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# Earl Shilton & Barwell Newsletter #yousaidwedid

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## The Beat 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

<u><b>You Said</b></u>	<u><b>We did</b></u>
<b>Priority 1:- Road Safety Concerns relating to Road Safety around parking, speeding or loud cars causing nuisance or motorbikes being ridden in an anti-social manner.</b>	In recent weeks, considerable work has been undertaken on the beat to try and improve road safety through proactive policing and community engagement. Officers have carried out high-visibility patrols in areas with a history of speeding, dangerous driving, and poor pedestrian safety, particularly around schools, residential zones, and busy junctions. Additionally, officers have responded to community concerns by targeting illegal parking and obstruction offences, helping to ensure safer access for pedestrians and emergency vehicles. These actions have contributed to a noticeable improvement in driver behaviour and increased public confidence in local road safety efforts.
<b>Priority 2:- Drug dealing We are always looking for opportunities to gather sufficient intelligence to enforce by way of drugs warrants.</b>	Over the past few weeks, focused efforts have been made on the beat to address drug dealing and drug taking through a combination of intelligence-led patrols, community engagement, and partnership working. Officers have conducted high-visibility patrols in areas identified through local intelligence and resident reports as hotspots for drug activity, including alleyways, parks, and near retail areas. Stop and search powers have been used proportionately and effectively, resulting in several positive outcomes including drug seizures and arrests. Engagement with local residents has been key, with officers encouraging the public to report suspicious behaviour and providing reassurance about ongoing enforcement efforts. Joint operations with specialist units and housing officers have also been carried out, targeting known offenders and properties linked to drug misuse. These actions have not only disrupted criminal activity but also contributed to a safer and more confident community environment.

### Priority 3:- Anti-Social Behaviour

Over recent weeks, significant work has been carried out on the beat to tackle anti-social behaviour (ASB) through targeted patrols and community engagement. Officers have increased their visibility in known ASB hotspots, conducting regular foot patrols during peak hours to deter nuisance behaviour and reassure residents. These patrols have focused on areas identified through community feedback and incident reports, including parks and abandoned buildings. In addition to enforcement, officers have engaged with local businesses and youth groups to build rapport and encourage positive behaviour. Joint operations with partner agencies have also been conducted, addressing issues. The proactive presence has led to a noticeable reduction in reported incidents and strengthened public confidence in local policing efforts.

## News

Over the past month, officers on the beat have been working proactively to address rising concerns around anti-social behaviour and vehicle crime in the community. Regular patrols and have resulted in several key interventions, including the recovery of stolen vehicles and the identification of individuals linked to criminal damage and nuisance behaviour. Officers have also engaged with residents and local businesses to gather information and provide reassurance, helping to build a stronger sense of safety and trust. Collaborative efforts with partner agencies have supported enforcement actions and preventative measures, contributing to a noticeable reduction in incidents across hotspot areas.

PCSO Reed was out on patrol and came across a vehicle parked on the public highway. The vehicle was registered at SORN and was recovered under DVLA powers.

We want to raise awareness around vehicle crime and the steps you can take to protect your vehicle. Firstly double check your vehicle is locked, steering lock on, do not leave valuables in the car or on show and fit a steering lock to add additional security. Listen for the locking noise, lights to flash and where fitted folding mirrors

PCSO Reed and PC Nik have been to visit schools in the morning to reduce the risk of parking offences to ensure the safety of children in and around the schools area.

## Community engagements

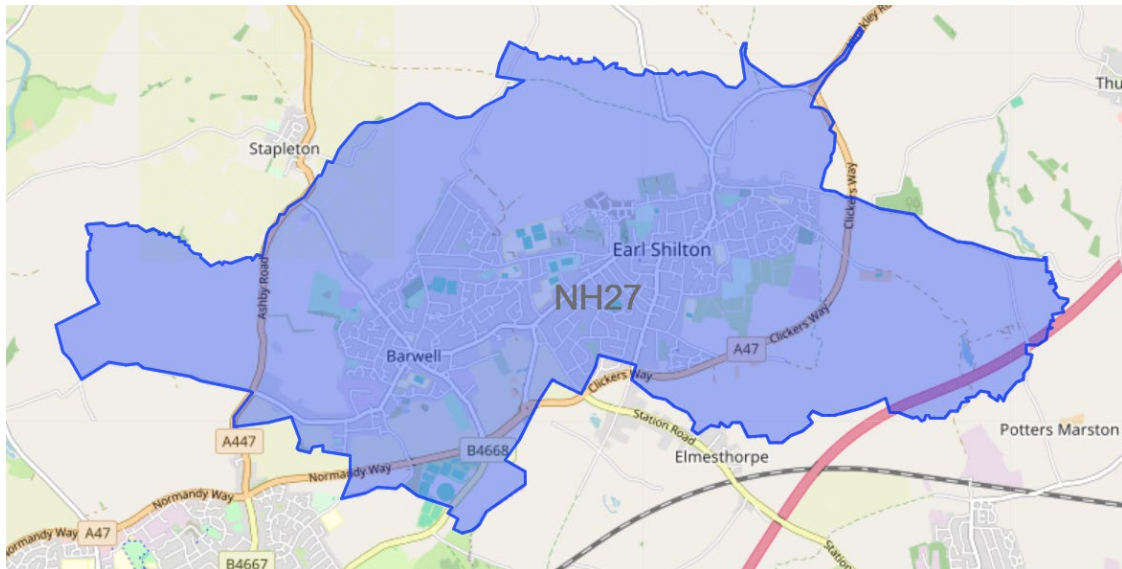
Don't miss out on our events:

**Tuesday 28/10/25 Beat surgery, Earl Shilton, Co Op 11:00-12:00.**

**Wednesday 29/10/25 Beat Surgery, Barwell, George Ward Centre 11:00-12:00.**

## Your Area

Below is a Map detailing the boundaries that form part of Beat NH27 – Earl Shilton and Barwell



### 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>
- Already have an account? Simply request a reminder if you have forgotten your username or password
- You can unsubscribe from the service at any time

Neighbourhood Link is not able to receive messages and you should not use it to contact the police. In an emergency always dial 999. If you wish to contact Leicestershire Police in other circumstances, for example to speak to local police or seek advice on police matters, you can call us by dialling 101 on your telephone or using any of the below sites. 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.

Your views Survey

