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Alcester Police SNTs. Latest Weekly Report. Sunday 29th November 2026

Based at Alcester Police Station, The Safer Neighbourhood team's primary roles are around crime prevention, problem solving both long standing or emerging issues of community concern and community engagement. We are supported at Alcester by colleagues from Patrol teams whose role is to respond to incidents and investigate crimes that occur in the area 24/7. The SNT is supervised by Inspector Rebecca Wrighting who leads on Neighbourhood Policing for Stratford District and Sgt Ebbs who also oversees neighbourhood Policing in the Shipston on Stour area. The Alcester SNT currently consists of Police officers and Police Community Support Officers, and our contact details are shown above.

Hello all.

This is our latest combined weekly report and prompt to see if you have any questions, suggestions or concerns for the Alcester Police Safer Neighbourhood Teams. Thank you to those that have contacted the Teams this week. If you would like to be removed from this local email circulation list, please let me know asap. This report will also be sent out on the Warwickshire Connected alert system.

For operational and privacy reasons not all the incidents that occur on the Alcester area are listed in this report, although they are recorded on police systems. Please remember to report any anti-social behaviour, suspicious activity or crimes to us as soon as possible - this can be done via the 101 and 999 telephone numbers or if not an emergency via our online reporting forms that can be found on our website. If you have any information or cctv footage that may relate to the incidents listed, please contact us.

Incidents of a public interest from the last week: -

ALCESTER

Vehicle Crime / Attempt Burglary. Newport Drive. Vehicle entered and items stolen, including keys. The offender has then tried to gain access to the house with these keys but was unsuccessful. Around 4.20am Saturday 28th November. 0053 28/11/2026

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Vehicle Crime. A46 layby. Diesel stolen from lorry. Overnight 23rd & 24th November. 0042 24/11/2026

OVERSLEY GREEN

Burglary. Mill Lane. Lock barrel in door removed and entry gained. Items stolen included a Nintendo Switch games console and iPad. Between 6pm and 9.30pm Friday 27th November. 0293 25/11/2026

Vehicle Crime. Mill Lane. Black Land Rover Discovery Estate stolen without key. Between 8pm 27th and 6.30am 28th November. 0071 28/11/2026 This vehicle was later found in the car park in Kingley Avenue, access opposite the schools.

BIDFORD

ASB. Marleigh Park. Ongoing issue with a group of youngsters shouting and swearing in the park and being a general nuisance to nearby houses. Reported Friday 27th November. 0267 27/11/2026

ASB. High Street. Ongoing issue with a group of males that keep entering the shops and harassing the staff. Potentially also responsible for previous shoplifting offences. Reported Friday 27th November. 0266 27/11/2026

ASB. Marriage Hill / near to the A46. Two males dressed all in black throwing things at passing vehicles. Around 4.40pm Thursday 26th November. 0254 26/11/2026

Vehicle Crime. Waterloo Park. Marked business van stolen from property without key. 2am Tuesday 24th November. 0120 24/11/2026

Suspicious Circumstances. Chestnut Way. Male seen hanging around vehicles in the area before running off towards the Miller Homes estate. 10.20am Tuesday 24th November. 0115 24/11/2026

Burglary. Waterloo Park / Smallbrook Business Centre. Several businesses targeted by offenders, damaging shutters etc. Overnight 23rd & 24th November. 0078 24/11/2026

SALFORD PRIORS

ASB. Priors Crescent area. Ongoing issue with a group of youngsters going around the area banging on doors and windows. Caller concerned for the welfare of the elderly residents in the area. Reported Friday 27th November. 0390 27/11/2026

ABBOTS SALFORD

Suspicious Circumstances. Cleeve Road area. Black Range Rover with possible personalised number plate seen acting suspiciously in the area. Vehicle parked up and the passenger had a look at a property before it drove off again. No offences disclosed at the time. 1pm Thursday 26th November. 0216 26/11/2026

ASTON CANTLOW

Burglary. Bearley Road. Secure gates forced open and business premises entered. Various items stolen including a Green and Yellow John Deere 865 Utility Vehicle and tools. Between 10pm 25th and 5am 26th November. 0035 26/11/2026

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WELFORD

Burglary. Church Street. First floor window forced open and entry gained. Items stolen included car keys. Subsequently a Blue Mercedes CLA 180 Estate was also stolen from the address. Between 11pm 26th and 7.45am 27th November. 0065 27/11/2026

STUDLEY

Vehicle Crime. Church Street. White Ford Transit Custom stolen without key. Van has side windows and a roof rack. Between 5pm 28th and 9am 29th November. 0111 29/11/2026

HENLEY

Theft. Store, High Street. Various items stolen by way of shoplifting. White male and female, late 30's, both wearing large coats in order to hide the items. 8.40pm Saturday 28th November. 0349 28/11/2026

Damage / Vehicle Crime. Car park, William James Way. Three males seen trying to gain access to cars. Window smashed in one of them. When confronted by a member of the public they ran off towards the High Street. 11.30pm Thursday 26th November. 0400 26/11/2026

TANWORTH

Burglary. Poolhead Lane. Glass in door smashed and entry gained. Safe, Jewellery and Car keys stolen. Subsequently a Grey Porsche 911 Coupe was also taken from the property. Between 6.30pm and 7.30pm Wednesday 25th November. 0375 25/11/2026

Burglary. Penn Lane. Glass smashed and entry gained. Untidy search made and items taken including jewellery. Between 8.15am and 6pm Wednesday 25th November. 0329 25/11/2026

CLAVERDON

Burglary. Kington Lane. Two males wearing balaclavas disturbed opening a door to property. When they realised someone was there, they ran off from the property and across fields. 6.30pm Wednesday 25th November. 0356 25/11/2026

Women & Girls Walkabout & Talk – Alcester - Wednesday 2nd December

Meet outside The Greig Hall at 7:00pm – walk until 7:30pm.

Join Alcester Safer Neighbourhood Team for a friendly walkabout around Alcester.
This informal event is an opportunity for women and girls to speak with local officers about personal safety, Violence Against Women and Girls, areas of concern within the town, and how we can work together to make Alcester a safer place for everyone.

If there is a great interest in this event, we will arrange further dates.



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Update from Alcester Safer Neighbourhood Team

Over recent weeks, we have become aware of concerns being raised on social media and within online community groups regarding reports of antisocial behaviour in Alcester, as well as perceptions that insufficient action is being taken to address these issues.

We want to reassure residents that we take every report of antisocial behaviour seriously. Whenever incidents are reported to Warwickshire Police, they are reviewed and followed up by your local Safer Neighbourhood Team.

While we fully understand that some community members are concerned, the number of incidents reported to us remains very low and does not currently reflect the levels of offending alleged online.

In many cases, reports made in good faith have been investigated and found not to constitute criminality or antisocial behaviour.

However, every report helps us build a clearer picture of what is happening within our community and allows us to take appropriate action where necessary.

Where intervention has been required, the team has worked closely with colleagues across Warwickshire Police and partner agencies to address concerns. This has included issuing warning letters and other preventative measures, as well as taking robust action against those responsible for criminal offences.

Recent outcomes have included multiple arrests, several individuals being charged and brought before the courts, the issuance of civil orders to restrict those causing harm within our communities, and one offender receiving a custodial sentence.

More recently, the team successfully secured Alcester's first Closure Order through the courts. This action was taken to protect a vulnerable resident and address ongoing issues affecting the local area.

We remain committed to maintaining a visible presence in Alcester. Over the last four months, officers and PCSOs have completed nearly 100 hours of foot patrol within the town and will continue to patrol key locations and engage with residents.

We are also pleased to announce that we will soon be launching our new "Walk with Us" initiative, which has already proven successful in other areas and will provide further opportunities for residents to raise concerns directly with local officers.

The information we receive through calls for service, community engagement, and resident surveys continues to indicate that Alcester remains a safe place to live, work and visit, with relatively low levels of crime and antisocial behaviour.

We are conscious, however, that discussions on social media can sometimes create a perception that issues are more widespread than the evidence currently suggests. We fully understand that even isolated incidents can have a significant impact on those affected, and we remain committed to listening to and supporting our community.

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If you're worried about something you've seen, make a report. If you are concerned about something you've heard about, come and talk to us at one of our community meetings or by dropping us an email at Alcester.SNT@Warwickshire.police.uk

You will never be wasting our time.

We know that some incidents go unreported, and without that information it can be more difficult to identify patterns, target resources, and take action where needed. If you witness criminality or antisocial behaviour, please report it to Warwickshire Police:

- 999 in an emergency
- 101 for non-emergency matters
- Online via the Warwickshire Police website

You can also speak directly with members of your local Safer Neighbourhood Team at one of our regular community engagement events and surgeries. Details can be found on the Warwickshire Police website.

Thank you for your continued support, feedback and engagement. By working together, we can ensure that Alcester remains a safe and welcoming community for everyone.

Sgt David Ebbs - Alcester Safer Neighbourhood Team

Information below taken from the CrimeStoppers Website.

Visit their site for further information.

CrimeStoppers.
0800 555 111
100% anonymous. Always.

"Between April 2025 and March 2026, we sent police forces over 268,000 anonymous crime reports - that's an average of 734 per day and 30 per hour... but what do we mean by 'anonymous'?

You may be thinking about using our service or just want a deeper understanding of our **anonymity promise**. We've put together short videos to explain the steps we take to ensure you remain 100% anonymous. Always.
There may be times when information received by Crimestoppers is passed on to our **trusted partner organisations**. Crimestoppers will only share this information to help keep communities and workplaces safe.

To give information, call 0800 555 111 or fill in our online form".
https://crimestoppers-uk.org/give-information/forms/pre-form

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