

Northamptonshire Talking



Newsletter

Welcome Wellingborough

Welcome to the Northamptonshire Talking newsletter designed to keep you up to date on how this platform is being used to keep you and your communities safe.

Over **48,000** people have signed up to the platform. Northamptonshire Police want to thank you for the huge role you are playing to help them tackle crime and protect people, by responding to their messages and providing vital information.

Meet your local team

You can find out who your local team is by entering your postcode on the [contact page](#), which will take you through to your area. Your PCSO's are your community contacts who can offer support and advice about local crime concerns. The teams also hold regular community surgeries and beat buses which give you a chance to meet your team in person. These are advertised in advance and you can see them on your local area page.

Your PCSOs

PCSO Turney
PCSO Dobson
PCSO Fenner
PCSO Cross

Q3 Engagement Statistics

From July to September, your Neighbourhood Policing Team held **122** community surgeries, events and beat buses.

Community engagements play a huge role in strengthening ties between communities and the police. They give you a chance to meet your local teams, ask advice and guidance on your concerns, and stay up to date with important issues.

30

Community surgeries

76

Community events

16

Beat buses

WELLINGBOROUGH UPDATES



Man jailed for assault

A 38 year old man from Wellingborough was found guilty at Northampton Crown Court of non-fatal strangulation, causing actual bodily harm and assault on a police officer. In August, he was sentenced to four years in prison, and ordered not to contact his ex-partner either directly or through a third party, not to attend her home and instructed to pay £228 court costs.

If you have been affected by any of the issues raised in this report, find advice and support – including how to make a report [here](#). Report non-emergency crime and information via 101 or online at www.northants.police.uk/RO. In an emergency, always call 999. Find out more about making an application under Clare's Law [here](#).

Community surgeries

Your team regularly hold community surgeries which give you the chance to meet your PCSOs in person, and discuss any crime concerns you may have. Details of these surgeries are advertised in advance and you can see upcoming events on your local area page [here](#).

Vehicle crimes

Officers from your neighbourhood team have been made aware from residents of recent vehicle crimes. If you have been a victim of vehicle crime, please report it to us. Likewise, if you have evidence that could assist our investigation, please share it with us. That includes doorbell footage.

There are some simple but effective things you can do to help protect your vehicle:

- Park your car in a garage or driveway if possible, or on a busy, well-lit road. Choose a ParkMark® accredited public car park wherever possible
- Never leave anything on display in your car. The cost to repair damage to the vehicle will usually exceed the value of the theft
- Drivers of some Toyota and Honda vehicles and some 4 x 4's should install measures to deter theft of catalytic converters e.g [Catloc](#) | [Catalytic Converter Theft Protection](#)

Further security tips and crime prevention advice can be found on the [Northamptonshire Police website](#) and on the [Neighbourhood Watch website](#). If you would like to contact your local policing team,

You can report incidents [online](#) or by calling 101. You can also submit video footage via this link. You can contact the Wellingborough Neighbourhood Policing Team via [email](#).

GENERAL UPDATES



Have a question?

Northamptonshire residents are being invited to put their questions on crime and policing to Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Danielle Stone and Chief Constable Ivan Balhatchet at an online public meeting next month. The event will take place between 6.30pm and 8pm on Tuesday, October 21, and will be live streamed on both the Commissioner's and the Northamptonshire Police Facebook pages www.facebook.com/NorthantsOPFCC www.facebook.com/northantspolice.

For those that don't have a Facebook account, the event will also be live streamed on Northamptonshire Police's YouTube, where you do not require an account to view. The link to the YouTube page will be shared closer to the event date. Questions about any policing or community safety issue are welcomed – potentially covering subjects such as neighbourhood policing, violence against women and girls, retail crime and town centre safety, road safety or funding. Questions can be sent now on email - chiefschat@northants.police.uk.

Names won't be read out during the broadcast or shared online. Questions can also be sent anonymously using an email link that will go live 14 days before the broadcast. And questions can also be asked live during the broadcast through the Facebook chat. Danielle and Ivan will answer as many questions as they can in the time available.

Op Snap

This scheme allows the public to submit dashcam evidence online regarding road offences within 14 days of the offence. The team **can only accept video footage**. They will then prosecute the driver with a notice of intended prosecution.

In August 2025, there were 298 submissions to Op Snap. You can submit your footage here [Northamptonshire Police Operation Snap](#).

Anyone who submits footage via Operation Snap can find out the outcome of their submission by following the link on their confirmation email which will take them to a monthly update.



We value your feedback

Please rate this message and let us know what you thought of the quarterly issue. If you have any topics you would like to see in the next issue, please let us know.