

2006 COMMUNITY PRIDE COMPETITION

COMPETING UNIT

MOORE

JUDGE'S COMMENTS

Moore is a small village with no definitive centre. Several of the older houses are of historical interest and add to the charm of the village.

2 The one shop is well kept and neat. It attracts lots of passing trade from the road and canal, which is opposite, yet has no obvious litter problem.

3 Notice boards were tidy although neither board displayed the Community Pride notice until late in the judging period.

4 Bus shelters were free from litter.

5 The public house is attractive and welcoming with pretty Hanging baskets and floral tubs.

6 Meeting places including the Milner Institute, the Scout Hut, which was the old school, and the Rugby Club all show how much the village cares for its facilities. The 2006 Village Parish Plan shows a community which is vibrant and alive. The village has an outstanding range of interests available to all residents and deserves praise for the production of the Plan.

7 It is sad to note that the Methodist Church has had to close.

8 The Six - Acre Playing Field was tidy and litter free. The entrance to the field, however, would benefit from the removal of weeds and the cutting down of brambles.

9 Gardens are well tended, colourful and attractive.

10 Almost no litter was seen which shows a good level of participation by the residents in keeping the village tidy.

11 Moore is fortunate in having two conservation/environmental projects – namely the canal which runs through the village with its well kept banks and pathways and the Meadows which are a delight – full of wild flowers and birdsong.

As judges we found Moore to be a lively village with varied interests. We appreciated the excellent maps and enjoyed the Parish Plan.



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