

Earl Shilton & Barwell Newsletter

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Your Local Team



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 and supported by the wider Policing family.

Your local Officers are:

Sgt Jarrod Paterson PC Nik Malbasa PC Chris Gutteridge PCSO Josh Reed

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

You Said	We did
Concerns relating to Road Safety whether it be parking, speeding or loud vehicles causing a nuisance or motorbikes being ridden in an anti-sociable manner.	Throughout June Op Flux has been running, target- ing drink and drug drivers, funded by Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Road Safety Partner- ship.
Drug dealing/taking. Drug dealing on the beat is still a priority. We are always looking for opportunities to gather sufficient intelligence to enforce by way of drugs warrants. Any opportunity to disrupt drug dealing will be grasped by the team.	£13,000 worth of drugs have been seized, see full update below.
Anti-Social Behaviour. Where ASB has occurred reports have been made and identifiable perpetrators have been dealt with.	Patrols carried out at ASB hot spots.

News

PC Nik and PCSO Reed have been out on patrol around the beat and popping into local parks and other areas where we have recently seen a rise in ASB and other activities. All was, as we say in the job 'Q' and no issues were detected whilst on patrols.

Our Neighbourhood Priority Team (NPT) whom do more of our 'secret squirrel' jobs and targeting those that cause harm to our lovely area, have been out and about doing what they



do best. Using some technology on board they were alerted to a car that seemed to be up to no good in Barwell. Before too long they spotted the motor and upon getting behind it, the driver quickly decided he didn't want a cop car following him, a sharp turn to try and get away led him to a dead end and building site in Elmesthorpe. Blocking the only exit the sergeant gave chase on foot round the unbuilt houses keeping up with the car! As he continued to try and evade them he threw a package from his car which was quickly picked up and then his journey came to an end as he ran out of road (well muddy track!) and came face to face with the rest of the team that were waiting for him! A check in the bag and bingo what turned out following expert examination to be just under £13,000 worth of drugs including cocaine, heroin, crack and Ketamine. The unfortunate chap also had no insurance or licence so off his car went too! After and interview and a quick chat to the CPS 6 charges were authorised and he will be spending the night in the cells before heading off to court tomorrow and then most likely to prison! That brings this little teams drug haul to £120,000 so far this year with this bust being one of the highest of the year!

PC Nik and PCSO Reed were accompanied by PC Sam from H shift Hinckley Response in attendance at Townlands C of E Primary Academy. We spoke to three different year groups with a Q&A, a look at police equipment and letting all the students have a look around and a sit in the police car.



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: <u>https://www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk</u>

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



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Beat Surgery Earl Shilton Co Op, Wood St, Earl Shilton

22nd July 2025 11-12 Come to your local beat surgery and chat with your local PC/PCSO and discuss any issues you are facing in your area.