



Stottesdon Parish Plan

COMMENTS FROM ROADSHOWS

GLAD COMMENTS

Glad about Countryside and Views (19)

Stottesdon is a lovely area
Nice views – piece and quiet
Our wonderful views
Village in country
Peace and quiet
Living in area of natural beauty
Wonderful views of Shropshire hills
Wonderful views – please respect them
Space and views
Lovely views
Peace and quiet
Relatively unchanged
Find somewhere better
Nice scenery
Knowle Hill
Litter-free surrounding
Local character of parish
Lovely village – very attractive
Lovely rural village

Glad about Community Spirit (16)

Good community spirit
Good Chorley community
Nice people
Great community spirit – good Chorley people
Caring and sharing neighbours
Wonderful community spirit – good pub in Chorley
Good place to live in Chorley
Glad everyone is friendly
Close co-operation of residents
Good community spirit – lots going on in Chorley for all ages
Good community spirit – not present elsewhere
The people who live here
Lovely community spirit
Friendly people

Wonderful spirit of village life and friends
People keeping village nice and tidy

Glad about Playing Fields (8)

Playground
There are rest areas
Chance to play on pitch and equipment
Play after time on pitch
Place to play football
Playing field and facilities
School pitch for meeting and good apparatus
Play in field in summer

Glad about Pubs (7)

Good pub – Chorley
Village pubs – good for socialising
Good pub
Pub
Good pub in Chorley
Brilliant friendly pub
Good food in pub

Glad about Church and Chapel (6)

Sunday school – Jubilee Ministry
Kids church
Upgraded car park at chapel
Evening church meetings
Historic beautiful church
Glad to have chapel

Glad about Village Hall (5)

Glad to have village hall
Glad to have village hall – good for events
Village hall nucleus for activities
Glad to have village hall
Use of village hall – brings community together

Glad about Improvements (5)

Footpaths when open
Good improvements to Bull Ring
Good improvements to village
No new large housing developments
Daffodils should be planted

Glad about Community Activities (5)

Annual firework display – community and charity
Village supporting fireworks and charities
All community activities – show, open gardens, Flicks, pub, social events
Flicks is great
Open gardens

Glad about no Street Lighting (4)

No street lights
No light pollution
No street lighting
No street lights

Glad about School (3)

Friends at school and teachers
Local school
Friends at school

Glad about Doctor's Surgery (2)

Doctor's surgery
Good to have doctor's surgery

Miscellaneous Glad Comments

Ginny Hole and activities
Heath Farm and Detton Hall meats
No vandalism
Bus route

SAD COMMENTS

Sad about Play and Sports Facilities (24)

No play area for Chorley
No rugby pitch
No tennis courts or rugby pitch
More places to play sports in Chorley
Meeting area outdoors for children to play
Chorley needs somewhere for children to play
Nowhere to ride horses
Outdoor play area in Chorley
Nowhere to jump horses
Somewhere to play cricket in Chorley
No rugby pitch
No swimming facilities
Glebe Drive grass area could be play area
Swing in play area in Stottesdon
Loss of bowling green
Designated play area for kids in Chorley
Children's play area
Need new goal posts
New swing in play area
Somewhere to play sports
No rugby pitch
Play area for toddlers
Play area at Chorley
Young play area for toddlers

Sad about Local Shops and Facilities (16)

No local shop
A shop
No corner shop
No shops
No shop in Stottesdon
No shop
No shop or post office
Post office
No village shop
No shop to meet people
No shop
Shortage of local vegetable produce
No shop
No newspaper delivery
Nowhere to get groceries
No place for a cup of tea

Sad about Community Spirit (12)

More community spirit needed
No lunch club for pensioners
Not many events going on
No keep fit class or yoga
Community vegetable patch would be good
No gardening club
Not enough people attend meetings
A garden club would be good
Welcome newsletter to newcomers needed
No Christmas meal for senior citizens
Local apathy to any initiatives
Community allotment area needed

Sad about Roads and Footpaths (11)

Poor state of roads
Lack of dog stiles
Lack of bridle paths
Poor maintenance of footpaths
Muddy paths in woods
Paths are not signposted
Lack of kissing gates
More bridle paths needed
Ensure rights of way are not blocked
More bridle paths and footpaths open
Bragginsly Wood fenced from track

Sad about Village Hall (11)

No village hall in Stottesdon
No community centre
No village hall in Stottesdon
Village hall not utilised more
Chorley village hall underused

Village hall for activities
No venue for activities in Stottesdon
Need village hall in Stottesdon
No village hall in Stottesdon
No village hall
A garden by Chorley village hall

Sad about Youth Activities (10)

No youth group
No off road facilities for children
More needed for children to do
A central amenity for children in Chorley
More after school clubs
No place for teenagers
Dance and singing classes for children
More community involvement for children
No youth facilities
Lack of meeting place for teenagers

Sad about Rubbish and Recycling (8)

People drop litter
Stream is polluted in Chorley
Litter is bad
Green composting would be good
Lack of recycling boxes
Kerbside collection for recycling
Not enough recycling banks
More recycle bins

Sad about Image (7)

No floral welcome to village
Need a village green
Village green with goal posts
No daffodils in Chorley
Village is too dour
Village green
Flowers needed around enhancement scheme

Sad about School (7)

No benches on playing field
Zebra crossing near school
Dogs on school field
Dogs on playground
Dog mess in school
Campaigning for another teacher
Friends leaving school

Sad about Housing (6)

No affordable housing for young people
No affordable housing for first-time buyers
Lack of affordable housing

No affordable housing for local people
More affordable housing needed for local young people
Housing only available to buy

Sad about Local Employment (3)

No local work for young people
Need high value jobs for local people
Need high technology facility for local work

Sad about Buses (3)

Poor bus services
Need more frequent buses
Lack of regular buses

Sad about Rural Decline (2)

Rural decline in farming
Town perception of countryside

Miscellaneous Sad Comments

Parish council not representative
Need more effective doctor's surgery
Darts nights in Duck Inn
Solar power as community project
No choice of pubs
Computer training course
Internet access

MAD COMMENTS

Mad about Rubbish and Recycling (15)

Too little recycling
Rubbish thrown out of cars
Not many recycling facilities
More recycling
Need more recycling bins
No Chorley skip
Rubbish in Chorley Wood
Dumping of rubbish in Chorley Wood
Garden rubbish tipped in woods by caravans
Dumping in Chorley Wood
Garden rubbish tipped near caravan site
Huge pile of garden rubbish in woods
Chorley Woods are a real mess
Garden rubbish dumped near caravan site
People leaving rubbish

Mad about Roads (15)

Bad gravel road in Bakehouse Lane
Poor state of roads
Potholes in roads

Poor road surface on Burnt Pitt bank
Poor state of roads
Poor quality of road repairs
Too many white lines on Prescott Road
Road works should be strategic
State of Bakehouse Lane
Condition of Bagginswood Road
Lack of gritting
Muck over payments
Grit boxes in passing places
Chickens in road
Farm debris on road

Mad about Dogs (9)

Dog mess on pavements
Dog mess
People who don't train dogs
Dog mess
No dog dirt boxes
Dog mess
Noisy dogs
No control of local dogs
Too many loose dogs

Mad about Fast Traffic (9)

Speed of vehicles through village
Cars drive too fast through village
Cars go too fast
Speed of cars in village
Farm vehicles travelling too fast
Lack of speed restrictions
Speeding drivers
Traffic going too fast through village
Speeding through the village

Mad about Local Facilities (9)

No daily bus
Nothing for children to do
Local people not supporting local services
Pub closing early
Need street lights
People moving into village and not using local services
No events for children
Lack of parking facilities in Stottesdon
No natural gas in area

Mad about Footpaths (8)

Overhanging bushes on footpaths
Damage to paths by vehicles
Footpath in Bakehouse Lane is impassable
Footpaths are dreadful

Footpaths are in dreadful condition
Blocked footpaths
Dog mess on footpaths
Blocked footpaths

Mad about Play and Sport Facilities (8)

Nowhere to play in Stottesdon during school hours
Children have nowhere to play
Molehills on pitch
No goal posts at school
Chorley's children have nowhere to play
No swimming pool
No rugby pitch
No swings

Mad about Image (6)

Street lighting at Kinsleys out of character
Grubbing up hedgerows to create prairies
No village green
Tidy up bridge at Hardwick Bridge
Lack of signposts and house names
Too many trees get cut down in Chorley Woods

Mad about Shops (5)

No shop and post office
No shops or other facilities
No toyshops
No shop
Need a shop

Mad about School (4)

Dog mess at school
Dogs fouling at school
School garden untidy
Sport lessons

Mad about Housing (3)

Lack of affordable housing for young people
House prices beyond local peoples ability to pay
Lack of houses for first time buyers

Miscellaneous Mad Comments

Wasted money on enhancement
Parish council powerless to stop unsuitable developments
Intolerance of new villagers to farming practices
Fireworks
Intolerance towards farmers
Dudley/Worcestershire postal address

COMMENTS FROM THE MODEL VILLAGE

Stottesdon

Area for events
Community minibus
Flowering shrubs
Nature reserve
Woodland walk
Litterbins
Community composting scheme
Picnic area
Lack of transport to get to work
All hours corner shop
Clean up
More trees and treeplanting
No smoking
Not enough horse trails
Wildflower meadow
Mountain bike trail
Quad and motorcross track
Tennis court
Seats with backs
Childcare needed
Fishing
Dog walking area
Camping site
Site for mobile shop
Outdoor fitness trail
Poop scoop bins
6 to 12 year olds adventure play area
Local information point on job vacancies
Day centre for elderly
Horse jumping
Vandal-proof furniture
Viewpoint at Harcourt
Road resurfacing at Walton
School pitch
Fishing pool
Allotments needed
No dog mess
No goalposts at play area
Badminton, cricket and football pitch
Floodlighting
Guidance and support for those starting work
Clean up Stottesdon
Disabled access
Keep fit class
No dogs
Dog free zone
Bins
Keep the school

Benches
Show jumping course
Sports complex
Astroturf
Only one pub
Play area for under five year olds

Chorley

Footpaths through Chorley Wood should be signed and better surfaced
Nowhere for kids to play
Clear bridle paths
Chorley Woods are a disgrace
Nature trail
Crèche at work place
Village green
Community use of fax, photocopier and computer
Flower beds
Supervised playgroup
Broadband for Chorley
Community vegetable garden
Gym and fitness incorporated into village hall
Youth theatre
Recycling facilities
More places to play sports
Tracks not kept clear of mud

Sidbury

Dog walking area
Football and basketball

Stanley

Car sharing scheme

Highlands

Post box