



### PSYV PERTH ANNUAL AWARDS CEREMONY AND PASSING OUT PARADE



Wednesday 2nd April 2025, PSYV Perth held their annual awards ceremony and passing out parade.

6 youth volunteers were recognised for having completed their initial training programme and awarded their certificates by Sgt Craig, Kinross Community Sgt who oversees PSYV locally.

They were then joined by their longer serving peers to carry out a drill display in front of families and invited guests before having a formal inspection carried out by Chief Superintendent Russell, Chief Inspector Burns and Bailie Ahern.

The awards night continued to recognise the hard work and dedication our youth volunteers have put into their communities, having completed 90 deployments and over 2500 hours in the last 12 months.

These hours were recognised by handing out Saltire Awards, many youths earning between 100-200 hours.



Our head youth volunteer was granted her 500 hour award, a phenomenal achievement. Thanks goes to David MacLuskey, Chief Education Officer at Perth and Kinross Council for assisting in handing out these awards

We moved on to our annual awards section and recognized both youth and adult volunteers alike. Categories including partnership recognition award, commitment award, leadership award, best youth volunteer, best adult volunteer and police knowledge award. Very well done to our winners.



We concluded our evening by presenting a cheque to RASAC, our chosen charity for 2024. Although self-funded, the group participate in various fundraising activities throughout the year and were delighted to have raised a total of £1400 for RASAC.

Massive thanks and well done to PSYV Perth and to each and every guest who attended on the night.





### Primary School Cross Country



Fantastic morning spent at the Perth and Kinross Primary Schools Cross Country Championships held at Perth Racecourse recently. Great effort from all those taking part including the 3 teams from P6 and P7 Methven PS. Methven PS, who helped to name one of our Electric Police Bikes in a previous competition, put in a great effort and special mention must go to Kezi from Methven PS for winning the P7 girls race.

### Speed Checks - Scone

Following concerns raised from residents speed checks were recently carried out in Stormont Road, Scone, Perth by the Community Policing Team. Unfortunately four drivers required warnings to keep their speed down whilst passing RDM Primary School.



### Man Charged – Alcohol Offences

A 23-year-old man has been charged in connection with allowing the sale of alcohol to a child.

It follows an investigation after an incident on the High Street in Kinross was reported to police on Saturday, 15 March, 2025.

The man has been charged with offences under the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 and has been reported to the Procurator Fiscal.

### Local News and Updates

A vehicle parked near Ben Lawers was broken into on 28<sup>th</sup> March 2025 and items stolen from within. This is being investigated as a theft.

A vehicle parked in Commercial Street, Blairgowrie was damaged and had a window broken whilst parked up on 28<sup>th</sup> March 2025. The matter is under investigation as a vandalism.

An address in Duchlage Road, Crieff, sustained damage to the front door on 21<sup>st</sup> March 2025. This is considered a vandalism and is being investigated.

A retail premises in Crieff had graffiti sprayed on its shutters around the 19<sup>th</sup> of March 2025. The incident is being investigated

A 23 year old male has been reported to the Procurator Fiscal after he was found to be under the influence of cocaine after a road traffic collision in Cargill during February 2025.

A vehicle parked near Inchturre on 7<sup>th</sup> April 2025 was found to be damaged in that the roof was scratched. This is being investigated and treated as a vandalism.

A property in Sauchie Terrace, Crieff, had the kitchen window smashed in the early hours of 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2025. The matter is currently being investigated.

A 22 year old male will be reported to the Procurator Fiscal after failing to stop at a red light on Dunkeld Road, Perth on 5<sup>th</sup> April.

A 45 year old female appeared at court after she failed to provide a roadside breath test after she was found to be driving on the A9 on 29<sup>th</sup> March 2025.





### Links and Further Information

As we receive reports of crime, the information is shared on

<https://www.pkcommunitywatch.co.uk/>

I would encourage you to sign up for notifications.

Guidance on how to protect your property is available via Community Watch as well as on the Police Scotland Website, just click or copy and paste the following link:-

<https://www.scotland.police.uk/advice-and-information/>

Keep up to date with everything we are doing and all appeals by visiting the following sites:-

<https://twitter.com/policescotland>

<https://www.facebook.com/PoliceScotland>

<http://www.scotland.police.uk>

<http://www.pkcommunitywatch.co.uk>

### Your Community Policing Teams

#### Locality Inspectors

#### PERTH CITY CENTRE -

PERTH CITY NORTH - PI Nicola Robb

PERTH CITY SOUTH - PI Kristopher McCall

NORTH - PI James Longden

*Blairgowrie & Glens, Highland, Strathtay, Strathmore, Carse of Gowrie*

SOUTH - PI Peter Duncan

*Strathearn, Strathallan, Almond & Earn, Kinross-shire*

### Your Community Policing Teams

If you wish to make contact with your local community Officer please use the following e-mail addresses:

#### Perth

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**Regards,**

**Greg Burns**

**Local Area Commander**

**Perth and Kinross**