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Welcome to your Melton Mowbray police e-newsletter. Here you will find all of the latest news from a Melton Mowbray policing perspective and crime prevention advice to help keep yourself safe.

A good job, well done

Melton neighbourhood patrol officers PC Tweddle and PC Spruce seized a vehicle recently that was on the A607. It was seized for having no insurance. As a driver of a vehicle it is your responsibility to ensure that the vehicle is insured and that you are insured to drive it.



ASB and drug driving

Drug driving is an offence

Officers were recently alerted to issues on Horseguards Way in Melton Mowbray. Antisocial behaviour had been reported and related to vehicles and drugs use. When officers attended the location recently they arrested one young driver for driving under the influence of drugs and also dealt with two occurrences of possession of class B drugs.

Driving under the influence of drink or drugs is dangerous and can affect your driving in the following ways:

- ◆ Your ability to judge speed and distance is impaired
- ◆ Your reaction time is reduced and your coordination skills are impaired
- ◆ You might have blurry vision
- ◆ You might become aggressive, erratic, paranoid, nauseous, dizzy
- ◆ You could suffer from a panic attack and have tremors



Do not drink or take drugs and drive

If you see anyone under the influence of drink or drugs about to drive ring us on 101 or if you believe something serious has happened and an incident is likely to occur imminently ring 999.



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All in a days work



Earlier this week PC Adam Atkinson and PCSO Claire Gray from the Melton rural north team were out to support the Cropwell Young Farmers charity tractor run. They enjoyed supporting the young farmers who raised a considerable amount for Lincs & Notts air ambulance. In between this they attended grade 1 incidents supporting our neighbourhood patrol team and call in to engage with participants in the Hose Half Marathon.



PC Ben Tranter (Melton rural south beat officer) was out and about on the beat and recently spotted something not quite right with a 4x4 vehicle near to Brooksby. Relying on his police intuition he follows the vehicle which stops in a dead end. The driver takes off across the field and is soon tracked down by a police dog handler, arrested and taken to custody. The 4x4 had been stolen although the owner hadn't realised the vehicle had gone.



Hello

We say hello to PC Josh Conduit who will be transferring from the role of neighbourhood patrol officer to dedicated neighbourhood officer for Melton town north beat where he will work alongside PCSO Will Berridge. Josh looks forward to meeting you when he is out and about on his beat. Whilst PC Ryan Hill (shown on the left) moves on to the Melton Town South Beat having spent over 2 years on the Melton Town north beat. Ryan looks forward to meeting you out and about on his new beat. Ryan replaces PC Draper who is moving to become a neighbourhood patrol officer for Melton Mowbray.



The next edition will be out soon!