



Introduction



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#YouSaid - What matters to you

Our beat priorities have been updated for July/August and September. Your feedback gathered through Neighbourhood link surveys is invaluable in shaping them to ensure we are focusing on what matters most to you. We have listened to you and the concerns you raised and will prioritise the following in [July/August/September 2025](#)

Drug dealing – Hart Drive – We are aware of ongoing concerns regarding suspected drug dealing in the Hart Drive area of Measham.

We will conduct regular patrols to try to identify individuals involved in drug-related activity. Gather intelligence to support enforcement

Open Water Safety / ASB - With the arrival of warmer weather and the school holiday period, the local beat team will increase regular patrols around areas of open water within the beat, in particular Moira/Donisthorpe Canal and Albert Village Lake. With the increased risk of drowning and water-related accidents due to unsupervised activity near lakes, rivers, and reservoirs, we hope our presence will help educate and protect young people during school breaks. We would urge parents, guardians, and young people to stay away from unsupervised or unsafe areas of water, be aware of the hidden dangers such as cold water shock, strong currents, and submerged hazards. Report any unsafe behaviour or concerns to local authorities.

We will increase patrols around areas on the beat with open water to help educate and protect.

ASB/e-bikes at Hicks Lodge—We are aware of anti-social behaviour involving e-bikes at Hicks Lodge in Moira. These activities have led to damage to the trail and children's play equipment, in particular the new peddle and play trails which were launched in March 2025. This is also causing a danger to members of the public who wish to visit the area.

We will conduct regular patrols of the area. Gather intelligence to identify offenders. Section 59 notices will be issued where appropriate.

#WeDid—What we are doing

Attending beat events plays a crucial role in fostering community relations and ensuring public safety.

The events provide an opportunity for us to engage with residents in a relaxed and informal setting building trust and understanding.

This month there has been various community events held over the Forest Beat at Moira Furnace, Donisthorpe Woodlands Centre and AGE UK, Measham—these events are a great opportunity to meet the beat team and ask any questions or raise any concerns you may have. Please see below for our beat engagements in July.

Between crime enquiries the beat team also attended Sir John Moore's School Summer Fair, took part in numerous patch walks, and were tasked with covering the Download Festival. Officers also attended Rural Crime Awareness Training.

Patch walks were completed on Stretton View, Oakthorpe, Moira Furnace, Donisthorpe Woodlands and Norris Hill. A multi-agency patch walk was completed on School Street, Oakthorpe along with NWLDC anti-social behaviour officers due to concerns of drug dealing in the area.

The beat team have dealt with various parking issues, please remember to be considerate when you park. Do not block driveways. Do not park on double yellow lines. Adhere to signage and be considerate.

Patrols during the monthly car meet at Moira Furnace took place and we are happy to report there were no issues.

Confidence Survey



Your Views Survey



Upcoming Community Engagements

[Don't miss out on our community engagement events](#)

Saturday 12th July —Moira Furnace—10:30 – 12:00

Tuesday 22nd July—AGE UK, Measham—10:30—12:00

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