

MARDEN AT CHRISTMAS - Feedback

Christmas Lights - extension further down High Street, ask for sponsorship, big light switch on event, better lights

Christmas Tree - big tree, outside Memorial Hall or somewhere prominent

More Varied Stalls -

Christmas cake decorating competition

Christmas cake toppers that people could create and take away

Marden at Christmas is one of the best - no real improvement needed - perhaps fundraising with rides in classic cars?

I love the fact that this transverses the length of the village and involves all ages. Please keep it going.

Add on a fundraising event the night before Marden at Christmas

An evening event for adults and senior citizens, etc

Love Marden at Christmas but the hall is always very crowded. Could the stalls be more varied and more spaced out?

It is an excellent event involving all the village

Illuminated windows for Christmas

It is a great event, I like a Christmas tree competition. May be there could be some live music or carol singing

Suggestion boxes at each venue this year - Allens, Library, Church and Memorial Hall - make sure our events do not clash with other villages.

Procession good but useful once at Memorial Hall. Suggestion to combine with PTA Christmas Fair. Bring in professional continental Christmas Market

Best dressed fancy dress competition (Christmas themed)

Meals for the old people once a week be an advantage - not just at Christmas

Not sure about this. I wouldn't have a Father Christmas. Like the decorations in the village likewise Marden in Bloom.

You have the best Father Christmas ever.

Christmas garden competition

A big light switch on events, child orientated carol service and pantomime.

Carol singing for the children, farmers market to sell xmas fruit, veg and nuts

Prominently placed Nativity Scene

Marden at Christmas is an amazing event which we are lucky to have

Better quality stalls

It's a great event which by travelling through the village, brings the whole village together

It's a bit predictable

Carol singing at the Allens is a waste of time. People just go to chat and eat sausages. It needs to be organised and people encouraged to actually sing and not stand around chatting

May be carol singing in the church as it doesn't really work in the open air.

The Memorial Hall always feels very cramped

I do really like Marden at Christmas but I have heard people say they find it a bit old fashioned. Engage children more - Elf on the Shelf Trail?

I think our village decisions are extremely poor compared to surrounding villages. It would be nice to make a bit more effort.

Albion Road closed for a couple of hours so that it is safe for mums with pushchairs on the narrow pavements with parked cars.