

"Caring for our environment"

Centre : **CASTLETOWN KILPATRICK**
County : **MEATH**
Category : **A**

Results

Date of Adjudication : 26-06-2001

	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded 2001	Mark Awarded 2000
Overall Developmental Approach	50	28	28
The Built Environment	40	24	24
Landscaping	40	26	24
Wildlife and Natural Amenities	30	15	15
Litter Control	40	22	22
Tidiness	20	13	12
Residential Areas	30	18	18
Roads, Streets and Back Areas	40	27	27
General Impression	10	6	6
TOTAL MARK	300	179	176

Castletown Kilpatrick, County Meath

OVERALL DEVELOPMENTAL APPROACH

Thank you for your submission which included a short supporting note. The group should include a brief five-year plan and a schedule of completed works. This plan will be of considerable benefit to the group in formulating a long-term plan for the village. It will also help the group monitor their progress on a yearly basis. The Group has actively co-operated with the local community and with the local authority.

THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

The village of Castletown consists of a group of buildings clustered around a cross-roads. The range of buildings include some nineteenth and twentieth century examples of domestic and public buildings. The RC Victorian church in particular offers an important focal point to the village.

LANDSCAPING

The village has two very attractive central greens, which with the church, project an attractive landscaped central place. The village pitch and putt was also nicely landscaped and well maintained.

WILDLIFE AND NATURAL AMENITIES

There are some delightful views and aspects of the countryside from the village and from the pitch and putt course.

LITTER CONTROL

The litter control in the village was good with only the very occasional piece of litter on the ground.

TIDINESS

The village fabric and landscaping displayed a neat and trim appearance. This was particularly so for the car park and central greens. However, the church with its significant relationship to the crossroads, would benefit from painting.

RESIDENTIAL AREAS

The houses in and around the village were attractive and project a neat domestic aspect of the village.

ROADS, STREETS AND BACK AREAS

The approaches to the village are attractive with well managed hedgerows, stone walling and landscaping. The margins in some areas are well managed and trim and untidy in others.

GENERAL IMPRESSION

Castletown is an attractive village which is neatly projected

and well maintained by the Tidy Towns Group.