



Leicestershire
Police
Protecting our communities

Blaby, Cosby, Glen Parva & Whetstone Newsletter



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Your Local Team



From left to right:
Sgt Jason Pemberton
PC Callum Graham
PCSO Calum Loades
PC Dan Bond

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

You Said	We did
Anti-social behaviour . General ASB, congregating youths, e-scooters and bikes.	Incidents of drug dealing have been noted and intelligence has been submitted.
Burglaries both residential and commercial	See below
Road Safety including car cruising, anti-social driving and vehicle safety has been highlighted by the public as an issue.	See below

News

We've had a few reports of distraction burglaries in your area over the last month. Offenders are pretending to be from the 'water company' – saying there's a leak or they need to check your supply – just to get inside your home. While one keeps you talking, another searches for valuables. Here's how to stay safe: Check their ID – and use the official number from the company's website, not the one they give you. Keep the door chain on when speaking to anyone you're not expecting. Don't feel pressured – real workers won't mind you

double-checking. Set up a password scheme with your utility provider for planned visits. If something feels off, close the door and call 999. The beat team are carrying out targeted patrols. These criminals often target older or more vulnerable residents, so please check in on relatives, friends and neighbours who might need extra support.

We want to hear your views on crime and anti-social behaviour where you live. The Hinckley & Bosworth and Blaby Community Safety Partnership would like to hear your views by completing a survey which should take no longer than 15 minutes. Your views will be used to help improve the work undertaken within Hinckley and Bosworth and Blaby to prevent crime and anti-social behaviour and to protect local communities. The survey closes on 24 January 2026:

www.surveymonkey.com/r/HBBsurvey2526

PCs 892 Dan, 1071 Callum and PCSO 6641 Calum teamed up with Blaby District, City of Wolverhampton Council, and the Driver & Vehicle Standards Agency for a multi-agency operation checking taxis for roadworthiness and driver compliance. Road safety has been highlighted as a priority by many of our residents on the beat. Partnership work like this is especially important over the festive period, when more people are out and about and relying on taxis to get home safely. It helps us tackle drivers who leave vehicles in unsafe conditions – putting passengers and other road users at risk. Here's what we found: 15 taxis inspected (all licensed by Wolverhampton City Council) 2 taxis taken off the road immediately by DVSA, 7 delayed prohibitions issued, 6 taxi plates removed, 4 taxis given advice on minor defects and 3 vehicles had no issues at all. These checks make a real difference in keeping people safe. Thanks to all the agencies involved further operations will be held in the future.



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



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Beat Surgery

Your local beat officers will be

available at the

Co-op Food
Cambridge Rd, Whetstone,
14th January
10.30-11.30