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South Wigston Newsletter #yousaidwedid

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What matters to you:

We have listened to you and the concerns you raised and prioritised the following:

Burglary

Burglaries have been raised as the top priority for South Wigston.

Road Safety

General road safety and speeding are frequently raised as a priority locally.

Antisocial Behaviour

ASB – specifically illegal and dangerous motorcycles, have been raised as a concern

What we have done #yousaidwedid

We are pleased to report that there have only been two **burglaries** in South Wigston in the first two months of 2026, with over 50 days now since the last report.

Whilst this is likely a normal seasonal shift – as we usually see less burglaries this time of year in the area – we are hopeful that our efforts will help keep this number down as we enter Spring and Summer.

We will continue our high visibility patrols and we are looking to source additional external funding to provide more security for those most concerned or most at risk.

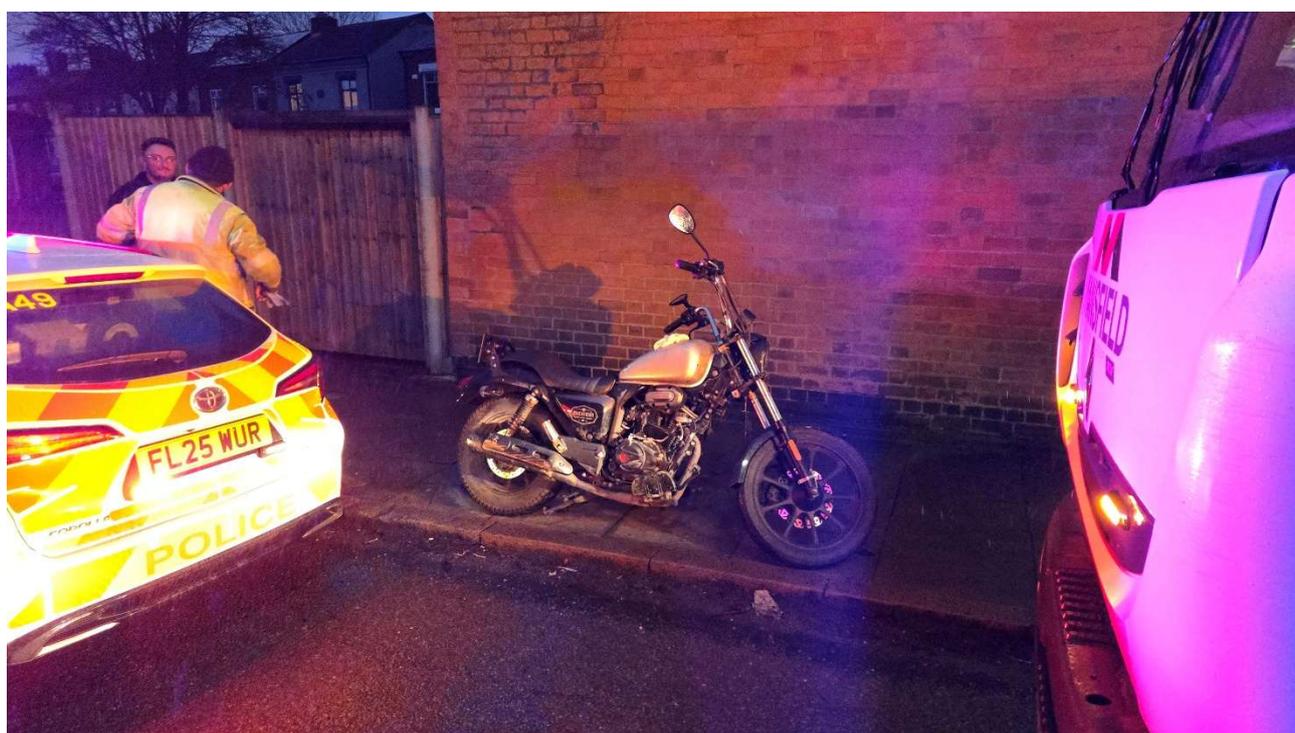
We hope to update you with additional good news on this matter in the coming months.

Road Safety is a year-round priority for us and we all take a dim view of those who flout the rules. In February we conducted a 'Fatal 4' operation in South Wigston alongside police volunteers and our specialist colleagues in Roads Policing.

This operation targeted drivers using their phones (and other distractions), driving whilst unfit through drink or drugs, speeding drivers and those not wearing their seatbelts.

It was also a great opportunity to check documents as far too many people believe that Tax, MOT and insurance are optional – they are not.

Not including results from the Fatal 4 operation, so far this year your beat team have stopped well over 40 vehicles in South Wigston, seized several for offences such as antisocial driving and driving without insurance, and we are now increasing our focus on e-bikes – seizing them on the spot and reporting riders who fail to stop.



E-bikes make up a large proportion of reports of **Antisocial Behaviour** in South Wigston. Whilst some are legal (if ridden safely), a large number are not! Any bike that does not conform to EAPC regulations is considered to be a motorcycle and should be ridden as such, with insurance, tax, MOT and a number plate. We are stopping and seizing more e-bikes and will continue to increase this number through summer months. There is no way to claim these bikes back and they are all destroyed.

Please continue to report your concerns to us – whilst we may not be able to deal with all incidents immediately (as we are a small team and there are a lot more law breakers on e-bikes than there are of us), we will always look into reports to try and identify riders and bring them to justice.



(these two were seized within just a few minutes on Blaby Road – capable of 50mph, these are not toys)

Engagements and Events

Community Engagements:

09/03/26 17:00-18:00 – Tesco Café, Blaby Road

02/04/2026 12:00-13:00 – NWSLC Blaby Road (students only)

06/05/2026 10:00-11:00 – Salvation Army Coffee Shop, Ladysmith Road

More community engagements and other events will be listed soon for the New Year – keep an eye on Neighbourhood Link and social media for updates

You can keep up to date with what your local beat team gets up to by following us on social media: [Oadby and Wigston Police | Facebook](#)