by flooding from river/watercourses, surface water or storm drainage? |
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Into the dwelling: **23**    Onto the garden/yard/driveway: **69**  
 On the access road/footpath: **54**

# Community Facilities

|                  |                                                                |                    |                 |                       |
|------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| <b>5</b>         | On average, how often do you use the Parish Social Facilities? |                    |                 |                       |
|                  | <b>Village Hall</b>                                            | <b>Church Hall</b> | <b>Pavilion</b> | <b>Playing Fields</b> |
| weekly           | <b>29</b>                                                      | <b>62</b>          | <b>21</b>       | <b>79</b>             |
| monthly          | <b>44</b>                                                      | <b>67</b>          | <b>6</b>        | <b>48</b>             |
| 2/3 times a year | <b>265</b>                                                     | <b>128</b>         | <b>81</b>       | <b>114</b>            |
| never            | <b>215</b>                                                     | <b>260</b>         | <b>350</b>      | <b>245</b>            |

**6** Do you think these facilities are adequate for the needs of the parish?  
 Yes: **318**      no: **85**      don't know: **194**

**7** If no, what facility would you like to see in the parish?  
 The majority (15 out of 21) of written-in answers would like to see a new/improved Community Hall with adequate parking and some sports facilities.

**8** If you would like to see a new facility in the parish, where do you think this should be built (taking account of areas likely to flood) ?  
 Of the 20 responses, 9 favour the Playing fields/Pavilion/Tennis courts area, 2 favour the church/carpark area, and one each for Waterleat or the Village Hall. The remainder found it difficult to specify location.

**9** Which of the following Indoor activities would you or a member of your household participate in if they were available in the parish?  
 Badminton: **125**    Volleyball: **39**    Table Tennis: **77**    Keep Fit: **215**  
 Of the 71 who marked the 'other' box, there were two each for Pilates, gym facilities and bowling and one response each for a variety of activities from drama to a casino.

**10** Which of the following Outdoor activities would you or a member of your household participate in if they were available?  
 Athletics: **40**    Hockey: **29**    Outdoor Bowls: **105**  
 Of the 38 who marked the 'other' box, two would like canoe/kayaking. There were single responses for a range of activities from paintballing to fishing.

**11** Would you or any member of your household be prepared to help organise/run any of the above Indoor or Outdoor activities?  
 Yes: **31**      no: **384**      don't know: **123**

(If yes, please complete and return the form at the end of this questionnaire).

**12** How often do you use the local shops and services?

|                    | PO/Store | Pubs | Restaurants/<br>Tea Rooms | Takeaways | Other<br>services/shops |
|--------------------|----------|------|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| daily              | 175      | 5    | 1                         | 3         | 7                       |
| weekly             | 216      | 61   | 9                         | 59        | 14                      |
| monthly            | 74       | 60   | 60                        | 124       | 37                      |
| a few times a year | 94       | 203  | 311                       | 234       | 197                     |
| never              | 35       | 177  | 128                       | 108       | 132                     |

Why not?

Nearer Tipton than Newton Poppleford (from Venn Ottery)  
 Other reasons are cost, don't drink, don't eat out, shop and services  
 elsewhere, attitude of traders, housebound/out at work/live elsewhere

**13** Do you think other retail shops, takeaways, cafes or any other services are needed?

Yes: **178**      no: **268**      don't know: **108**

If yes, please say which

7 would like a chemist/pharmacy; 3 would like an Indian restaurant/takeaway;  
 there were 2 requests each for a bakery, a café or retail shop, 2 looked for a  
 nice pub in Harpford, and several would hate to lose Post Office/Stores or Pub.

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Communication & Information

14	Where do you find out information about what is going on in the Parish and the surrounding villages?
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Parish Magazine: **425** Tipton Times: **39** Parish Council Newsletter: **310**
Noticeboards: **247** Internet/websites: **50** Local papers: **315**
Word of Mouth: **349**

What other information would you like to be available?

A few would like a comprehensive and co-ordinated calendar of village events, possibly on the web. Not many responses, does this mean most were satisfied?

15	Where else would you like to be able to find out information?
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Internet: **178** email: **58** mobile library: **29** Parish Clerk's office: **15** Other: **8**

16	Would you use a publicly accessible internet point within the Parish?
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Yes: **55** no: **445** don't know: **64**

If yes, where do you think it should be?

Of the few responses, 4 said Village/Community Hall and 2 said Internet Café

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# Education & Employment

**17** Where do any children in your household go to school?

Please write in all applicable

Newton Poppleford Primary: **9** Sidmouth College: **5** and **1** each for Kings School Ottery, Colyton Grammar, Exmouth Community College, Clyst Vale Community College, Exeter School, Exeter College

**18** If adult education/evening classes were organised in the Parish, what would you be interested in attending?

Please write in *the number of responses are grouped -*

art: **3** crafts: **4** computing: **5** dance: **5** local history: **5** keepfit: **4**  
languages: **9** music: **3** pottery: **1** winetasting: **1**

**19** Are you and other members of your household ... ?

|                      |                                |                                      |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Employed: <b>259</b> | Self-employed: <b>83</b>       | Unemployed: <b>10</b>                |
| Apprentice: <b>0</b> | full-time education: <b>69</b> | Other: <b>11</b>                     |
| Retired: <b>333</b>  | Unwaged: <b>26</b>             | Permanently sick/disabled: <b>28</b> |

**20** Do you or others of your household perform voluntary work of any kind?

Regularly: **129** Occasionally: **139** Not at all: **313**

Only if you wish to, would you like to tell us something about this work?

Of the 35 responses, there was a mixture of helping local organisations, fund raising for charities and neighbourly care and support

**21** Where do any working members of your household work?

|                                          |                                    |                                     |
|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| At home: <b>56</b>                       | Within the parish: <b>30</b>       | Within 10 miles of home: <b>164</b> |
| Within 11 - 30 miles of home: <b>108</b> | Over 30 miles from home: <b>61</b> |                                     |

other: **9**, including Taunton/London, throughout Devon, and mobile 40 miles extent

**22** How do members of your household get to work/study?

|                     |                    |                  |                       |
|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| car/van: <b>288</b> | bus: <b>85</b>     | train: <b>14</b> | motorcycle: <b>12</b> |
| bike: <b>14</b>     | on foot: <b>47</b> | other: <b>6</b>  |                       |

**23** Would you like to see more jobs available within the Parish?

Yes: **267** no: **62** don't know: **177**

**24** Would you like to see a limited amount of business development (e.g. small-scale light workshops or work units with accommodation)?

Yes: **221** no: **160** don't know: **158**

# Environment

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| <b>25</b> | How often do you use the public footpaths and/or bridleways? |
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more than once a week: **291**      once a week: **57**      2 or 3 times a month: **78**  
once a month: **46**      2 or 3 times a year: **76**      never: **54**

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| <b>26</b> | Is the network of footpaths and bridleways and other routes for walking in the Parish generally suitable? |
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Yes: **434**      no: **65**      don't know/not applicable: **80**

If not, why not?

Rural footpaths sometimes overgrown/deep mud/dog fouled. Stiles not liked, gates too narrow for prams/bikes. Footways alongside roads non-existent at dangerous places, too narrow or obstructed by hedges, not safe for children.

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| <b>27</b> | Would you be prepared to help with any of the following as part of a Parish Improvement scheme? |
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trim hedges: **52**      clear ditches: **46**      pick up litter: **114**  
other: **15**, including tree planting, knotweed and Himalayan balsam removal

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| <b>28</b> | With the environment in mind, what specific ideas would you suggest might benefit the future of the Parish? |
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Please write in *A large range of good ideas:-*

Restrict the speed of traffic; a 20mph limit throughout the villages  
better cycling routes; better footways, particularly Harpford/River Bridge  
better maintenance hedges/ditches, mowing of grass areas  
recycle collections for cardboard and garden waste  
more dog dirt and litter bins  
more efficient street lights; encourage local green energy generation  
better care for trees, wildlife and green spaces  
better control of noise and nuisance

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Health

29	Do you have difficulty getting to any medical facilities?
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Yes: **72** no: **510** don't know: **5**

If yes, please specify

The majority of the responses were about the difficulty of getting to Ottery for doctors' surgery or hospital, particularly for non-drivers. There was also mention of difficulty in getting the doctor to make a home visit.

30	Would you like to see better medical provision within the Parish?
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Yes: **218** no: **152** don't know: **156**

If yes, please specify

The majority of the responses were about improvements to the village surgery in Newton Poppleford - daily surgeries, practice nurse in attendance, ability to take blood tests etc, appointments on the day, dispensary.
There were also suggestions that Sidmouth Doctors/Hospital were more accessible by public transport

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# Housing

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| <b>31</b> | Is any member of your household in need of alternative accommodation now or within the next 5 years? |
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Yes: **74**

no: **398**

don't know: **71**

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| <b>32</b> | If yes, what type of the following accommodation is required? |
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Starter home to buy: **40**

Starter home to rent: **20**

Family home to buy: **11**

Family home to rent: **7**

Adapted for disability: **6**

Sheltered housing: **16**

Residential care: **10**

Shared equity property: **3**

Other (Abbeyfield): **1**

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| <b>33</b> | There are currently approximately 990 dwellings within the parish, the bulk of which are in Newton Poppleford. How much residential development do you think should take place over the next 10 years? |
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0% - 5%, i.e up to 50 dwellings: **380**

6% - 10%, i.e up to 100 dwellings: **66**

11% - 15%, i.e up to 150 dwellings: **23**

15% - 20%, i.e up to 200 dwellings: **14**

over 20%, i.e over 200 dwellings: **3**

Do you think developments should be conditional on enhanced infrastructure (school, shops, village amenities)? If so, what?

Enlarged/improved school, medical facilities, retained Post Office and better shops. Enhanced recreational facilities, Community Hall

Control/solution of traffic problems; speed limits, pinch points, diversion of through traffic, pedestrian crossings.

Housing should be restricted to local need/starter homes for local people/jobs

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Traffic and Transport

34 Do you have to rely on public transport?

Yes: **111** no: **503**

35 How do you rate the bus services generally in the Parish?

Good: **303** reasonable: **138** poor: **44** no opinion/don't use: **116**

If poor, please note any specific problems

No buses to Venn Ottery. Poor to get to Ottery St Mary/doctors. Expensive
some concern of old buses/breakdowns/timetables

36 Do you think speeding traffic is a problem in the village?

Yes: **402** No: **143** don't know: **53**

37 Do you think there are any 'danger spots' on the roads in the Parish?

Yes: **407** no: **67** don't know: **84**

If yes, where are they? *This prompted the largest number of written-in responses*

Higher Way/Lower Way Harpford junctions with main road.

Around the River Otter Bridge.

Junctions onto main road at School Lane, Burrow and Burrow Lane (west).

Lack of footways by river bridge, Southern Cross/tollhouse and by bus-stops.

Pedestrian crossing by shop. Parked cars by shop, entrance to the Meadow.

Bends at the bottom of Four Elms Hill, Exeter Road west of mini roundabout
and the lanes in Harpford and around Venn Ottery.

Mini roundabout and junction with Venn Ottery Lane

problems with the junctions onto the A3052 exacerbated by speeding traffic.

38 Would you like to see any traffic calming measures introduced?

Yes: **302** no: **196** don't know: **83**

If yes, please specify.

A majority in favour of 20mph speed limit as Sidford, with some suggesting
speed warning flashers or speed enforcement cameras/ police patrols.

Speed bumps promoted a mixed response: some in favour, some definitely
against. Central islands and road narrowing at intervals along main road, with
more pedestrian crossings (no lights). Traffic lights instead of mini roundabout.
30mph speed limit on all single-track lanes.

Improve visibility of pelican crossing lights, especially from Sidmouth direction
and enforce.

39	Do you think there is a problem with the volume of traffic, especially heavy goods vehicles, through the Parish?
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Yes: **384** no: **129** don't know: **70**

Would you like to see a traffic management scheme, by-pass, or weight limit.

A number would like to see a by-pass.

Failing this, suggestion of better signing off M5 to encourage heavies onto A30, or a weight limit. For the lanes, a ban on heavies or a size/weight limit - also a problem on the Bowd/Tipton/Ottery route

40	Do you think there is safe and adequate provision for cyclists in the Parish?
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Yes: **92** no: **242** don't know: **244**

If no, how would you like to see provision for cyclists improved?

Cycle lane/track right through village, including Otter Bridge

Separate cycle routes for Exeter Hill and Four Elms Hill - virtually impossible for cyclists. Better routes to School. Educate drivers/traffic calming

Outside village connections - to Sidmouth and use of old railway track Ottery to Budleigh.

41	Do you think there is safe and adequate provision for pedestrians?
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Yes: **183** no: **314** don't know: **78**

If no, how would you like to see provision for pedestrians improved?

Strong support for a footbridge over the River Otter.

desire for continuous footway alongside main road, especially by tollhouse.

maintenance/cutting back of hedges, awareness markings.

42	Are parking facilities in the Parish ... ?
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Good: **113** reasonable: **333** poor: **105** no opinion: **46**

43	Would you like to see further parking controls/restrictions in the Parish?
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Yes: **105** no: **357** don't know: **103**

If yes, please specify what and where.

Some would like to see better parking at the shop: others would like double yellow lines for whole area, extending to adjacent road junctions.

Better enforcement re illegal parking/school gates/parking on footways

Restrict School Lane car park to local permit-holders/ enforce 23-hour rule.

Various

44	Is the street lighting in the Parish suitable for the areas that are lit?
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Yes: **495** no: **36** don't know: **72**

If no, please specify.

Back Lane, from Playing Field to Lark Rise footpath.

Not good in car park and around Church Hall.

Harpford - nothing beyond parish church towards Tipton.

Fewer lights should be on after (say) 1.00am.

45	Do you have any concerns about Crime and Safety issues within the Parish?
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Yes: **84** no: **417** don't know: **72**

If yes, please specify.

Burglary of isolated properties.

Petty vandalism and lunatic acts like horse slashing.

Sporadic arson and use of drugs.

Travellers in the Green Lane at Venn Ottery.

Lack of regular, visible police presence, and better communication/reporting from police.

46	What do you particularly like about living in the Parish?
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A large number of feel-good written-in responses:

Beautiful part of East Devon (AONB) with good community and friendly people.
Community amenities and activities - pub, food outlets, neighbours, good school, clubs & associations, welcoming church

Access to city/town and further afield. (M5, A30, airport and transport links)

Easy access to country, river, coast, woodland, commons and hill walks.

47	Is there anything you don't like about living in the Parish?
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Many responses repeated traffic problems, as detailed earlier. Others were:-

Irresponsible dog owners/dog poo. Rubbish dumping in streams.

The appearance of Pearce's Yard (by the bridge). Himalayan Balsam.

Agricultural smells and noise. Numbers of rabbits. Persistent bonfires.

Outsiders coming here and wanting to change things.

Infrequent grass cutting in cemetery. Poor coping with ice/snow.

Very poor public transport in Venn Ottery.

48	Any further comments or suggestions?
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A by-pass would be very beneficial.

Better maintenance of footpaths / cutting of roadside hedges

A couple of new seats at the Pavilion side of the Playing Field.

Kerbside cardboard recycling. Grit box in Meadow Drive. Dog bin in Back Lane.

Limits on night flying to/from Exeter Airport.

Limits on development to protect amenities and school from overload.

Motivation of more volunteers to help with all the good things which are going on.

Ensure the findings are fed back to people in the parish.

And a strong feeling from Venn Ottery:

Venn Ottery has much greater affinity with Tipton St John than Newton

Poppleford. Reorganisation of parish boundaries could create a new parish of

Tipton & Venn Ottery.

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## Additional Section for under-18s

This section is for any under-18s to have a say on issues that haven't already been mentioned above and that specifically relate to young people.

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| <b>49</b> | What other OUTDOOR activities would you like to take part in if the facilities were available? |
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10 wanted cycling facilities, on road or cross country.

8 wished for a swimming pool

8 wanted a skateboard/rollerblade park

7 wished for BMX facilities

6 wanted young person's tennis

5 wanted under 10's football

4 voted for archery, 4 wanted a nature/woodland trail and another 4 wanted netball

A wide mix of other activities were listed by 2 or 3 under 18s:-

athletics, basketball, camping/survival, car boot sales/fetes, circus skills, climbing wall, crazy golf, cricket, fishing, Guides, gymnastics, horse riding, kayak, kickboxing/street dance, rugby, slides and zip wire, trampolining, volleyball.

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| <b>50</b> | Are there any other INDOOR facilities you would like to see for young people, e.g. chess group, art/creative group etc |
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21 would like art/creative classes

6 wanted a dance club

6 looked for acting/drama

4 wanted singing classes, 4 wished for indoor swimming, 4 wished for a keep fit/healthy living club, and another 4 wanted a chess club.

There was a wide mix of other activities listed by 2 or 3:-

Book club, cake/cookery class, cubs/scouts/guides, darts, discos, martial arts, model railway, music, pottery, sewing, squash, a teenagers meeting place, a toddlers soft play area.

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| <b>51</b> | Is there anything else that hasn't been mentioned that you think is essential for young people in the Parish? |
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A wide range of responses, some repeating similar wishes to the activity responses above, but some key common factors are stated:-

- Easier access to Sidmouth, Ottery and the villages round about, with better and much cheaper public transport.
- Safe cycle routes, paths and cycle lanes, through the village and connecting to further afield.
- Youth club and somewhere to go evenings and weekends, with soft drinks/music.
- Café with indoor play area for youngsters / shelter near playground for older ones
- Somewhere to meet and hang out.
- More activities for young people, including those over 16.
- Young representative on the Parish Council

## Supplementary Questions for Potential Volunteers

There are many things in the parish that either need attention or would benefit people living or working here. Maybe you could give a little of your time to help improve matters? Take a look at the issues listed below and specify which ones are of interest to you.

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>WILLING TO HELP</b>                       |                                  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Parish clean-up day(s)</b> e.g.:<br>- Clearing litter from hedgerows<br>- Tidying the village green or playing field.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>55</b>                                    |                                  |
| <b>Environmental improvement</b> e.g.<br>- Clearing Himalayan balsam from rivers and streams<br>- Tree planting - Maintaining the footpaths                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>53</b>                                    |                                  |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>YES -<br/>WILLING<br/>TO HELP</b>         | <b>MIGHT<br/>WISH TO<br/>USE</b> |
| <b>'Good neighbour' scheme</b> e.g.<br>- Doing odd jobs for others<br>- Helping with shopping                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>40</b>                                    | <b>3</b>                         |
| <b>Voluntary driving</b> , e.g. for the Ottery Help Scheme                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>12</b>                                    | <b>1</b>                         |
| <b>Organising sports or social activities</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>14</b>                                    | <b>1</b>                         |
| <b>Running/helping/teaching classes</b> for local people, e.g.<br>- General<br>- Computer literacy and use of the Internet<br>- Ballroom dancing<br>- Art/craft classes<br>Other subjects? Please list your ideas/suggestions:<br>Table-tennis<br>Healthy eating classes<br>Book club<br>Family history<br>Singing/chorus or Windband<br>Creative writing<br>Sugar flowers<br>Dance & Movement<br>Literacy<br>Drama | <b>5</b><br><b>7</b><br><b>4</b><br><b>3</b> | <b>2</b><br><b>2</b><br><b>6</b> |
| <b>One-to-one tuition or handholding for users of the Internet</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>14</b>                                    | <b>3</b>                         |

If you would like to suggest other areas for volunteer activities please list them here:

Happy to strim balsam when time permits  
 Evening for running classes  
 Willing to be approached to help with above things although would be new to all this!  
 'As time permits'  
 Art/Fibre craft relating to sheep's fibres & our landscape  
 Croquet club  
 Adult literacy, piano