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Your Local Team



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Your Dedicated Neighbourhood Team (DNT) is a group of local Officers dedicated to serving your community. The team is made up of Officers based in your area, supported by the wider Policing family.

Your priorities are chosen quarterly and are based upon information gathered through NHL (Neighbourhood Link), social media, local engagement, and emerging crime trends. You have stated that the following key themes are important to you. #YouSaidWeDid

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ASB – Ongoing issues with large groups of youths, gathering in large numbers being loud and abusive, playing loud music, fighting, and causing damage particularly in Crescent, Argents Mead, and Castle Street.	We are now seeing an increase in demand, particularly around anti-social behaviour with individuals accessing the rooftops on Castle Street, Hinckley. Officers are patrolling and talking to the parents of those involved.
Due to the make-up of the town centre and the volume of retail premises there is an on-going problem with shop theft. Ongoing issues with known offenders committing shop thefts in town, using threat of violence and abuse towards staff. Impacting on small businesses suffering with monetary loss.	Had a meeting with the council, CCTV operators regarding the current CCTV situation. There are plans in place to select places to have cameras and need for ones to be taken down as they are not needed as much as the others.
The nightlife scene in Hinckley can lead to offences being committed, some of which are offences of violence such as assaults.	Hinckley Town centre you will see an increased police presence to ensure that people enjoy the sunshine safely and responsibly.

News

Fantastic turn out today for the new war memorial in Argents mead, nice to see and speak to so many of you enjoying the nice weather.

Officers were at Lloyds Bank in Hinckley hosting a crime prevention event, offering practical advice on protecting yourself from fraud and scams, attendees learnt how to safeguard their finances and personal information. Members of the public spoke directly with local officers about any concerns they had and to pick up useful resources on crime prevention. Thank you to all whom attended.

As part of Operation Sceptre, a knife test purchase operation was carried out in Hinckley. We're pleased to report that most of the stores tested challenged appropriately, and requested ID, demonstrating strong commitment to keeping our community safe. The premises that failed will be dealt with robustly! A big thank you to the retailers and staff who continue to uphold their Challenge 25 policies and help prevent knives from getting into the wrong hands. Your vigilance makes a real difference.

Officers from the Earl Shilton & Barwell, Burbage and Hinckley Beat Teams recently worked alongside our Roads Policing Unit (RPU) and Response officers to carry out a proactive traffic operation across Earl Shilton, Barwell, Hinckley and Burbage. The operation focused on keeping our roads safe and addressing offences that put other road users at risk. Results from the day included: 3 speeding tickets issued on the A47 Clickers Way, 4 tickets issued for not wearing a seatbelt, 1 ticket issued for a vehicle displaying a ghost plate and having no MOT, 1 vehicle issued with a prohibition notice due to an insecure load posing a danger to others, stop searches conducted under s23 Misuse of Drugs Act (no items found), offences identified including no MOT and no rear registration plate and Intelligence submitted relating to a vehicle linked to an outstanding suspect. Road safety is everyone's responsibility. Whether it's speeding, not wearing a seatbelt, or using unsafe vehicles, these offences can have serious consequences. We will continue to carry out enforcement and engagement activity across the area to keep our communities safe.



NEIGHBOURHOOD LINK:

Neighbourhood Link is a community messaging service from Leicestershire Police that provides news and information about policing activity or initiatives, crime prevention advice as well as major incidents affecting your area. In order to receive messages, you will need to register your details. Registration is free and simple to follow. Sign up at: <https://www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk>

Please also take the time to let the Beat understand your concerns by completing the survey to the right. Simply scan your camera over the top and click.



Community engagements



[Leics.police.uk/local-policing/](http://www.leics.police.uk/local-policing/)



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EVENTS

Cuppa with a Copper

**Britannia Shopping Centre
Stockwell Head
Hinckley**

17th June 10-12