The **Community Council** organises village events for the benefit of all residents. Please let us know if you are interested in:

Craft fayres ☐ Coffee mornings ☐ Scarecrow Festival ☐

Fetes or fun days ☐ West End Night or evening music events ☐

Are there other events you would like the Community Council to organise:

_____

Overall, how happy are you with the work of Bucklesham Parish Council?

① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ⑥ ⑦ ⑧ ⑨ ⑩

Please rate from 1-10 where 1 is very unhappy and 10 is very happy

Final thoughts

We have limited funds to achieve improvements in the village. What would you like the Parish Council's priorities to be in the year ahead?

1.

2.

3.

Is there anything else you would like to tell us?

To be entered into the free draw for £25 voucher please tell us:

Your name: _____

Address or email: _____

Please deliver this completed survey to:

15 Levington Lane, or 54 Levington Lane, or 9 St Mary's Park, Thank you

BUCKLESHAM VILLAGE SURVEY 2026

Bucklesham Parish Council is the first tier of local democracy, with responsibility for representing and promoting the interests of our community. East Suffolk District and Suffolk County Councils are responsible for housing, highways, infrastructure etc. but working at a local level, the Parish Council can create a shared vision, influence decisions and take local action.

To help us to do that, we are seeking your views and asking you to spend a few minutes completing this survey. We want to continue to make Bucklesham Parish Council work for you and continue our plan of regular engagement.

Thank you very much for taking the time to complete this survey. All surveys returned will be entered into a draw to receive a £25 voucher for The Shannon. Thank you, **Bucklesham Parish Council**

Living in Bucklesham

Over all, how happy would you say you are living in Bucklesham?

① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ⑥ ⑦ ⑧ ⑨ ⑩

Please rate from 1-10 where 1 is very unhappy and 10 is very happy

What do you most like about living here?

1.

2.

3.

What do you most dislike about living here?

1.

2.

3.

Communication

The Parish Council delivers the Bugle Newsletter to every home in the village 4 times a year. We also send out Bugle Bulletin email alerts, have 3 notice boards, and news pages on the village website.

How happy are you with the way we communicate with residents?

① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ⑥ ⑦ ⑧ ⑨ ⑩

Please rate from 1-10 where 1 is very unhappy and 10 is very happy

Can you suggest any other ways we could communicate and engage with you?

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Community Life

The Parish Council is committed to working hard to ensure Bucklesham remains a safe and happy place to live. There are several volunteer-led groups that help us do this. Please indicate if you would be willing to join in and help with:

Community Council ☐
Organises community events

Village Hall Committee ☐
Manages the Village Hall

Community Speed Watch Group ☐
Monitors speeding traffic through the village

Highways Self-Help Team ☐
Clears weeds, cuts hedges and clears footpaths

FOPS (Friends of the Playing Field) ☐
Helps to manage Playing Field, locking gates, litter picking etc

Emergency Preparedness Team ☐
People with first aid skills, generators, chainsaws or just muscles!

Facilities

The **Playing Field** is held in Trust and managed by the Parish Council for the benefit of all residents and their guests. Which facilities on the field do you or your family benefit from:

Outdoor gym ☐

Woodland walkway ☐

Children's play area ☐

Football goals ☐

Fruit trees and bushes ☐

Bike jumps ☐

Table tennis tables ☐

Wildlife areas ☐

Picnic areas ☐

Gazebo ☐

The Parish Council also manages the **Green Crescent Allotments**. Please let us know if:

You manage a plot ☐

You would like to be added to the waiting list to manage a plot ☐

The Parish Council are Sole Trustee of **Bucklesham Village Hall.** Please tell us if you or your family have attended:

Hobby groups ☐

Private hire ☐

Free First Aid training ☐

Cuppas and Cakes Café events ☐

Parish Council or village meetings ☐