

SAFER Neighbourhood NEWS

April 2025

Bakewell Safer Neighbourhood Team

Update on Priorities

As you may be aware, the priorities over the last 3 months for Bakewell Safer Neighbourhood Team across all the areas we cover has been the following:

- Burglaries of dwelling's and outbuildings.
- Parking offences.
- Road Safety issues.

Following continued consultation last month with communities and reviews of your concerns, passed to us through Derbyshire Talking surveys and at community engagement events, we will be continuing to look at these priorities mentioned above.

We will therefore work to minimise these issues and address your concerns over the coming months, working with partner agencies where required. We will, as always, post updates regarding our work on our social media channels

There will be a consultation with communities in regard to our next quarterly set of priorities towards the end of June. If you wish to have your say and tell us what your concerns are then please complete the Derbyshire Talking survey.



Running this month from the 19th to 26th will be Operation Sceptre, an operation where the police will be focussing on the dangers of knives and targeting areas of the community to raise awareness during this time. Throughout the period, officers from the Safer Neighbourhood Team will be engaging with the local communities at public engagement events, businesses with heavy footfall and your local school.

At the community engagement events, there will be a Knife Amnesty Bin available for you to dispose of any unwanted knives. These dates will be sent out on our SNT Facebook page and Derbyshire Alert.

Bakewell Safer

Neighbourhood Team

PC Shaun Jakins, PCSO Hayley Radcliffe

PCSO Anthony Boswell

May's Community Engagements

6th May – 3.30pm to 4pm

Outside Bakewell Methodist Academy.

7th May – 3pm to 3.30pm

Outside Bakewell Infants School

7th May – 5pm to 6pm

Crime Prevention event at Aldi, Bakewell

8th May, 2pm to 3.30pm,

Open Door Event, Bakewell Methodist Church

12th May, 10.30am to 12noon

Coffee Morning, Methodist Church, Bakewell

17th May, 2pm to 3pm

Outside Co-op Store, Bakewell

24th May, 10am to 11am

Tideswell Community Library

Further Engagements will be advertised via
Derbyshire Alert and our SNT Facebook Page

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www.derbyshire.police.uk

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Doorstep Crime Prevention Advice

Following reports of doorstep sellers we are issuing the following safety advice;

- Ensure your back door is locked before you go to the front door
- Use your door bar / chain / viewer
- Arrange appointments for callers to come back when you have a friend or relative with you
- Always ask for ID and check it carefully, photograph it to check out with their employer / police
- If in Doubt KEEP THEM OUT
- Report unwanted callers to Trading Standards or Consumer Helpline on 0808 223 1133

Report suspicious actions to the police on 101 or 999 in an emergency To find a Trusted Trader Call Derbyshire on 01629 533190 or visit www.derbyshire.gov.uk/tt

Community Engagement

A few of you may have seen the Safer Neighbourhood Team at various events, schools or community groups over the past few months in communities. If you would like the team to hold a Community Catch Up Event in your community, or even attend an event you are holding plus do talk at schools and community group, please get in touch.

Burglaries

During the month of April there has been a few burglaries reported whereby residential properties and outbuilding have been targeted. With this mind, the team asks you to remain vigilant, remember your security and please report suspicious activity to on the below contact methods.

Community Speed Watch

Community Speed Watch is a national initiative ran by volunteers in communities where speeding and road safety is of a concern. The aim is to monitor and record the speed and registration of speeding vehicles through communities in an attempt to improve driver behaviour, by encouraging drivers to slow down and thereby preventing collisions. The activity allows the police to send letter of advice to the registered keeper of the vehicle warning them of the driver's behaviour and dissatisfaction of the community through which the vehicle travelled.

If you have a concern regarding speeding your community and would like to set up a scheme in your area or join an current scheme then please get in touch with the team to discuss.

Website – We have crime reporting tools on our website: <https://www.derbyshire.police.uk/>

Facebook – send us a private message to the Derbyshire Constabulary Facebook page

Phone – call us on 101

You can also anonymously contact the independent charity CrimeStoppers, on 0800 555 111, or by visiting the CrimeStoppers website: <https://crimestoppers-uk.org/>