

Village: Hedgerley

Judged: 2nd July 2018

1a. The graveyard of St Mary The Virgin was neat and tidy with a newly laid pathway. Apart from two broken bench seats (which had already been identified as unsafe) the area was well maintained.

1b. Hedgerley has a good green with clean and tidy bench seating.

1c. Within the green noted above is the children's play area; this appeared to be a little tired and required a weeding session.

1d. The Glebe Field nature conservation area is well loved and its area information board identifies wildlife and examples of the benefits to be found within.

1e. The village memorial hall and car park are extremely well placed, neat and tidy and of great benefit to the community.

1f. Surprisingly (considering the recent heat wave) the village pond was found full with plants and its edges well cared for.

2a. The area around the shops were clean and tidy.

2b. The White Horse pub surroundings and its car park are a welcome sight to any visitor with clean, tidy bench seats and hanging baskets aplenty.

2c. The bus shelter was extremely well cared for and litter free with hanging baskets in redundant rainwater downpipe collectors.

2d. The notice boards: One appeared to be brand new, the other requires a coat of varnish before winter but both were up to date and tidy.

2e. The information regarding the lack of access to view the two war memorials was an inspiration and gratefully received.

2f. Apart from one or two areas of litter and dog poo the village is obviously well cared for and deserving of its high mark.