

# Knighton Newsletter

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## Your Local Team









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### What matters to you

#### Priority 1: Burglaries

What have we done? There has been a number of street consultations over the recent months conducted by local PCSO's and Police volunteers offering crime prevention advice. Alongside the prevention, Police Officers have conducted a number of plain clothes/ uniformed patrols across the beat. Please keep an eye out across our social media platforms, neighbourhood link and engagements for more information and advice.

#### Priority 2: ASB (In open spaces)

What have we done? The beat team will continue to monitor the abandoned sites across the beat such as The Cricket Pavilion, Ratcliffe Road and Brookside court, Cademan Close. This week there has been an arrest for criminal damage within one of the buildings. We will also continue to monitor Knighton Park also, particularly the grounds of the Spinney.

#### Priority 3: Vehicle Crime

*What have we done?* In response to an increase in specific keyless entry car theft's local PCSO's and volunteers have delivered crime prevention advice leaflets. Alongside this, we will continue to be vigilant when out and about for those light fingered in society. Also remember to empty your vehicles because if you "Leave it on show, expect it to go"

There have been a number of excess speed operations across the beat at sites such as Ratcliffe Road, Guilford Rd and Carisbrooke Road. Enforcement action has also been taken against a number of E-Scooter users also, this was during a joint operation with neighbouring beat officers.

Also reports from the public regarding drug use in local parks resulted in an arrest of a male. If you see anything untoward please do not hesitate to call 101 or 999 in an emergency or report to us online.

#### Welcome

PS Mike Green has recently joined the team, takingover from PS Hayley Widdowson. We wish them both well in their new roles.