



COLLINGHAM VILLAGE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Village Survey - September 2012

This survey has been developed by the Collingham Village Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group in order to canvass the opinions of the residents of Collingham as part of the process of developing the Neighbourhood Plan. We have made it easy to return the completed survey by providing a number of options as directed at the end of the questionnaire.

It would also help use greatly if you are able to complete the survey on line rather than paper copy.

Please complete each question as fully as possible and feel free to add comments where necessary.

Thank you for your time and assistance in drafting our Neighbourhood Plan.

Q1. What do you like most about Collingham?

Q2. What do you dislike most about Collingham?

Q3. What would be your highest priority for development of the village over the next 15 years?

**Q4. In developing the Neighbourhood Plan the Steering Group developed a number of Guiding Principles.
For each please tick 1 to 4, where 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3= Agree and 4=Strongly Agree.**

	1	2	3	4
a. To identify, protect, maintain and improve the characteristic village features of Collingham.				
b. To protect and develop footpaths, bridleways and cycle-ways throughout Collingham and the neighbouring parishes.				
c. To ensure that traffic passing through the village is controlled in order to reduce the risk to pedestrians and cyclists, and to minimise disturbance through noise, vibration and pollution.				
d. To promote and encourage local services and voluntary groups to support the community's health, social and cultural well-being of all. To retain a viable and vibrant village centre.				

**Q5. Collingham has some listed buildings, the centre has conservation area status and our sports fields are protected.
The Steering Group has identified some other areas to be Protected.
For each please tick 1 to 4, 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3= Agree and 4=Strongly Agree.**

I believe the following should be protected	1	2	3	4
a. The Memorial Hall				
b. Wooded hillsides and ridge lines and open country views				
c. Designated "Green Space" land such as Glebe Field and prominent grass verges				
d. Woodland to edge of River Wharfe				
e. Mature/specimen trees throughout the designated area				

Please add any additional comments

**Q6. Part of the work of the Steering Group has been to identify Areas for Improvement.
For each please tick 1 to 4, 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3= Agree and 4=Strongly Agree.**

I believe the following would improve Collingham	1	2	3	4
a. Improvements to pedestrian safety – speed warning signs etc				
b. Additional pedestrian crossing on the A58				
c. Junction improvements at Wattle Syke				
d. Additional parking				
e. Reducing the width of Harewood Road to provide cycle lane				
f. Heritage quality street lighting and road signs etc in the Conservation Area				
g. Bridleway and footpath extensions to create more circular routes and links to neighbouring communities				
h. Planting new trees to supplement ageing originals				
i. A village map showing areas of local interest				
j. Further provision of bus shelters				
k. Additional areas of street lighting				
l. Improvements to the appearance of Hastings Court and Elizabeth Court				
m. More recreational facilities for children				

Please add any additional comments:

Q7. Education provision

7.1 How many children do you have in full time education? If this is not relevant please move to next question.

Age 0 – 5	Age 5 – 7	Age 7 – 11	Age 11 – 14	Age 14 – 16	Age 16 – 18	Age 18 +

7.2 Are pre-school/nursery facilities sufficient?	Yes		No		Not applicable	
7.3 Are there changes you would like to see in infant/junior school provision?	Yes		No		Not applicable	
7.4 Are there any changes you would like to see in secondary school provision?	Yes		No		Not applicable	
7.5 Are the school transport arrangements adequate?	Yes		No		Not applicable	
7.6 Have you experienced a problem in obtaining a school place?	Yes		No		Not applicable	
Please provide further comments						

Q8. Please advise whether you agree with the following comments in relation to local services?

For each please tick 1 to 4, 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3= Agree and 4=Strongly Agree.

	1	2	3	4
a. The Police service is sufficient to make me feel safe and secure				
b. Health Service provision is sufficient				
c. Dental Service provision is sufficient				
d. Social Services provision is sufficient				
e. Public transport is sufficient				
f. Road repairs and maintenance are satisfactory				
g. Grass verge maintenance is satisfactory				
h. Street cleaning is satisfactory				
i. Broadband Service is satisfactory				
j. Disabled access is sufficient.				
Comments:				

Q9. Do you or your family members take part in clubs, societies or leisure facilities in the village?	Yes	No
Q10. What other leisure facilities, clubs or societies would you like to see in the village?		

Q11. It is important to understand the potential housing requirements of current Collingham residents.

11.1 Please indicate your current house type:

	No of bedrooms	Owned	Rented
Detached			
Semi Detached			
Terraced			
Bungalow			
Other (please state)			

11.2 If you or members of your family were to move within Collingham, what type of property would you be seeking?

Smaller	
Same size	
Bigger	
Single storey	
Sheltered or similar	

11.3 If you or members of your family were to move within Collingham would the following influence your decision?

	Yes	No
a. Walking distance to the village centre		
b. Walking distance to the school		
c. Walking distance to a bus stop		
d. Access to country walks		
e. Access to main roads		
f. Being able to walk into Wetherby		
g. The property is newly built		
h. The property is existing		

Q12. What do you think of the following statements with regard to the need for property in Collingham over the next 15 years?

For each please tick 1 to 4, 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3= Agree and 4=Strongly Agree.

	1	2	3	4
a. There is a need for 1 and 2 bed properties.				
b. There is a need for bungalows.				
c. There is a need for 3 / 4 bedroom family homes.				
d. There is a need for 5 / 6 bedroom family homes.				
e. There is a need for more rented property.				
f. There is a need for alternatively purchased property for example housing association.				
g. There is a need for property covenanted for the over 55s.				
h. There is a need for sheltered housing and or residential care home.				
i. New property should include homes set aside for existing Collingham residents.				
j. There is no need for any housing development in Collingham				

Q13. Communications with residents and stakeholders. The following methods of communication have been used. Do you agree they have been useful and sufficient.

For each please tick 1 to 4, where 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3= Agree and 4=Strongly Agree.

	1	2	3	4
Village Notice Board				
Articles in the parish Magazine				
The website (www.thisisls22.com)				
The Facebook site (www.facebook.com/Collingham Plan/) .				
Comments / suggestions				

Q14. Please provide the following information for statistical purposes.

Post code	
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Q15. Please provide a count of the number of residents within each of the following age bands:

0 – 4	5 – 9	10 – 14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39
40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75 and over

The Information derived from this survey will only be used for the purpose of informing the Neighbourhood Plan. Individual responses will not be shared with any agency or organisation whatsoever. Conclusions and individual comments may be included in the Neighbourhood Plan or in Public Consultations. If so they will be entirely anonymous.

Thank you for your time and effort in completing this survey. If you would like to know more then why not come along to our open day at the Memorial Hall 22nd of September 12.30 until 16.30 where representatives of the Neighbourhood Planning committee will be available to answer your questions

Please return the completed survey to:the collection box in the Post Office, the collection box in the reception of Lady Elizabeth Hastings School (if you are a parent) or one of the committee members or volunteers listed below:

Collection Box	Post Office
Collection Box	Primary School Reception, parents of children only please.
John Groves	8 Garth Avenue
Julian Holmes	The Dell Upper Langwith
Andrew Jackson	1, Bluecoat Court
Michael Hodges	7, South View
Ken Campbell	Langwith House, Lower Langwith
Peter Costello	Hill Brow, Harewood Road (junction with Upper langwith)