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Your Local Team



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**PC Liz
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**PCSO Michelle
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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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Anti-social behaviour in open spaces around the town including Argents Mead, the Leisure Centre, and Castle Street. As we move into the summer months, this problem is expected to continue.	Patrols have been conducted in the area and reports have been received in relation to scooters being used anti-socially. An ECINS report has been created in relation to a flare being let off.
Shoplifting is a persistent problem in the town centre. Having had a successful last quarter in tackling this issue, we are seeing an emerging trend of offenders using the rail network to travel to Hinckley and commit shoplifting offences.	A 32 year old woman has been arrested and charged after a theft of products from B&M, Castle Street, Hinckley.
Street drinking is a problem in the town centre, with repeat individuals taking alcohol to Argents Mead and Castle Street, in contravention of the PSPO.	A female has been arrested after a providing a positive roadside breath test and was significantly over the legal limit.

News

Following a recent court hearing, a bail application submitted on behalf of two local offenders suspected of being responsible for a number of burglaries in the Hinckley area, has been rejected. Both individuals remain in custody and are due to appear before the court again at the end of this month. Since their arrest and remand into custody, we have seen a significant reduction in burglary offences across Hinckley, which is encouraging news for our communities and reflects the positive impact of the investigation and subsequent arrests.

Your local Officers have been out on patrol across Friday and Saturday night to help ensure everyone enjoying a night out in Hinckley remained safe. During last weekend, officers responded to a report of a disturbance in the town centre. Following enquiries, a suspect was arrested in connection with the incident. Later, officers arrested a further individual on suspicion of attempting to drive a vehicle whilst under the influence of alcohol, reminding those not to drive after drinking. We will continue to patrol the town centre, support the night-time economy, and take positive action against those who commit offences or put others at risk.



Another busy year at the annual Hinckley BID Motor Show. For the third consecutive year, Special Constables have supported the Hinckley Town Centre beat team with patrols and engagement. PC Liz, PCSO Cam, SC Tom and S/Sgt Tom were out and about throughout the event. We said hi to lots of friendly faces at our police car and met just as many while out on foot patrol around the event. We also answered plenty of questions about our police car, our roles and offered crime prevention advice. Thank you to everyone who stopped by. The day also led us to some additional patrols around a number of the shops after CCTV operators reported several shoplifting incidents.

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://leics.police.uk/local-policing/)



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EVENTS

Cuppa with a Copper, Britannia Shopping Centre

23rd October 10-12

**Hinckley Leisure Centre,
24th October 1600-1800**

**Sainsburys,
30th October 10-1230**