



**WARWICKSHIRE
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NUNEATON & BEDWORTH SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAMS NEWSLETTER FEBRUARY 2025 (Edition 4)

We're here to help



Hello, we hope the New Year is going well for you and that you find this newsletter helpful. Please take advantage of the information inside to contact the SNT team for your area. We are here to support you and will welcome your help to identify the appropriate action to reduce crime and to keep your neighbourhood safe.

Meet your Your Safer Neighbourhood Team

Inspector PI 1192 Ryan Walker

NUNEATON SNT - Sergeant PS 2216 Adam Corless

Central (including Town centre)

PC 1569 Mathew Cooper, PC 1634 Steven Roberts,
PCSO 6332 Sushant Nakra, 8654 Melodie Leech, PCSO 8641 Ellena
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North PC PC 1264 Jonny Walker. PCSO 6358 Carly Davis (School
Liaisons Officer), PCSO 8850 Chris Brooks.

South PC , PC 2165 Joseph Ahern. PCSO 8765 Mark Cox

West PC 2266 Tyler Thurgood, PC 2382 Amelia Loveridge, PCSO,
PCSO 8740 Matt Smith.

East PC 2250 Lilly Patterson, PC Eoghan Sturgess - Morrin. PCSO
8647 Louise Rose.

Town Centre Beat Manager - PC 1446 Tom Shorthouse.

Diversity & Equality Inclusion Officer - PCSO 6208 Hannah
Woodhams.

BEDWORTH SNT - Sergeant PS 1321 Sarah Grassby

East

PC 2076 Jake Blaney, PC 2027 Alison Rudkin, PCSO 6229 Linda
Shepherd. PCSO 8744 Carly French.

West

PC 2074 Benjamin Pedley, PC 2199 Sebastian Lock,
PCSO 8526 Marc Lovegrove. PCSO 8851 Tracey Hall.

Town centre. Beat Manager - PC1446 Tom Shorthouse

How to Contact Your SNT by E-Mail

The E-Mail Contacts for Your Safer Neighbourhood Team are shown below, by their Beat Areas



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East (Whitestone/Weddington/St Nicolas) :-

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West (Stockingford/Grove Farm/Barpool) :-

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Town Centre :-

nt.snt@warwickshire.police.uk

Central (Abbey Green):-

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Bedworth

East (Town Centre, Bulkington, Poplar, Bede) :-

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bw.snt@warwickshire.police.uk

NUNEATON & BEDWORTH SNT

Action Taken on the Riders of E-Scooters Being used illegally



In January, the Safer Neighbourhood Teams seized 45 e-scooters and one modified electric pushbike, that were being driven illegally. The e-scooters seized were taken away to be crushed. PC Lily Patterson is shown loading a seized modified electric pushbike into the police van. They also seized two motorbikes, one from a 14-year-old, and a stolen car.

On Friday 24 January, officers came across the scene of an accident in Camp Hill where an e-scooter rider had collided with a car. The young male rider was taken to hospital and treated for a dislocated knee and a fractured collarbone.

PC Jonny Walker said, "We've spent the last month or more warning riders that using e-scooters is not only illegal on public roads, but also dangerous".

Please spread the word that, although it is not illegal to buy e-scooters, **it is illegal to use them on public roads.**

NUNEATON SNT NEWS



PCSO Louise Rose was out on school patrols in January, to spot illegal parking - this is not something that we, or parents and guardians like to see, as **we all wish to keep the children safe.**

Unfortunately, illegal parking is a regular occurrence. For the drivers who do park sensibly, thank you for putting the children first and abiding by the highway code. For those drivers, who don't follow the same standards - more fines will be issued.



Nuneaton PC Amelia Loveridge from Nuneaton Safer Neighbourhood Team would like to thank everyone who provided information about suspicious activity at the site of a former pub in Church Road Nuneaton.

“As a result of the information provided, we went to check on the site and discovered it was being used to grow cannabis. We seized 400 plants and discovered the living quarters for the people responsible in a linked building”. The fire brigade had put a closure order on the building in 2022 due to it being unsafe, as there was a serious safety risk to anyone going into the building. The production, sale and illegal use of cannabis is not a victimless crime. It often involves organised criminal gangs who traffic vulnerable people into the country and force them to grow cannabis. This will not be tolerated in Nuneaton.

NUNEATON AND BEDWORTH SNT NEWS



We have seen an increase in burglaries and vehicle crime in our area recently. **The best information we receive** is from the reports of what has been witnessed by the law-abiding local communities.

Social media groups are great for getting the word out instantly, to warn residents of what's happening. This may be a suspicious vehicle or a suspicious person and sometimes images and/or CCTV footage is shared within the groups. Please always keep us in the loop, as it could be crucial information in our quest to bring offenders to justice. You can do this by either:-

- Contacting us on 999 in an emergency, or
- In a non-emergency call 101, or use the online reporting system: <https://crimestoppers-uk.org/give-information>



Recent Flooding

In January, Warwickshire Police responded to several reports of cars getting stuck in flood water. Please avoid driving through

areas of standing water that you may encounter, as this puts you at risk of being stranded and could also damage your vehicle.

Remember - it's not always obvious how deep the water is.

BEDWORTH SNT NEWS



PCSO Linda SHEPHERD is shown in the picture when she visited Bedworth 1st Squirrel group, whilst on OPERATION RESOLVE patrols on Monday 20th January 2025. Operation Resolve patrols are intended to provide a police presence in particular areas to reduce Anti-Social behaviour.



PC 2074 Benjamin Pedley and PC 2572 completed foot patrols as part of Operation Resolve in Bedworth Town Centre and Tesco. Officers will continue with foot patrols around the area to help tackle this issue. If you see any Anti-Social Behaviour, please raise this with officers so they can take appropriate action.

Last year, Bedworth West SNT worked with Nuneaton and Bedworth Borough Council, and other partner agencies, to tackle anti-social behaviour in the Keresley End area. Meetings were held with various activities for young people to participate in, such as: talks on the dangerous use of motorbikes/scooters and knife crime and sessions to introduce young people in the area to fishing. Ash Green School also offered 'After school activities' such as hair & Beauty and cooking. A reduction in Anti-Social Behaviour in the area was noted, following police action where criminal offences have taken place.

BEDWORTH SNT NEWS

Fire at Bedworth Tesco

Following an investigation into a fire at the Tesco supermarket on Mill Street, Bedworth at the end of January, four boys aged between 11 and 13 were arrested on suspicion of arson endangering life.

Two of the boys were from Bedworth, one from Nuneaton, and the other was from Nottingham. They were later released on bail, pending further investigation.

DI Paul Sartoris said, “A significant amount of damage was caused to the supermarket as a result of the fire, and there was a serious risk that someone could have been badly hurt.” “When such serious incidents are reported to the police, we will always take robust action to quickly locate and arrest the suspects.”



In January, PCSO 8851 Tracey Hall and PC 2074 Benjamin Pedley attended Exhall Grange Specialist school. The kids all enjoyed seeing the police car and learning how we keep children safe in the community.



While out on patrol on 7th February, PCSO 8851 Tracey Hall dropped in at ‘The Pit Stop’ in Keresley and spent some time with their lovely sewing group. It looks like a great thing to get involved in, if you are interested.

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