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Your Local Team

**Our Duty is to protect our communities.
As one team we...**



#TeamLeicestershire

- Sgt 778 Steve Downes
- PC 330 Greg Moore
- PCSO 6093 Mitch Jarvis



What matters to you

We have listened to you and the concerns raised and will prioritise the following:

Priority 1: ASB. What we are going to do: The beat team aim to tackle different elements of ASB in Anstey, Thurcaston, Cropston and Newtown Linford. Highlighted areas were both allotments in Anstey, Paper Mill Close and neighbouring recreational ground in Anstey, Mitchell's Field in Anstey, Bradgate Park.

Priority 2: Speeding and Road safety. What we are going to do: We will be looking at Road safety issues in Anstey and villages, including speeding, parking issues (especially around school times), obstructions in Anstey (in particular parking on Cropston Road), vehicles not complying with traffic signals in the Nook, and use of electric scooters in public places.

Priority 3: Drugs. What we are going to do: We are aware of areas where drugs are used, especially in public areas and causing distress for others. We are also aware of certain addresses and areas where drugs are dealt. We will be targeting these areas to try and cut this down. Please make contact with us if you have any information about this!

Anstey Beat team covers the large village of Anstey. They will also service the below villages along with Charnwood West beat team.

- Newtown Linford
- Cropston
- Ulverscroft
- Thurcaston

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Anti Social Behaviour

The beat team aim to tackle different elements of ASB in Anstey, Thurcaston, Cropston and Newtown Linford. Highlighted areas were both allotments in Anstey, Papermill Close and neighbouring recreational ground in Anstey Mitchell's Field in Anstey Bradgate Park

We have patrolled all of these areas over the last month and specifically we have patrolled Mitchells field for youths parking up in an evening, playing loud music and littering, Paper Mill Close, Staddon Road recreational ground for rowdy youths, the allotments on Groby Road and the Nook car park for youths using gas canisters, although on our patrols these areas have all been peaceful and in order. We are also having some issues with some youths causing some antisocial behaviour on Hollow Road and we'll be looking to try and identify them and have a chat with them about this.

We are still seeing people riding e scooters and illegal electric bikes around the village. Please remember that these are illegal and we can remove these from people – They aren't cheap and you won't get them back.

We have also received reports recently of motorbikes being ridden around in an antisocial and dangerous manner in Cropston and Thurcaston. We will be patrolling these areas and looking to seize these motorbikes and / or prosecute the riders of them in these circumstances.

Drug dealing and antisocial drug use

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We have patrolled these areas over the last month, particularly the areas around Paper Mill Close and Burgin Road and continue to gather intelligence on our patrols from local residents. We will continue to patrol over the coming month and build intelligence to take steps to enforce when and where possible.

We take reports of drug use and drug dealing seriously and will enforce when we can, but this does also rely on us gaining intelligence from our residents – Please always contact us directly (either online, in person if we're at our office or by calling 101) if you have information that we may find useful!

Road Safety Issues

We will be looking at Road safety issues in Anstey and villages, including speeding, parking issues (especially around school times), obstructions in Anstey (in particular parking on Cropston Road), vehicles not complying with traffic signals in the Nook, and use of electric scooters in public places.

The schools are currently closed for the school holidays.

Over the last month we have unfortunately been very busy and operational demand has prevented us completing any speed enforcement operations.

We are always monitoring speed complaints at existing and new locations. If you have information or concerns at a location, please let us know.

New Beat Sargent Steve Downes:

Following Sgt Adkin's retirement, I am pleased to be taking on the role of Beat Sergeant for Anstey. Having worked in and around the Charnwood area for most of my policing career, I already have some familiarity with the local community and the challenges it faces. I am excited to get out and about, learn even more about the area, and meet residents, businesses and community groups as I settle into the role.

We would greatly appreciate it if you could take a moment to complete our Police confidence survey:

<https://survey.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk/Survey/GUID/e4207acb-bd0b-4000-b735-d4ae32bcffd6>

Survey Link QR Code



Beat Engagements and Events

Please see our beat surgery locations below. Feel free to pop in and chat with us if you have time.

[Anstey | Your area | Leicestershire Police](#)

Otherwise we can be contacted on the link below.

<https://www.leics.police.uk/area/your-area/local-policing-team-contact>

Get involved!

Please take this opportunity to raise any concerns you may have and to find out what we are doing to tackle the issues that matter to you.

We urge you to call 999 in an emergency - if you or someone else are in immediate danger, or a crime is in progress.

Please take the time to visit the site in order that you can come and share your views and help to develop the priorities that concern you. This can be done using the QR codes below.

Confidence Survey



Your Views Survey



Facebook : [Charnwood Police](#)

Community engagements

Saturday 29th August – Beat Surgeries

0900 – 0945 – Cropston (Station Road, near to Bradgate Road junction)

1000 – 1100 – Anstey (Methodist Church coffee morning)

1115 – 1215 – Anstey (Library)

1330 – 1500 - Newtown Linford (Police Box, Bradgate Road)