



News

PC Kelly Tones has been out and about distributing the 'Message in a bottle', the scheme, encourages the elderly and people with serious medical conditions such as life threatening allergies to store their medical details in a plastic bottle which is kept in a fridge. In the event of the emergency services being called to someone's home they will be alerted by a green sticker on the inside of the front door and another on the door of the fridge and they will know where to locate the bottle. The bottle is easy to use and has a push-fit lid and is big enough to hold all of the necessary information. The significant benefits of the scheme are that it will save the Emergency Services valuable time identifying the patient and their emergency contacts. By stating whether the patient has special medication or allergies it is a potential lifesaver and provides peace of mind to the user and their friends and families. Bottles are free and available from Market Harborough Police Station.



Information

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Harborough North

Most of the demand for the beat area falls in Kibworth, with continuing high levels of anti social behaviour. This is currently focussed within the parks but reports have also informed us that there have been issues at the football and cricket clubs.

We welcomed a visit from the Police and Crime Commissioner, Lord Bach, and local companies whereby topical hot spots were visited.

We all enjoyed stopping to speak to residents, community leaders and businesses and a beat surgery was held for people to drop in at the Grammar School.

This will form part of our longer term problem solving for the issues raised.



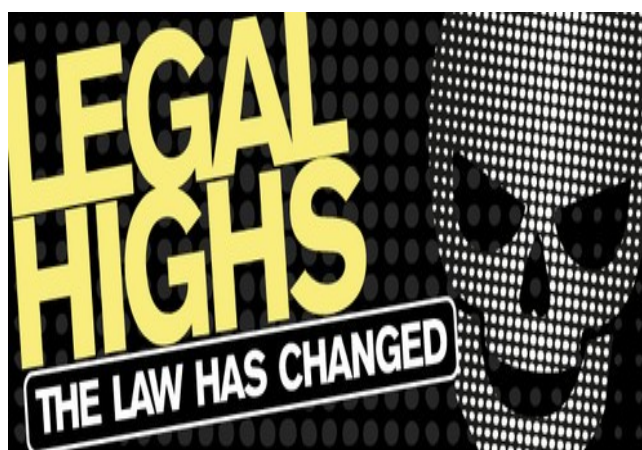
Thurnby and Scraftoft

There have been a number of silver canisters that previously contained nitrous oxide found discarded in various locations around the two villages.

This would imply that motorists are parking up, using them and then discarding the canisters and driving off. Not only does this present a litter issue but also a legal issue around driving whilst unfit.

Reports have also been made to us regarding a safety issue at the old rugby grounds on Covert Lane. Young people are gaining access to the old buildings, which presents a risk to them as the premises are remote and behind fencing.

If you have any information regarding these issues please contact us.



Houghton on the Hill



Houghton on the Hill has remained one of our priority areas .

We have recently attended a public meeting to feed back on our efforts over the past 3 months regarding a rise in crime and the management of an assisted/supported living accommodation establishment.

The meeting was well attended and we were happy to report that the street lights have been turned on for at least three months and there had been no crime in the past month relating to the village.

Equally the accommodation establishment has now closed although it is unsure at this time what the landlord will look to do with the buildings.