

Brailsford & Ednaston

Neighbourhood Plan Report

Introduction

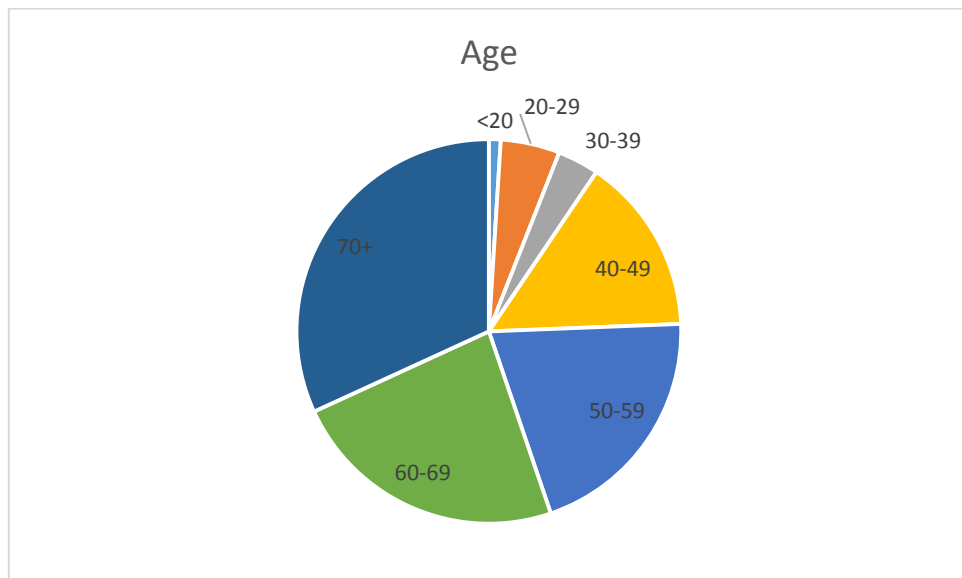
1. The survey questionnaire was distributed across the Parish and designated Neighbourhood Plan area. The reach is 474 households.
2. Responses were obtained on a household basis (1 per household). Two hundred and twenty eight (228) responses were received.
3. The survey identified demographics such as age, gender and also the number of respondents per household.

Demographics

Age of Respondents

4. The age range of respondents is illustrated below. It should be noted that 76% or respondents were aged 50+, 91% were aged 40+, with 32% over 70 and only 9.5% in the 18-40 age bracket.

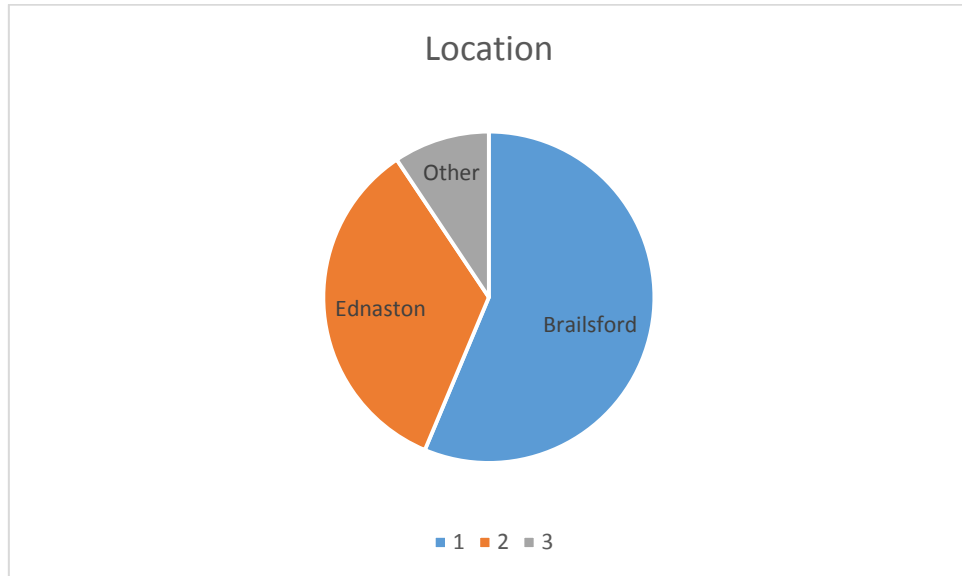
Figure 1



Location

5. The location of respondents is shown in Figure 2. Fifty six (56) of those responding lived in Brailsford Village, 34% in Ednaston and 10% in other parts of the Parish, predominantly Yeldersley Lane, Over Burrows and Culland.

Figure 2



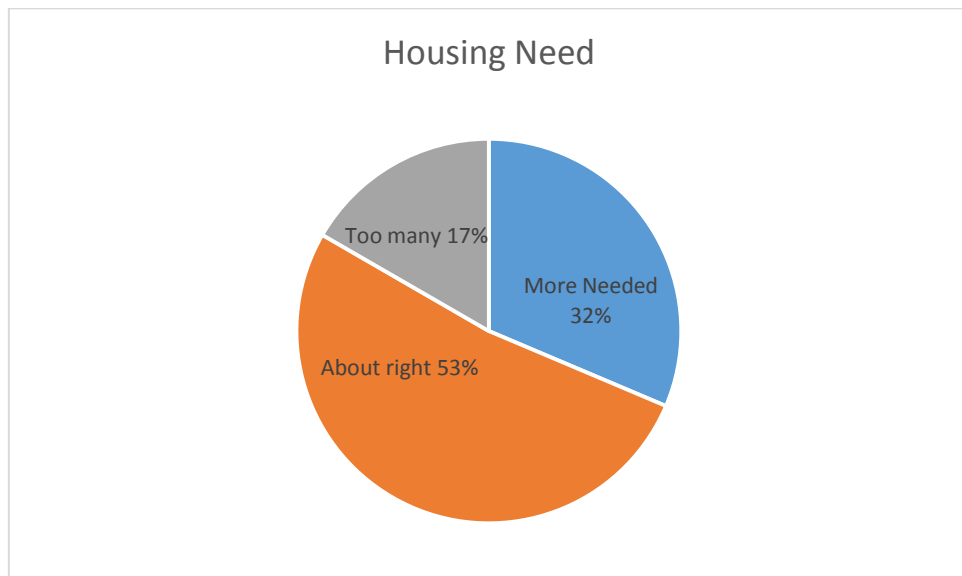
Gender

6. The respondents showed a slight majority in favour of female (51%), with a similar ratio for the households responding.

Housing

7. In response to questions about the need for new housing, the majority of respondents felt that there was adequate housing (or too much) already available in the village. However 1/3 of respondents identified a need for additional housing across a range of types.

Figure 3

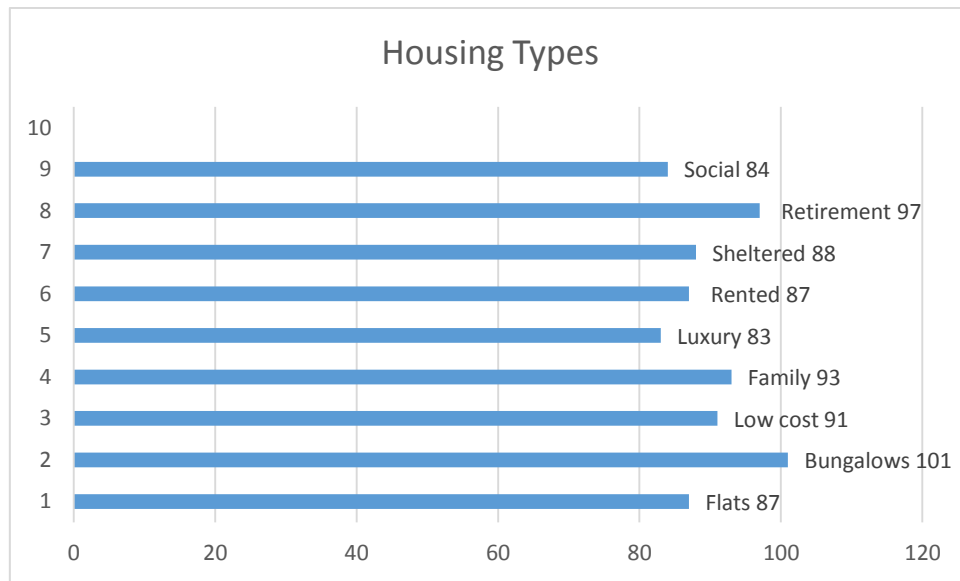


8. The type of additional housing required is shown in Figure 4. Housing types relating to retirement represented the largest return, i.e. sheltered, retirement, bungalows and

possibly flats (based on current provision representing the highest categories. However this return must be related to the age of respondents.

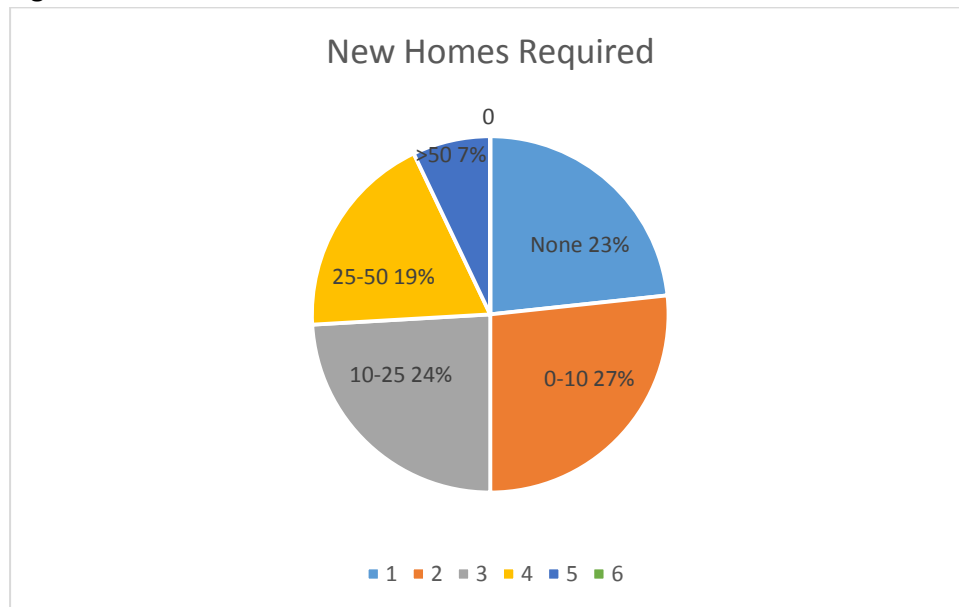
9. Additional rented accommodation, low cost and social housing also had a significant share but 41% of those responding to this question identified a need for more family housing and 36% identified luxury (4-5 bedrooms) as a need.
10. It should be noted that there was a higher proportion of respondents to this question than the number identifying a need for additional homes.

Figure 4



11. In terms of the number of new homes required, 51% of respondents identified a need for an additional 25 homes, 19% 25-50 new homes, and 7% more than 50 homes. Twenty three percent (23%) of respondents stated no further housing was required. It should be noted that the survey made clear that this requirement should be considered to be **additional** to the 50 homes planned for Luke Lane.

Figure 5

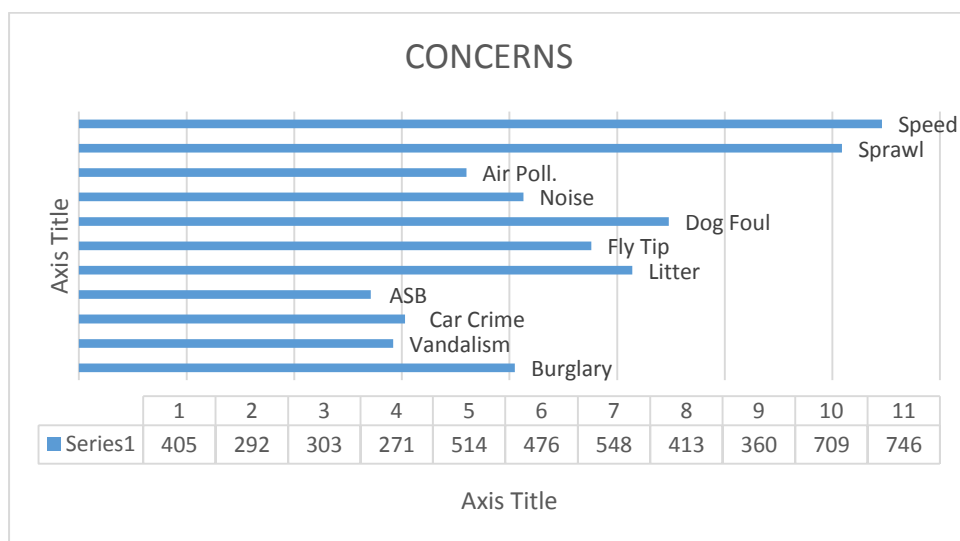


12. This section requires further interpretation/discussion because of some of the discrepancies in the numbers responding.

Key Concerns

13. The major concerns of respondents were almost universally (1) traffic and its speed; and (2) urban sprawl. The third highest category related to litter, flytipping and dog fouling, with concerns about fly tipping considerably lower. Burglary registered as the highest rating amongst the crime categories.

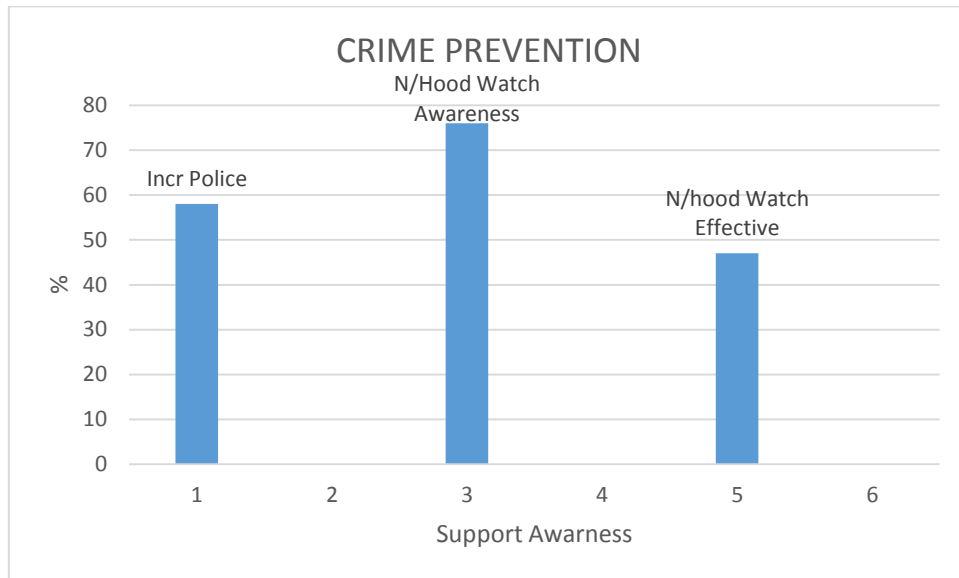
Figure 6



14. Neighbourhood Watch was recognised as a community response to crime (75% of respondents) with a significant number of respondent (45%) feeling that the current

arrangements are working well. Only 58% of respondents considered an additional police presence to be necessary or viable. This is a subject which needs to be considered further as the Co-ordinator of the Neighbourhood Watch scheme has now left the village.

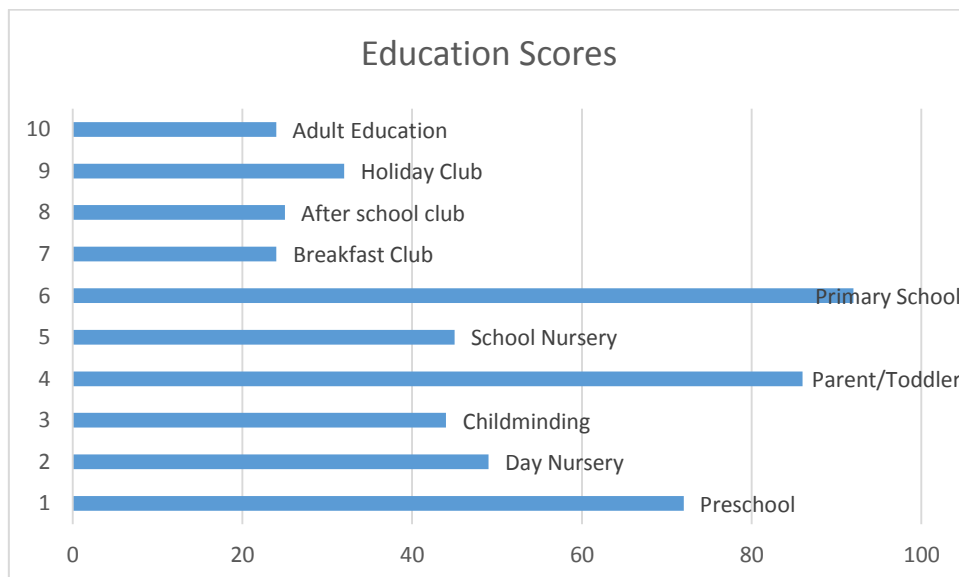
Figure 7



Education

- These results show a spread of data but it should be noted that a high number of respondents omitted to answer this question or reported it not relevant. Figure 7 reports views on the quality of provision.

Figure 7



- A requirement for access to adult education featured heavily across the questionnaire.

Village Facilities

17. Figures 8 and 9 show respondents view on the importance of current provision and the frequency of use.

Figure 8

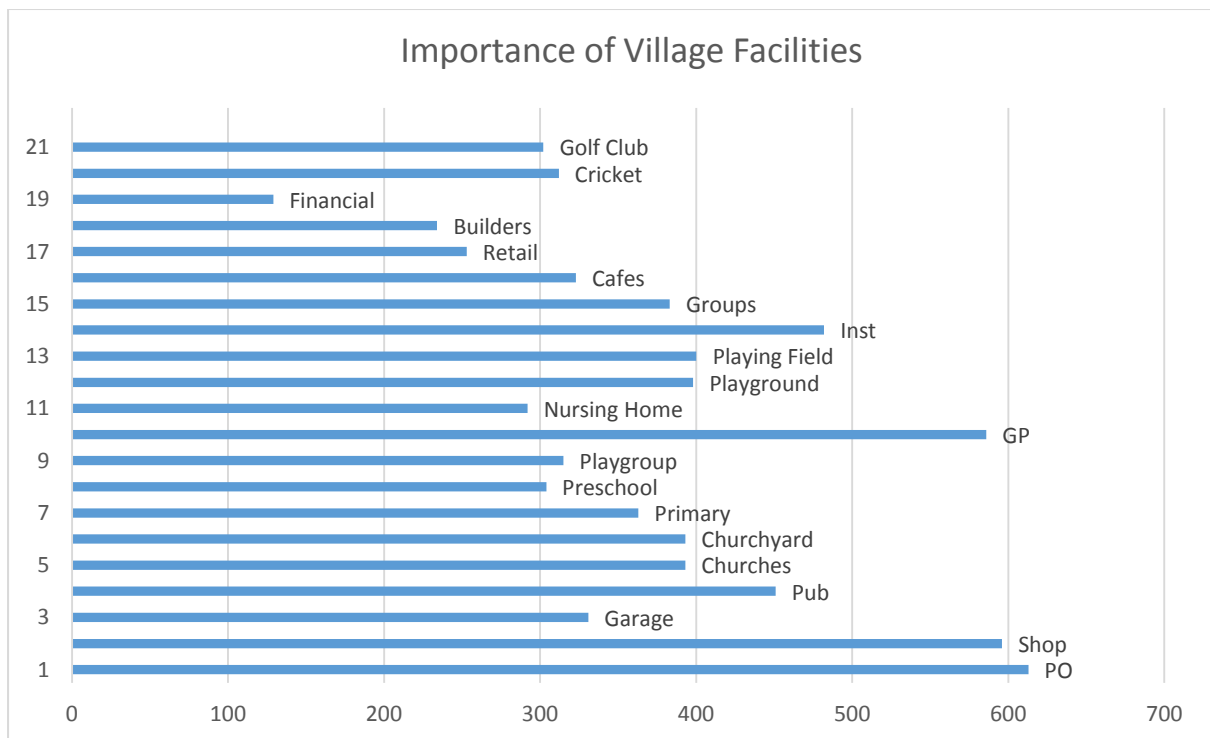
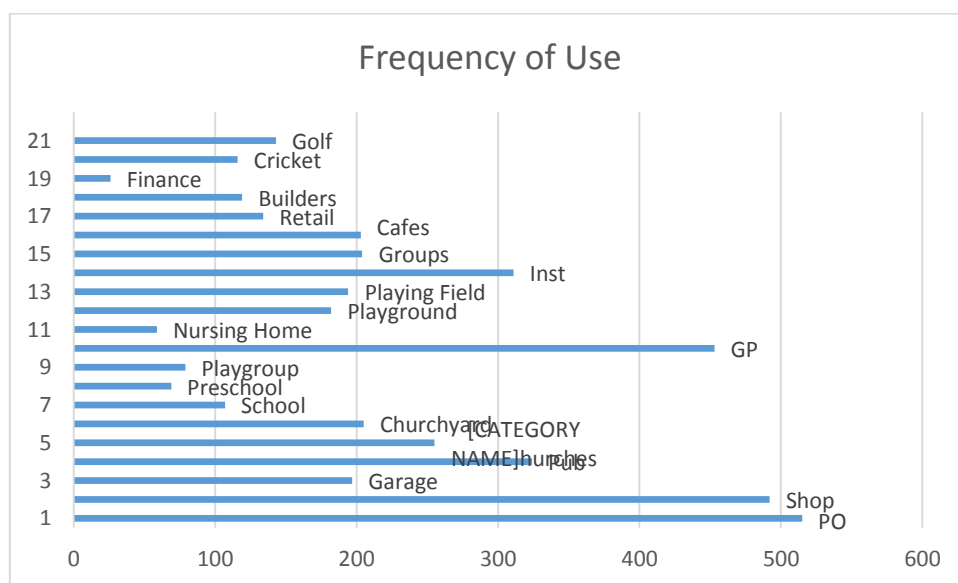


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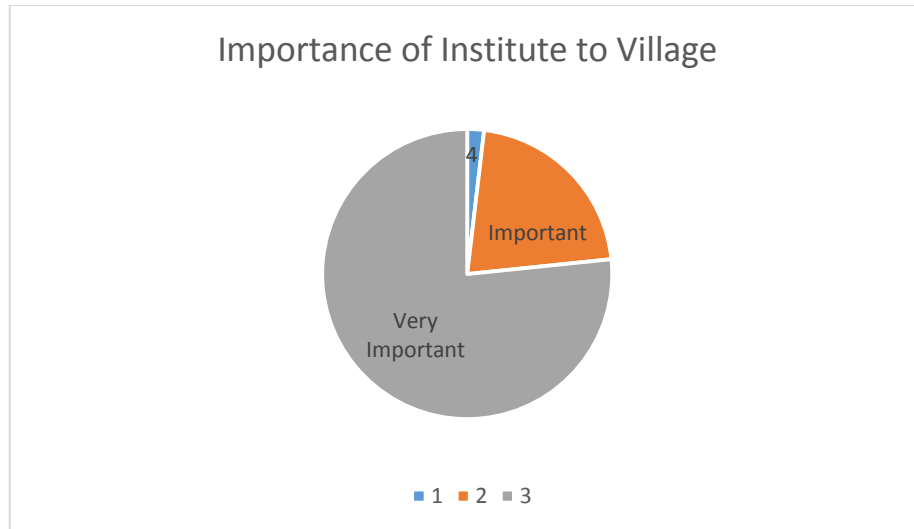


18. These results show that while respondents consider all existing village facilities to be important, those which command regular use are the PO, Shop, GP Surgery and Pub with the

Village Institute. The sports facilities while popular do not have such regular use but again this may be related to the age of respondents.

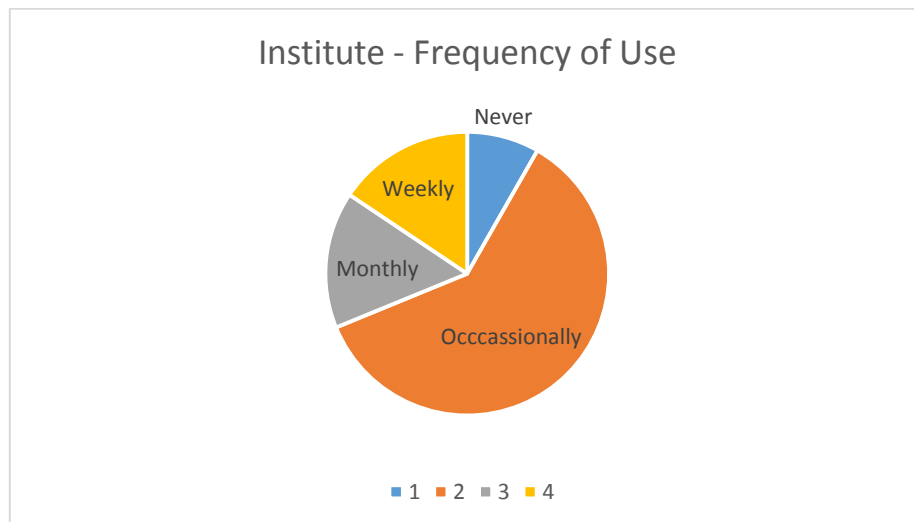
19. Figure 10 shows the specific results relating to the Village Institute.

Figure 10



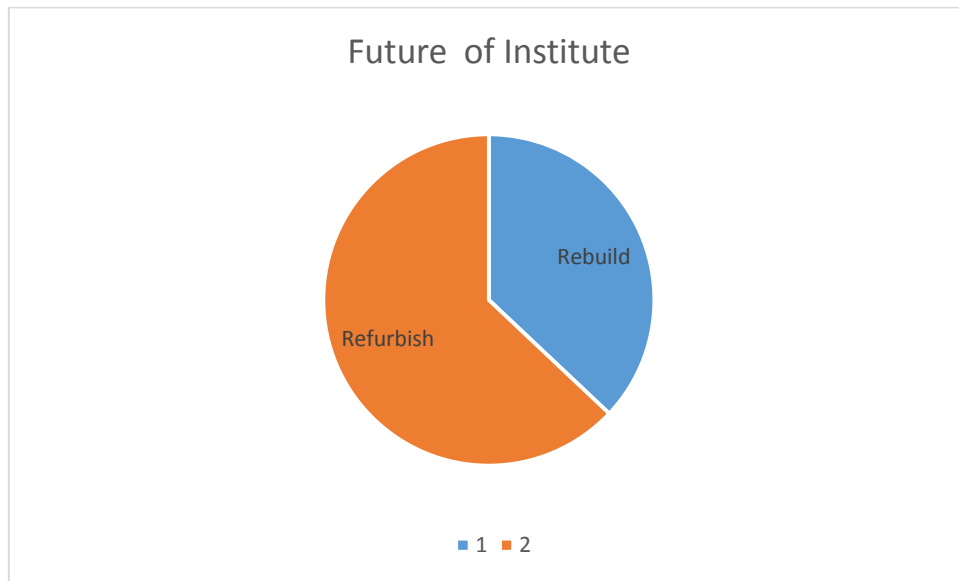
20. While Figure 10 indicates that 94% of respondents consider the Institute to be an important village facility, this does not result in regular use with most respondents (61%) reporting 'an occasional use'.

Figure 11



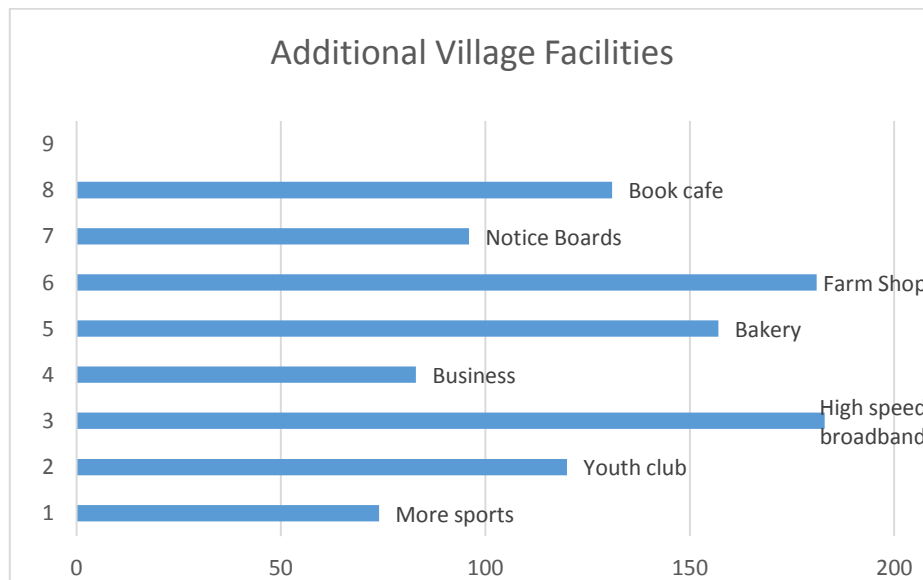
21. In terms of the future of the Institute, while a majority of respondents believe that its facilities need to be improved, 37% believe it should be rebuilt but 63% think that it should be retained and refurbished. It should be noted that only 36% of those responding completed this question.

Figure 12



- 22. The survey also provided an opportunity to identify additional facilities required by residents. Adult education, yoga and keep fit, table tennis and badminton and craft activities were the most popular.
- 23. The choices from a list of additional services for the village are shown in Figure 13.

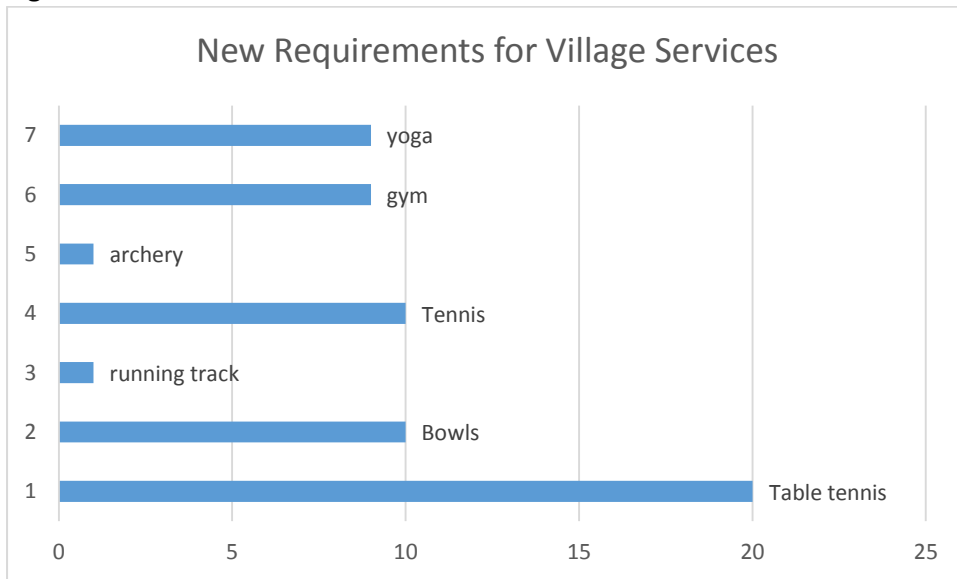
Figure 13



- 24. The most popular requirements were for a high speed broadband service (Brailsford parish is not currently a priority for the Government's broadband upgrade programme); and in services for a local bakery and farm shop. These returns may be useful data for businesses seeking to set up or relocate to a village location.
- 25. Although additional sports facilities were not amongst the higher rating services Figure 14 shows additional sports facilities identified by respondents. A number of these facilities were

also identified in other parts of the survey, including for alternative uses for the Institute with yoga, table tennis keep fit and bowls amongst these.

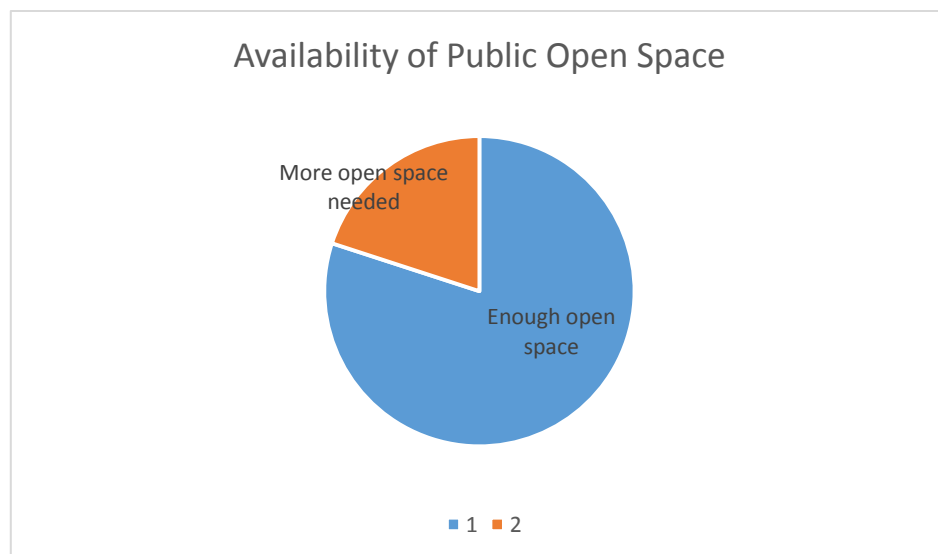
Figure 14



Environment

26. A series of questions were posed about the Village and its environment. The first related to the availability of public open space. The responses identified that in Brailsford there is considered to adequate open space for the current village but this is predicated on the availability of the Playing Field and Playground on the Plain for public use. Responses from Ednaston tended to indicate that public space is inadequate.

Figure 15



27. The current Playing Field and Playground were identified as important to the village but the responses relating to usage made this less clear. However those using these facilities are regular users – more than once per week – and this return must again be related to the age range of survey respondents.

Figure 16

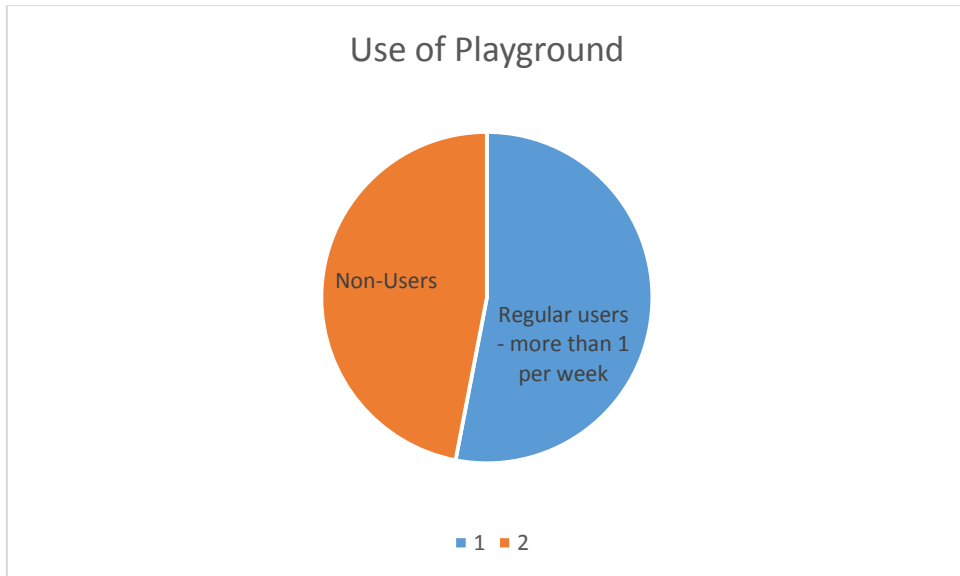
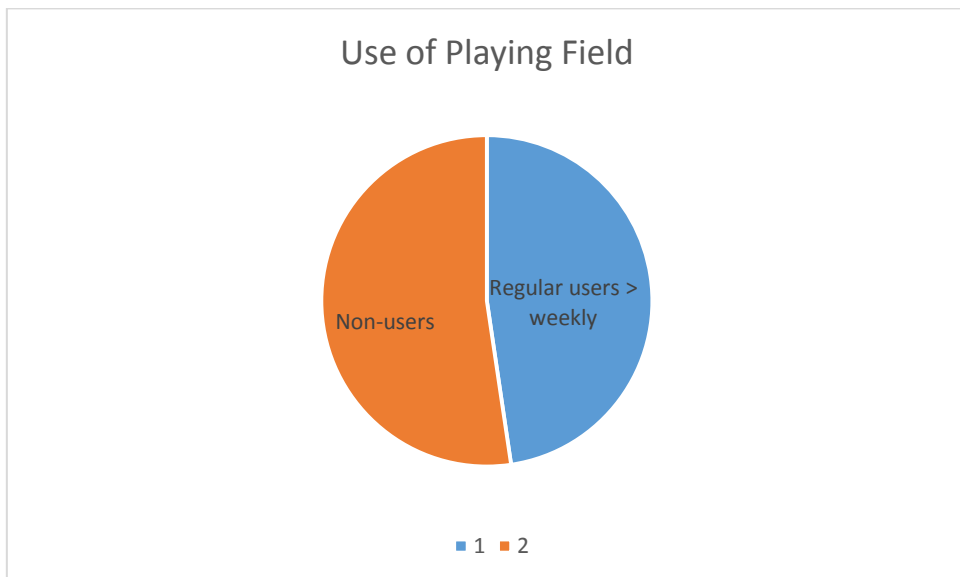
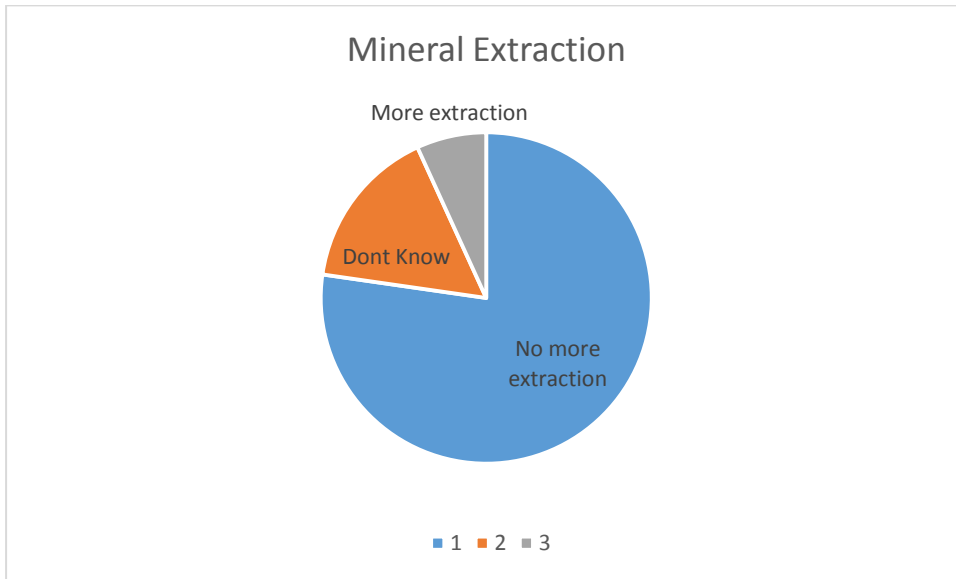


Figure 17



28. Respondents gave a clear indication on the future of mineral extraction in the Parish. This response is shown in Figure 18 with 77% indicating no further extraction.

Figure 18



Transport

- 29. This section examined the current and future use of public transport services.
- 30. Brailsford has a regular bus service with a route between Derby and Ashbourne (Trent Barton Swift). Use by survey respondents appears to be low with 64% of respondents reporting that they use the service rarely, and only 24% using the service more than weekly. However a number of respondents identified changes which could be made to improve the level of use, including the possibility of transport from the outlying settlements to the A52. These responses are shown in Figures 19 and 20.

Figure 19

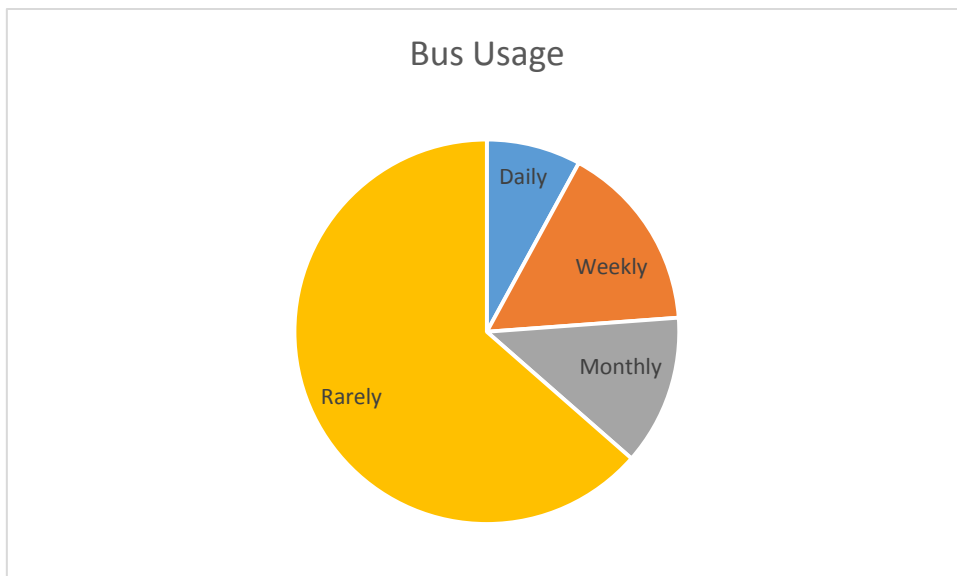
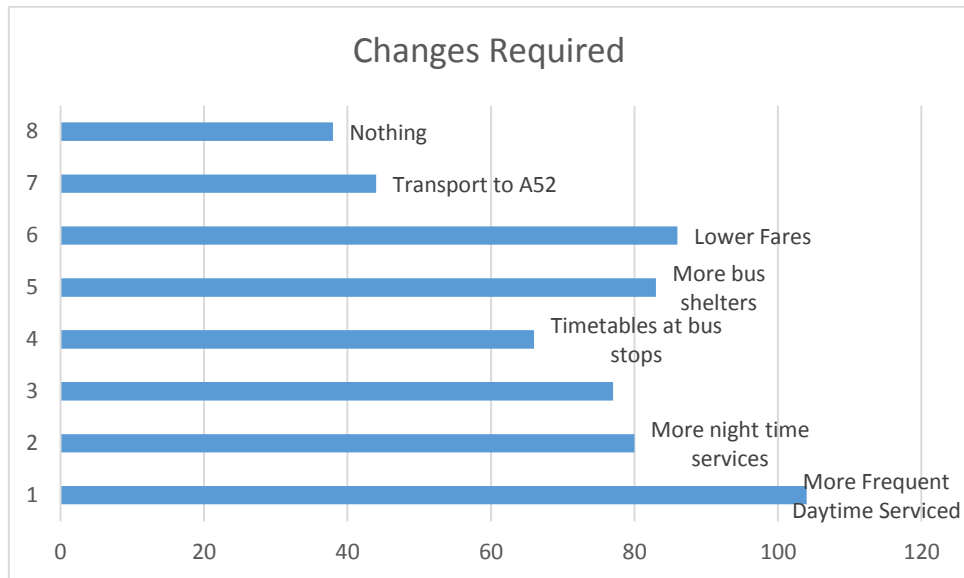
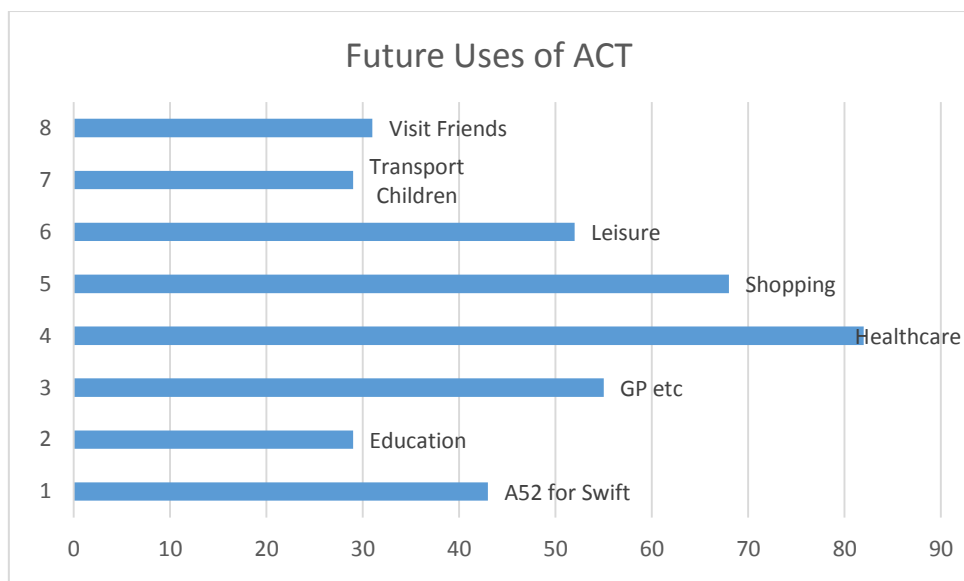


Figure 20



31. A Community Transport service is available in the Parish. Awareness/usage is currently low with 96% reporting that they did not use the service. However a number of those responding reported that they would use the service in the future and identified the potential forms of usage.

Figure 21



32. It should be noted that this section had a high level of non-responses and some confusion about the form of use when considering potential future use.

Employment

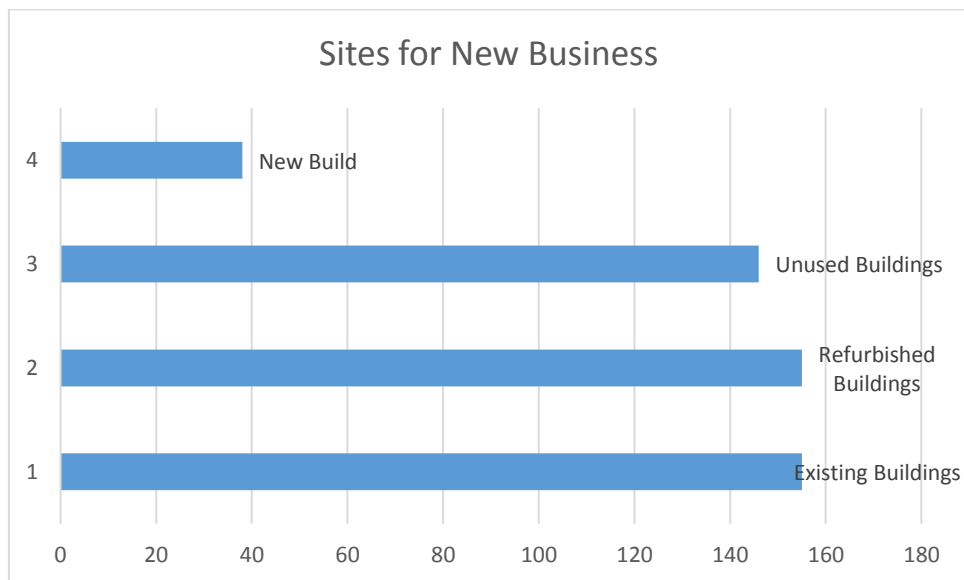
33. All cited employment opportunities were recognised by respondents with farming the most popular option.

Figure 22



- 34.** Existing commercial space or unused buildings were the preferred sites for new business with only 8% of responses identifying new build as an option.

Figure 23



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