

Malvern Wells Parish Profile 2014

Overview

Annual Precept £76,440

Malvern Wells is a parish covering 742 hectares. It encompasses two primary schools within the boundaries of the parish. The nearest secondary school is 6km from the centre of the parish.

Communications and transport (nearest distances are straight lines 'as crow flies')

The nearest hospital is 5km from the centre of the parish (26min on public transport). The nearest GP practice is 4km away from the centre of the parish (22min on public transport).

Demographics

Population

	District	Parish
Total (n)	74,631	3,196
Males (n)	36,336	1,609
Females (n)	38,295	1,587

Population trend

	2001	2011
Total (n)	3,219	3,196
Aged 75+ (n)	275	324

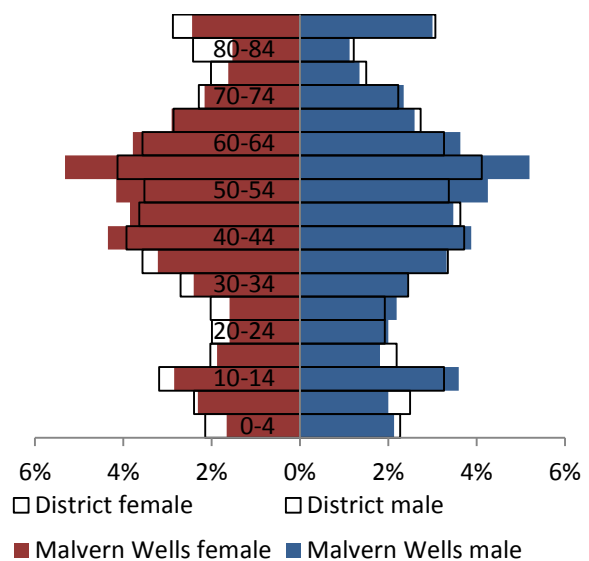
Health

	District	Parish
Limiting Long Term Illness (%)	20	16
Health is good (%)	81	85

Deprivation

	District	Parish
Housing or CT benefit claimants (%)	16	6

Age profile



Housing & Employment

Housing growth

	2001	2011
Dwellings (n)	1,412	1,523
Vacant dwellings (n)	79	101

Employment (LSOA)

	District	Parish
Claiming JSA (%)	1.2	0.8
Economically active (n)	68	67

Energy Efficiency (LSOA)

	District	Parish
Fuel poverty (%)	24	20
No gas connection (%)	30	20

No. of dwellings by CT band

	District	Parish
Band A (%)	11	6
Band B (%)	21	17
Band C (%)	22	22
Band D (%)	16	16
Band E (%)	14	14
Band F (%)	10	12
Band G (%)	6	12
Band H (%)	1	1

Interpretation of the Data - Malvern Wells

This supplementary document explores some of the underlying data from the profile and links it to the data at a district-level.

Precept In 2014/15 the average parish precept is £43.66 per household and the range from £100.42 to £1.53. The precept for Malvern Wells is £53.90 the 7th largest out of 53.

Population Malvern Wells is the largest parish in the District. Between 2001 and 2011 the population decreased by less than 1%, compared to 3.4% growth for the district. This does not take into account any housing developments that have taken place since 2011 or any in the pipeline.

Households (dwellings with residents) The number of households has increased from 1333 to 1422. Due to the small population decrease, the size of households has also decreased from 2.31 persons to 2.18 (2nd lowest in the District). In the same period the number of single person households has increased by 23% from 344 to 424 (30% of all households). 45% of single person households are single pensioner households this has increased by 18% from 162 in 2001 to 191 in 2011. 100 persons (3% of population) live in communal establishments.

Older people The number of persons aged 60 and over has increased by 28% from 841 to 1073. Persons aged 75 and over have increased by 18% from 275 to 324. The population has aged significantly since 2001 and that trend is likely to continue.

Children The number of persons aged 0 to 15 has decreased by 7% from 504 to 469. This downward trend is common to two thirds of parishes.

Deprivation The Index of Multiple Deprivation shows that 17 households (0.5%) are deprived in three or four of the dimensions of employment, education, housing and health and disability. The District percentage is 3.2%.

Cars and vans The number of households with no access to a car/van has increased from 87 to 101. This means that 7% of households rely on other means of transportation.

Health The percentage of the population reporting good or very good health in each parish ranges from 91% to 75%. In Malvern Wells

it is 85% but the number of people reporting that they are healthy will likely reduce as the population ages.

Considerations How to ensure that care and support for older people is sustained and developed as the population continues to age. Working in partnerships with other parishes and the statutory authorities is likely to be helpful.

How to minimise social isolation as the number of single person households increases.

How to sustain and develop transport services particularly for the 7% with no access to car or van.

How to ensure that deprived households have access to supporting services and benefits. Promotion of the CAB Community Liaison Volunteers may be helpful.