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Welcome to your Rutland police e-newsletter. Here you will find all of the latest news from a Rutland policing perspective and crime prevention advice to help keep yourself safe.

## Oakham & Barleythorpe beat

Recently PC Craig Robinson was out and about on foot patrol in Oakham and Barleythorpe. During these patrols residents approached him with various concerns. Speeding was a key issue and having received reports from residents the areas of concern will be targeted over the next few weeks with speed monitoring operations.

ASB in and around the local parks was another key area of concern for residents. This is an ongoing beat priority and PCSO Lauren Lyall will continue with her patrols interacting with the youngsters and those that continue to cause ASB will be dealt with.

Beat surgery: 10:00AM - 11:00AM, Mon 12 February 2024, Oakham library

## Rutland North beat

Recently PC Ben Orton and PCSO Lauren Lyall have been busy on the beat paying particular attention to one of their priorities – road safety.

Ben and Lauren conducted speed checks at many locations around the beat and are pleased to report that they did not have to issue any enforcements.

They also spent time patrolling villages observing HGV's travelling on roads with weight restrictions. HGV's that were stopped had valid reasons for access.



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## Rutland South beat

PC Edd McKinnon has introduced himself as the new beat officer for Rutland South. One of his first patrols involved Edd patrolling the A47 corridor with a list of vehicles and registration numbers to look out for.

PC McKinnon also volunteers in his own time to run weekly cadet sessions throughout the year. Recently Edd was at our Keyham Lane police station with the cadets, where PC Chris Brown volunteered his time to give our cadets a taster of officer safety training. Cadets took part in a bleep test and tried out various defensive tactics. If you have teenagers who are interested in joining up as a volunteer in the police cadets have a look on our website for further information.

Beat surgery: Edith Weston Beat Surgery, 10:00AM - 11:00AM, Sat 10 February 2024, Off Church Lane, Oakham

## Uppingham beat

PC Angel recently responded to information received by members of the public concerning ASB along Johnson Road. It was reported that youths had been smoking cannabis in an abandoned garage. PC Angel located the garage and has spoken to the housing department in an effort to secure the garage to prevent this location from being used in the future. The youth have been identified and their guardians will be contacted to discuss safeguarding and drug misuse rehabilitation.

Beat surgeries: Uppingham Methodist Church, 11:00AM - 12:00PM, Sat 24 February 2024, Meeting Room Uppingham Methodist Church Orange Street Uppingham

Costa Coffee Uppingham, 11:00AM - 12:00PM, Fri 09 February 2024, Orange Street, Uppingham

**The next edition will be out soon!**