

Stoke Bliss, Kyre & Bockleton Parish Profile 2014

Overview

Annual Precept £2,100

This is a rural parish covering 2811 hectares. The nearest primary school is 6km from the centre of the parish. The nearest secondary school is also 6km from the centre of the parish.

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

The nearest hospital is 4km from the parish centre (no public transport available, but a short taxi journey). The nearest GP practice is also 4km from the parish centre (no public transport available, but a short taxi journey).

Demographics

Population

	District	Parish
Total (n)	74,631	480
Males (n)	36,336	250
Females (n)	38,295	230

Population trend

	2001	2011
Total (n)	565	480
Aged 75+ (n)	34	42

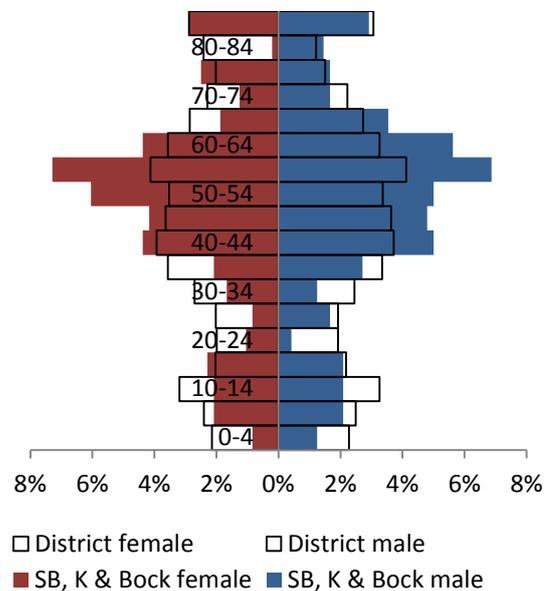
Health

	District	Parish
Limiting Long Term Illness (%)	20	16
Health is good (%)	81	82

Deprivation

	District	Parish
Housing or CT benefit claimants (%)	16	8

Age profile



Housing & Employment

Housing growth

	2001	2011
Dwellings (n)	241	241
Vacant dwellings (n)	18	25

Employment (LSOA)

	District	Parish
Claiming JSA (%)	1.2	0.6
Economically active (n)	68	71

Energy Efficiency (LSOA)

	District	Parish
Fuel poverty (%)	24	26
No gas connection (%)	30	69

No. of dwellings by CT band

	District	Parish
Band A (%)	11	9
Band B (%)	21	7
Band C (%)	22	8
Band D (%)	16	21
Band E (%)	14	25
Band F (%)	10	17
Band G (%)	6	12
Band H (%)	1	0

Interpretation of the Data - Stoke Bliss Kyre & Bockleton

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 Stoke Bliss Kyre & Bockleton is £9.72 the 5th lowest out of 53.

Population Stoke Bliss Kyre & Bockleton is the 33rd largest parish. Between 2001 and 2011 the population declined by 15% compared to 3.4% growth in the district.

Households (dwellings with residents) The number of households has decreased from 223 to 216. With a declining population this results in the size of households decreasing from 2.53 persons to 2.22. The number of single person households has increased by 29% from 44 to 57 (26% of all households). 47% of single person households are single pensioner households this has increased by 50% from 18 to 27 (13% of all households).

Older people The number of persons aged 60 and over has increased by 44% from 128 to 184. Within those numbers persons aged 75 and over have increased by 24% from 34 to 42. The population has aged significantly and that trend is set to continue.

Children The number of persons aged 0 to 15 has decreased by 28% (5th largest fall in the District) from 79 to 57. This downward trend is common to two thirds of parishes.

Deprivation The Index of Multiple Deprivation shows that 5 households (2.3%) are deprived in three out of the four dimensions of employment, education, housing and health and disability at a district-level the percentage is 3.2%. Housing or Council Tax benefit and JSA claimants are also lower than the District average.

Cars and vans The number of households with no access to a car/van has decreased from 9 to 4 but this still means that 2% of households rely on other means of transport.

Health The percentage of the population reporting good or very good health in each parish ranges from 91% to 75%. In Stoke Bliss Kyre & Bockleton it is 82% but is likely to worsen 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 2% 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.