

# Community Survey 2024

Cannock Wood Parish Council is keen to understand better the interests and concerns of all residents. This is to help us in setting priorities to focus our efforts over the coming year or two. We would like to get as many responses as possible to ensure we are meeting the needs of the community as best possible.

One paper copy of this survey is being delivered to each household in Cannock Wood to ensure that everyone has access to it. However, we would like to receive responses from as many parish residents as possible including those in the same household of all ages. Further hard copies can be requested using the details at the bottom of the page or the survey can be accessed online at [www.cannockwood.org](http://www.cannockwood.org) as necessary for the numbers in your household.

Please place your completed survey in the parish council's green letterbox on the front wall of the village hall or email to [parish.council@cannockwood.org](mailto:parish.council@cannockwood.org). If you can't get out, please let us know so we can arrange to collect the survey from you.

**We would like to receive all responses by 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024 and will make the results public at the annual Parish Meeting at the Village Hall on 18th April 2024.**

*If you have more to say than the space on this survey allows, please continue on a separate sheet.*

1. Please give your full postcode. ....
2. *Why are we asking? To find out whether residents of some parts of the village have different needs and opinions to others.*

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[parish.council@cannockwood.org](mailto:parish.council@cannockwood.org)**

2. Please tick one box on each line to show how you feel about these options.

<b>Would you like</b>	Strongly disagree	Tend to disagree	Neither for nor against	Tend to agree	Strongly agree
Public benches (say where below)					
White 'gates' at village boundary					
Defibrillator training and first aid course (free to attend)					
Vehicle activated speed sign (for use on Hayfield Hill and Cumberledge Hill)					
Any other suggestions?					

3. The parish council recently organised for leaves to be cleared from footpaths and is working towards having other debris cleared from footpaths on Cumberledge Hill and Hayfield Hill. What other small-scale tasks would you like to see tackled?

4. Are there are more substantial projects you would like to be part of setting up and running in Cannock Wood? Please share what you envisage and your contact details.

5. The parish council has a duty to conserve and enhance biodiversity in the parish. How would you like to see biodiversity and the environment improved in Cannock Wood?

6. What events and activities would you like to be involved with in the village? Any village events are organised by groups of volunteers so if you would like to help to make it happen, please provide your contact details below.

<b>What would you like to do?</b>	Participate	Help	Organise
Live music			
Themed disco (e.g. '80s)			
Games night – indoor (perhaps skittle alley, table tennis, table football etc)			
Walking football – outdoor (mixed)			
Other suggestions?			

7. Could you make some time to volunteer around the village? If so, do you have any preferences or skills that would be valuable to the village? Volunteers are always needed to open and close the barriers at Castle Ring car park, maintain village flower beds and join the speed watch team, and other offers of help are also welcome. Please provide details if you are interested in getting involved.

8. Do you have other practical suggestions to improve life in Cannock Wood?

*Comments relating to things the parish council is not responsible for will be passed on where possible. Other councils are responsible for the roads, pavements, street lighting and wheelie bins. Management of the Village Hall and the Playing Field is also separate from the parish council, although they sometimes make requests for grant-funding from the parish council for specific projects.*

**Thank you for taking the time to read and respond to this survey.**