

ELTISLEY PARISH PLAN

Steering Group Meeting Tuesday, 26th September 2006

MINUTES

PRESENT: Roger Pinner (Chairman Eltisley Parish Council), Charlotte Freeman, (Vice.C. Elt P.C.) Cathie Kamper (Eltisley & Croxton W.I.), Anne Pettifor, Pat Pinner, Peter Thwaites (Neighbourhood Watch)

APOLOGIES: None received

MINUTES: Having been circulated were taken as read

MATTERS ARISING: It was agreed any matters arising would be answered during discussion on the questionnaire

QUESTIONS: We had all read the email from Gail regarding the software and how it analyses questions. It was agreed as Gail had done several questionnaires for other villages we would be advised by her. Her comments were discussed together with our aims and future plans.

The questions were discussed individually and further amendments made as follows:-

Q18 Category amended to read Church/Chapel

Q19 Delete first alternative Agree second.

Q24 Delete whole question

Q25 Delete first alternative Agree second

Q26 Add The Green to categories

Q28 Change to read:- Do you believe Eltisley needs more footaths? Eg from the School to the Crossroads.
Persons 1 to 6

Q29 Change word 'pavements' to 'footpaths'

Q35 Delete first alternative Agree second but reword question to read 'Do you think the standard of the following environmental services in Eltisley could be improved?' Add recycling to the categories between refuse collection & street lighting.

Q38 Add categories:- Friendship Club, History Society, Cricket Club, Church/Chapel Clubs

Q39 Delete 'enter code' change 'Police (Bobby)' to 'Police (Local Patrols)'

NEW QUESTION between 41 and 42 to read:- 'Would you like to see a meeting place for young people in Eltisley? Eg a Youth Shelter

Q42 Delete categories, Add Cricket, Football, Netball, Youth Club, Young People's Drama Group, Creative Arts for Children.

Q43 Amend category to read 'Six Villages Newsletter'

Q45 Delete whole question

- Q46 Change question to read 'are not sufficiently aware'
Delete 'enter codes and codes'
- Q49 Change wording to read 'Would you like to see the Church/Chapel used more widely?'
Delete 'Enter code and codes'
- Q50 Delete categories:- 'Sport for young people, Young people's drama group, Creative arts for children.
- Q51 Delete '(eg Pocket Park)
- Q52 Delete 's' from 'needs', delete categories:- Dykes, Walls, Other
- Q54 Change question to read: 'Maintenance of the Village Green and surroundings is expensive. Do you think the maintenance is adequate?'
Persons 1 – 6 Categories 'Yes' or 'No'
- Q55 Insert word 'more' between 'are' and 'dog'
- Q56 Change word 'statement' to 'following'
- Q60 Change wording at beginning to read: 'The village Institute is structurally unsafe and unusable. The cost of.....'

NEW QUESTION to read: 'If suggestions raised by the questionnaire require money for implementation, where should that money come from? Tick more than one box if appropriate.
Categories to be:- Private contributions, moderate council tax increases eg £2-£5 per annum per household, higher council tax increases eg. £10+ per annum per household, fundraising, sponsorship, other.

FINAL WORDING to go at end of questionnaire to read:
'We have tried to cover those aspects that we feel are important to you. We would welcome any further comments and opinions on your village in the space below'

A.O.B. Melanie's email was discussed and it was felt that a constitution was unduly complicated to adopt and we didn't need one as we were only a small village. RTP would compose a letter to accompany each questionnaire. We would inform the various village groups that we were nearly ready to go to print and it was their last chance for any input, although it was felt that, having been written to 3 times now, they were not really interested. Gail would be asked to write to the key stakeholders informing them of what we are doing. At the next WI meeting CK would ask for names of volunteers prepared to deliver and collect questionnaires.

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, 31st October, 7.30pm, at 45 Caxton End.