Leicestershire Police

Market Harborough & the Bowdens

Issue: October 2026

Meet your team



Left to right:
PC 4392 Tom Blencowe
PCSO 6678 Tushar Joshi
Sgt 920 Peter Jelbert
PC 1524 Steve Winn
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What matters to you

PRIORITY: SPEEDING
Through neighbourhood link surveys, you have told us speeding in your communities is your highest priority. This received 73 votes.

PRIORITY: ANTI SOCAIL BEHAVIOUR
We are continuing to identify individuals causing ASB on e-bikes and e-scooters, passing their names to the council to start the incremental approach to prosecution.

PRIORITY: DRUGS
Through neighbourhood link surveys, you have told us drugs in your communities is a priority. This received 42 votes.

What we are doing

ACTION: SPEEDING
Between 01/09/26 to 30/09/26, mobile speed checks were conducted on Lubenham Hill. A total of four offences were detected.

ACTION: ANTI SOCAIL BEHAVIOUR
We are continuing to identify individuals causing ASB on e-bikes and e-scooters, passing their names to the council to start the incremental approach to prosecution.

ACTION: DRUGs
We continue to conduct patrols in areas you identify as hotspots. We collect intelligence from these and Crimestoppers so we can obtain magistrates warrants to enable enforcement.

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Community engagements

November 2026 - Local Officer Drop-Ins:

•10:30AM - 11:30AM - Wednesday 4th November 2026 - St Peter and St Paul's Church Dingley Road Great Bowden Market Harborough.

•10:15AM - 11:15AM - Monday 16th November 2026 - St Nicholas Church, Rectory Lane, Little Bowden.

•11:30AM - 12:30PM - Saturday 21st November 2026 - The Library The Symington Building Adam and Eve Street Market Harborough.

If you have any local issues or would just like some crime prevention advice, please pop by to one of these sessions. No appointment necessary.

Highlights from the month



Avoid phone theft. Pocket it, don't flash it, if they can't see it, they can't steal it. Keep it concealed never on the table in cafes/pubs and lock it with face ID and Pin. Keep a note of your IMEI number: type*#06# on your phone - IMEI pops up. Note this. Enable find my phone. If stolen, report to the police with IMEI number immediately, so it can be blocked thus making the phone worthless.



Local officers conducted drug enforcement by executing warrants across the beat.
During this, a van tried to avoid officers but was quickly found. A male was arrested and the van seized for no insurance. officers seized drug paraphernalia as well as gaining a large amount of intelligence.



We continue to seize untaxed vehicles, and vehicles with no tax and no Insurance.
Our ANPR cameras & patrols are actively detecting untaxed vehicles. They are flagged automatically, 24/7.
Report it confidentially- https://leicspolice.link/weLd2 or via Crimestoppers.

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