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Coalville Town Newsletter

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Introduction



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#YouSaid - What matters to you

Coalville Beat Priorities: July — September 2026

Grieve Close. You Said : You have concerns regarding drug use and youth related ASB concerning bike use and damage in disused premises on and around Grieve Close.

Following the completion of the warrant in this location, we have seen a reduction in the number of calls relating to anti-social behaviour. We are continuing to work with partners and are still conducting patrols in the area to offer reassurance.

Retail Crime – Belvoir Shopping centre and Whitwick Retail Park.

You Said: That local businesses are being subject to theft which includes repeat offenders targeting certain stores.

Due to the diligence of our neighbourhood and safer streets teams, we have successfully charged some of our well known nominals for repeat shop thefts. This has led to orders being in place and custodial sentences.

As we are now in the run up to the festive season, this priority will remain in place and we will continue to support our retail areas.

Drug Dealing and associated ASB on Adam Morris Way

You Said: You have concerns regarding drug use and the anti-social behaviour associated with this type of criminality.

We have seen a marked reduction in the calls to us relating to this area. As we continue in to a new period, we will continue to monitor this location and address those causing harm.

#WeDid - What we are doing

Vehicles continue to be seized Under Section 59 Powers

Patrols continue in Whitwick retail park and Belvoir Shopping Centre car park.

Any vehicles spotted driving in an anti-social manner are being seized under section 59 powers.

This type of driving puts members of the public at risk and will not be tolerated. We will continue to patrol hotspot locations and take positive action against those who choose to drive irresponsibly.



#WeDid - What we are doing

Drink Driver Arrested Following Collision in Coalville

Last night, our response officers arrested a drink driver on Ashby Road, Coalville, after she crashed into three stationary vehicles, causing damage.

The driver provided a breath test in custody reading of 79, which is well over the legal limit.

Fortunately, nobody was injured, but this incident highlights the serious dangers of drink driving. Alcohol impairs judgement, slows reaction times, and affects your ability to recognise and respond to hazards. The consequences can be devastating, with innocent road users often paying the price for someone else's poor decisions.



Another interesting shift today.

While carrying out enquiries, we came across a cannabis cultivation inside a property. It's always surprising to see the lengths people go to in order to set these up, with dedicated lighting, ventilation and growing equipment hidden away inside what appears to be an ordinary address.

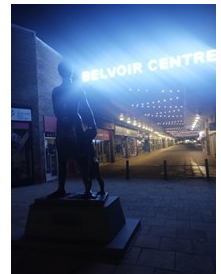
Cannabis grows aren't just illegal. They can involve dangerous electrical modifications that increase the risk of fire, cause extensive damage to properties, leave landlords with costly repair bills, and are often linked to organised crime. In some cases, the profits generated can be used to fund other serious criminality, including terrorism.



Foot Patrols, day and night.

PC Katie carried out foot patrols around Adam Morris Way following recent reports of drug dealing and anti-social behaviour. Patrols also covered the town centre, including Monkey Walk and the N90 footpath.

She was pleased to report that, on this occasion, no offences or criminal activity were identified.



Confidence Survey



Your Views Survey



Upcoming Community Engagements

Below are the times and dates you can come and speak to your local beat team about crime prevention or any concerns you may have -

Thursday 8th Oct 10:00 x 11:00— The Coal bunker, 14 Belvoir Rd, Coalville LE67 3PE

Saturday 17th Oct 10:00 x 11:00 - Insomnia Café, Belvoir shopping Centre, Coalville

Thursday 22nd Oct 16:00 x 17:00 - The Marlene Reid Centre, 85 Belvoir Road, Coalville

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