

Best Kept Village Marking Sheet 2022

Wrawby

Points

		Max	Mark
1	General Tidiness & Appearance Litter, fly tipping, graffiti, including at bus stops & telephone boxes. General maintenance of hedges, trees, verges, fences, walls, paths and seats	50	49
2	Community Facilities and features Community centres, village halls, schools, parks, playing fields, churchyards/cemeteries, chapel surrounds, war memorials, public noticeboards, shops, inns, farmsteads, workshops, business premises, advertisements and signposts	80	77
3	Gardens & Community Areas Gardens, window boxes, hanging baskets, tubs and planters, community planting, public areas, and allotments	70	67
Total		200	193

Notes

(a) Absence of a feature listed in the marking sheet will not entail a loss of marks

(b) Natural and architectural beauty will not be taken into account

General comments

There are many good features in this attractive village, which enjoys good community planting and is mostly free of litter.

On entering the village from the west, there is some very good planting on Brigg Road, with various colourful planters. There is also good planting just past the village sign on Melton Road and on Vicarage Road. Further good planting can be found on the island at the junction of Little Lane and Vicarage Road, where there are planters and a bench and on Tunnel Road, which had a very good display in a wooden planter.

Residents play their part in making this an attractive village, with well-cut hedges and good floral displays at the front of their properties. Some good examples were found at Hawthorne House on Barton Road, 17 Kettleby Lane and Heron Cottage on Melton Road. Special mention must also be made of the excellent, varied floral displays outside the bungalows on Vicarage Avenue. Miller's Barn Restaurant also had attractive hanging baskets and Wrawby Hall had a very good flower border outside.

Other attractive features of the village include the information board, with millstone and planting on Brigg Road. Wrawby Windmill is a splendid site with a good information board.

The parish church, St Mary's has an attractive and well-maintained churchyard and the village hall, set in a large playing field, has a good planter in front. The field also includes a good playground.

Individual Category Entries

Wrawby has also entered the individual categories ticked below. Mark in addition to the general marking. If there is no tick, then no separate marking is required.

✓	Category	Max	Mark	Comments
	Playground	50		
	Churchyard	50		
	Cemetery	50		
✓	Community planting scheme	50	47	The community planting scheme was limited but mostly of good quality, with some lovely displays at various locations across the village. The prevailing weather, with a long dry and hot spell, had presented challenges of watering and although there had been some casualties, the majority of plants were well-tended. To improve further some thought might be given to choosing a few plants that could add height to displays.