

# **Charnwood East Newsletter**

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# **Your Local Team**







PC 1651 Jason STOWELL



**PC 815 Christopher FALLE** 



**PCSO 6053** Sophie KING



**PCSO 6098** Lesley HARRISON

# What matters to you and what we will do!

We have listened to you and the concerns you raised and will prioritise the following,

What you have said	Action taken
"There have been issues with obstructions on roads and parking around schools at drop off times"	We have continued to conduct high visibility patrols around schools. A school visit has been organised to provide road safety advice to some of the children. We are also liaising with the council for support from their camera car.
"There have been problems with antisocial behaviour in and around the Thurmaston shopping centre"	Regular patrols have continued to take place at the shopping centre where we have engaged with involved persons and have been issued with community resolutions.  We have conducted several beat surgery's at the location
"Speeding is a concern"	Regular patrols have been conducted in areas highlighted as a concern. A planned operation took place 12th February in East Goscote on a areas of concern and further events are planned in other areas.











## The Beat Team News

Everyday your local beat team are conducting marked Police car patrols through the villages of Charnwood East. These villages are Syston, Thurmaston, Thrussington, East Goscote, Ratcliffe on the Wreake, Barkby, Barbky Thorpe, Beeby, Rearsby, Hamilton Lea, Queniborough, South Croxton.





On Wednesday 14th February, PCSO 6053 Sophie KING and PC 1651 Jason STOWELL held a community engagement at Roots At Thorpe Farm, Barkby Thorpe. Thank you to those that attended and raised your

concerns.

As most of you are all aware of the weekly car cruise at Mcdonalds, Thurmaston and Rayns Way, Syston. The beat team are conducting marked police car patrols and foot patrols regularly around the areas that are most affected by the car cruise. We are aware of this issue and as a force we are tackling this with the resources we have.

On Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th February PCSO 6053 Sophie KING held two meet and greets at Syston Town Square and Thurmaston Retail park. Thank you to those that came down and raised their concerns.

> Please check out our social media for updates on our community engagements!

There has been a significant increase in anti-social behaviour within Syston Town Square. Those involved have been identified and have been dealt with by your local beat team. This is currently a **HOTSPOT** area for anti-social behaviour which is been patrolled daily by your local beat team.

On Monday 12th February, PCSO 6098 Lesley HARRISON and PC 815 Chris FALLE conducted speeding checks along Long Furrow, East Goscote due to reports of speeding vehicles. Please ensure this is not you and you are sticking to the



speed limits!



As requested from the schools, we have been able to gain signs showing

## "THINK BEFORE YOU PARK!"

These signs have been given out to a few of our schools and the schools without will be handed some in the near future.

Please can we all keep good habits of being considerate as to where you are parking your vehicle on the school run!

If you are able to please walk to school.

Park away from the school in a sensible place and walk to drop off or pick up your children.

Please be considerate to the residents living near to a school.

Please don't block drive ways and please leave room for residents to gain access to their properties.











## What to be aware of!

There has been a general increase in theft from motor vehicles force wide, please visit our force website to learn more about our 5 golden rules when leaving your vehicle unattended;

- 1. Park in well-used and brighter locations
- 2. Hide your stuff away
- 3. Protect your windows
- 4. Pick your car park carefully

#### 5. Make space

#### Your checklist

When you park your vehicle, just follow these simple tips:

- close your sunroof
- check you haven't left your keys in the ignition
- don't keep your log book in the car
- double-check your central locking has actually locked – listen for the clunk/click noise (if you've got keyless then look through the window to check)
- don't leave your car with the engine running

Report it

Most people fail to report criminal damage or vandalism to their vehicle but, if it ever happens to



## Another reminder of darker nights:

As darker nights are drawing in, we would like to remind the community to keep good crime prevention habits.

# Here is a checklist for when you are leaving your home unattended:

- Make your home look occupied by leaving a few lights on.
- If you are out all day/night, then it's advisable to use a light timer device to automatically turn on your lights and radios, when your home is unoccupied.
- In the evening, shut curtains and leave a light on.
- Close and lock all windows and doors (even if you're only going out for a few minutes).
- Double-lock any doors.
- Make sure that any valuables are out of sight and away from letter boxes, e.g. car keys, wallets/purses, handbags.

Warm regards your local beat team







## **Community engagements**

### We have numerous engagements every month!

### **Upcoming engagements:**

10:00AM - 11:00AM, Tuesday 5th March 2024 Roots at Thorpe Farm, Barkby Thorpe

11:00AM - 12:00PM, Wednesday 6th March 2024

The library Ling Dale, East Gosogte

2:00PM - 3:00PM, Wednesday 6th March 2024

The Leisure Centre, Elizabeth Park Sports Centre, Checkland Road, Thurmaston

10:00AM - 11:00AM, Friday 22nd March 2024

Queniborough Road, Queniborough

(outside of post office)

10:00AM - 11:00AM Wednesday 27th March 2024 Syston Town Hall Square

We also do pop up beat engagements throughout the month a various different locations please keep and eye out for these which will be posted on the below social media pages and Neighbourhood Link.

For more information please follow us on our social medias and check out our force website!



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# **Charnwood East**

- Syston
- Queniborough
- East Goscote
- Thurmaston
- Barkby
- Barkby Thorpe

