

Northamptonshire Talking



Newsletter

Welcome Daventry

Welcome to the Northamptonshire Talking quarterly 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 Bates- ND1
PCSO Sangster ND1
PCSO Barton- ND2
PCSO Lumbis- ND2
PCSO Cumming ND3
PCSO Miller- ND4
PCSO Cooksammy ND4

Q3 Engagement Statistics

From July to September, your Neighbourhood Policing Team held **48** 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.

15 | Community Surgeries

18 | Community Events

15 | Beat buses

DAVENTRY UPDATES



Illegal e-bike seizure

This summer, two illegal e-bikes were seized in Daventry by the neighbourhoods and Operation Fragment teams. The first bike seized under S59 powers was a Surron e-bike, which was being ridden offroad on public land. The second seizure was a modified mountain bike, which is classified as a mechanically propelled vehicle. This bike is capable of reaching speeds over the legal limit, making them difficult to control and increasing the likelihood of serious accidents with pedestrians and other road users. If you have information about illegal e-bikes in the area, please contact the neighbourhood policing team by finding your officers [here](#).

Crick playing field ASB

Officers from Daventry NPT received concerns from residents about incidents of anti-social behaviour in the shrubbery at Crick playing field. PCSO Conopo and colleagues from a local landscape company attended the area and removed all of the overgrowth leaving a clean, safe space for people in the community. Inconsiderate behaviour such as public disorder and public urination is a form of community ASB which can have a detrimental impact on community members and their quality of life.



Beat Bus success!

PCSOs Barton and Lumbis recently held a beat bus surgery in Creton. Surgeries are a useful way to speak to local officers in person, raise any issues or concerns, and receive crime prevention advice. We advertise our community surgeries online [here](#) in advance, so you can see where we will be.



DAVENTRY UPDATES



Vehicle removals

Officers from Daventry NPT received a report from a member of the public about a vehicle that had no road tax, MOT, or insurance. The car was parked on a public highway and officers were able to remove the vehicle. Officers further identified four untaxed vehicles on the High March Industrial Estate. If you wish to report a vehicle that appears to be untaxed and used or kept on the road, you can let the DVLA know by completing an online form [here](#).

You must tax your vehicle if you're using it or keeping it on a public road. If you're keeping the vehicle off the road, it must either be taxed or have a Statutory Off-Road Notification (SORN). Motorists who do not tax their vehicle can face financial penalties, court action and the risk of having their vehicles clamped or impounded.

Dodford nursery visit

This summer, PCSO Cooksammy has been out and about meeting young children at a nursery in Dodford. Nursery visits such as this educate children about the role of an officer, teach them how to get help in an emergency, and show them police equipment like vehicles and hats. Positioning police officers as trusted figures who are there to help and keep people safe, supports a positive relationship from a young age. To get in touch and arrange a visit to your community, contact the team [here](#).



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.