



Anti social behaviour

Anti social behaviour (ASB) continues to be a key priority for officers in the Lutterworth and Broughton Astley areas.

Throughout April, officers have continued to complete high visibility targeted patrols, issuing warnings to potential offenders and visiting those of you affected by crime.

Local beat officers PC Michelle Skingsley and PCSO Emily Chapman have spoken to two young people who have been known to be causing ASB.

A motorbike believed to be in connection with the ASB being caused has been recovered due to no tax, MOT or insurance.

We are working alongside the council and housing associations to stop and prevent ASB in the area.



Speed monitoring and parking issues

We have carried out speed monitoring sessions on Coventry Road, Lutterworth and Coventry Road, Broughton Astley; following reports of vehicles driving at excessive speed. Discussions are currently being made with our road safety partners to secure funding for a speed camera for Lutterworth.

We will continue to carry out regular speed monitoring sessions across the area, concentrating particularly on the surrounding villages. Speeds in excess of 35mph will be followed up, supported by increased patrols in the area.

PC Michelle Skingsley and PCSO Emily Chapman have also been doing patrols around Thomas Estley School at peak times.

Unfortunately, we have had to advise a number of drivers parking on the path blocking access to pedestrians, buggies and wheel chairs. Not only is it inconsiderate to residents that live in the area but highly unsafe. Please use the car parks around the school area to ensure people's safety and consider others when you are parking.

Beat surgeries – come and talk to us

Beat surgeries will be held throughout May;

Friday 10 May (3–4pm) Manor Farm Shop, Catthorpe

Saturday 11 May (3–4pm) The Garden Barn, Cotesbach

Saturday 18 May (11–12pm) Village Store, Gilmorton

Saturday 18 May (3–4pm) Palmers Garden Centre,
Ullesthorpe

Join us on Social Media

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Action Fraud

As Spring is approaching, we are warning young adults on behalf of HMRC who may have less experience of tax to stay vigilant against refund scams. During April and May, fraudsters regularly contact taxpayers with refund scams by email or text pretending to be HMRC.

Criminals do this to coincide with legitimate rebates being processed by HMRC.

They will encourage people to provide their personal bank details, in exchange for a payment worth hundreds of pounds on a fake government website.

If you receive a text or email from HMRC offering you a tax refund, it's most likely a scam

Things to remember:

- **HMRC will never ask someone to provide bank details by text or email**
- **HMRC will never advise you of a refund in a text or email**
- **Genuine organisations will never contact you out of the blue to ask you for your PIN, password or bank details**
- **Don't give out private information, reply to text messages, download attachments or click on links in unexpected emails**
- **Take action — forward suspicious email addresses or phone numbers claiming to be from HMRC to phishing@hmrc.gov.uk and texts to 60599**
- **If you have suffered financial loss contact Action Fraud on 0300 123 2040 or use their online fraud reporting tool**
- **Check www.gov.uk/government/news/hmrc-warns-on-tax-refund-scams for more information**

Information

If you would like to stay up to date with what is going on in your area sign up to www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk to register and start receiving crime prevention advice and police updates.

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