

13. General and Finally

The following answers were given to the questions asked in this section:

	Yes	No	None
Are you proud of your Parish?	286	18	43
Are you generally happy here?	314	3	30

All respondents were asked to describe their views of the main attractions of the Parish. 111 did not give their views but the remaining 236 gave 418 attractions.

The most frequently mentioned attractions were:

The pond and the green	85
Good community spirit	85
Attractive environment	74
Retail facilities	51
Peaceful	44
Hanley Castle church	18
Three Kings pub	15
St. Gabriels primary school	14

Others mentioned were:

Everything
 Public footpaths
 Recreational facilities
 Excellent local walking
 Hanley Castle conservation area
 Approaches to Parish
 Low level of crime
 Blackmore Caravan Park
 Village Hall

The 18 respondents that stated they were not proud of the Parish were asked what spoiled it for them. 17 gave 18 reasons and these were as follows:

		Other things mentioned were:		
Traffic	6	Tourists	The Swan	Unmaintained paths &
Litter, dogs and slurry odour	4	Loss of farms	Parking at the Post office	roads
Unsympathetic architecture	3			

Finally, all respondents were asked to mention one item or aspect they would like to see improved. 188 did not give an answer.

		Other improvements mentioned included:		
Traffic speed control or other traffic management	72	Road verges	More affordable housing	Demolish incinerator
The Swan	16	Litter & dog waste	Cycle paths	Broadband
Hanley Castle School	7	Noise pollution	Beat policeman	Remove Slurry smell
Street Lighting	7	Blackmore Park units	Mains gas	
Teenagers facilities	7			