



## News update Harborough

Robert Smyth Academy recently held a Road Safety Awareness Day.

From a policing perspective, PC 1524 Winn attended and discussed drink driving, points on your license, and highlighted the effect of impairment on your ability to control a vehicle.

The aim of the talk was to educate pupils around the risks, dangers and responsibilities when using motorised vehicles, ultimately with the hope of reducing their chance of accident or injury in the long run.



## More news

We have been working alongside Harborough District Council and listening to local concerns about unauthorized vehicle access to Symington's Recreation Ground, which has caused damage to the football pitches in recent months.

New bollards have now been installed, which will prevent this from occurring in the future.

Additional CCTV is also planned to cover the area.



## Community event

On 22 June PCSO Mark Illston visited the Meadowdale Primary School Summer Fair in Market Harborough. Children were able to see first hand what a police vehicle looked like, along with what equipment police officers need and use.

Both children and parents enjoyed a well organised event in great weather.



## Harborough North

### Foxton Locks

PCSOs Kiff and Joshi attended Foxton Locks Festival in company with several Police volunteers. The stand was very popular, it was a great team effort with lots of advice given out to local residents.

### Kibworth

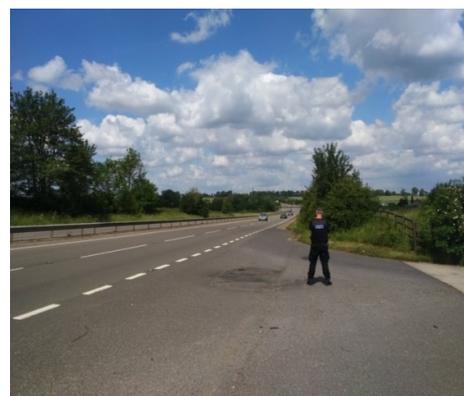
We had a really productive public meeting in Kibworth, it was well attended by all aspects of the community and it was clear everybody is working towards the same aim for the benefit of the village. Thank you for attending and the contributions you made.



### Speeding checks

In a recent operation some vehicles were registered as travelling at 120mph, 116mph and 103mph on the A6 between Great Glen and Kibworth. Consequently, a second speed check was carried out on the same stretch of road. This time a local person was recorded as driving at 122mph and another motorist driving at 101mph. They were both given tickets and will be summonsed to court.

PC 2192 Paul Farrar, one of the officers running the operation, said; "I've been running operations like this for some time, but I've never seen anything like this. 122mph is the highest I have ever recorded and it is very likely these motorists will lose their driving license. That section of road is a dual carriage way, drivers should not be going 50mph over the national speed limit! We will definitely be doing the speed checks again, soon."



### Social Media

**Facebook:** Harborough Police

**Twitter:** @LPHarborough

### Beat Surgeries- come and talk to us

- Thursday 11th July (10:00am-10:30am) Outside of Keyham Village Hall.
- Thursday 11th July (11.00am-11:30am) Outside of Hungerton Village Hall
- Thursday 11th July (12-12:30pm) Oakham Rd, Tilton Village Centre
- Friday 12th July (10:30am-11:00am) Outside Coop Supermarket, Main St, Scraptoft.
- Friday 12th July (10:30am-12:00), Coop Supermarket, Station Lane, Thurnby
- Friday 12th July (12:30pm-1:00pm), Outside Village Hall, Gaulby Lane, Stoughton
- Saturday 13 July (10.00am-11.00am) Sainsbury's (St Marys Place, Market Harborough)
  
- Friday 19th July (6:00pm-6:30pm) North End Hallaton
- Friday 19th July (6:45pm-7:15pm) Outside St Giles Church, Main St, Medbourne
- Friday 19th July (7:30pm-8:00pm) Outside of Village Hall, High St, Great Easton