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All the latest from your Safer

Neighbourhood Team

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All the latest about what we are doing and what is going on in and around your home and area.

From the Sergeant – Andy Scruton

Hi from Nuneaton and Bedworth Safer Neighbourhood Team!

Firstly I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself to those who don't already know me or aware I am replacing PS Adam Skelsey. I am PS Elliott Butler and having previously worked on the Safer Neighbourhood Team I am pleased to be returning back to this role after almost 5 year departure. During this time I have had numerous roles but primarily working on response. I have almost 18 years policing experience.

I am very excited to have be given this opportunity and be a part of this well-motivated team, helping to protect your communities from harm. I would like to thank PS Adam SKELSEY for his good work as he moves to his new role within North Warwickshire SNT. Good luck Adam!

It is recognised it has been a difficult time for all under Covid Lockdown / restrictions coupled with the recent adverse weather conditions. This has its various challenges for all within the community. At times people are trying to balance their work / family life and maybe having to home school and some individuals are completely isolated or having to adjusting to having no work at all. Please seek the right support where you can and continue to support each other.

I don't feel I have to remind people to help keep each other safe and follow Public Health England guidance, adhering to the rules / laws. But unfortunately we still have reports of clear breaches Please continue to stay safe identifying any concerns or vulnerabilities communicating this to us so we can support you and those that need our assistance.

You may have seen recently there has been an increase in both proactive plain clothed and uniform patrols with targeted operations taking place. Providing an increase in high visibility foot patrols. These have been well received and allows for us to engage with the public providing an opportunity for you to talk to us, ask questions etc. So please, if you see us, come and speak to us especially our community support officers (PCSO) even a brief general chit chat but especially if you have any concerns within your community. Because if we don't know we can't always help you. Help us to help you keep your communities safe!

Please follow our Social media this provides further information / topics allowing you to follow the warrants / operations taking place. It's a great way to stay informed and raise any issues or concerns you may have.

Thank you Elliott

Your Beat Managers are PC Cooper, PC Morrisey, PC Roberts who are responsible to me for ensuring the Policing Priorities are delivered and that the Safer Neighbourhood Team is fully engaged with the community it polices. Please drop us a line by email or call us by telephone and leave a message and the team will get back to you concerning any issues you may have. See page 3 for all the details on how you can contact your SNT.



**Nuneaton
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How to keep up with Nuneaton central Safer Neighbourhood

We are on Twitter: [@NuneatonCops](#) 

We are on Facebook: [Nuneaton and Bedworth Police](#)

Out and about with Nuneaton TOWN/CENTRAL

Unfortunately due to Covid we have cancelled all events until further notice. When events can be planned safely they will be advertised.

Patrols in the town centre will continue by PC's and PCSO , it is vital people not to breach regulations that are in place.

You must not leave, or be outside of your home except where necessary. You may leave the home to:

- **Work** - You can only leave home for work purposes where it is unreasonable for you to do your job from home.
- **Volunteering** - You can also leave home to provide voluntary or charitable services.
- **Essential activities** - You can leave home to buy things at shops or obtain services where necessary.
- **Education and childcare** - You can only leave home for education, registered childcare, and supervised activities for children where the child is eligible to attend.
- **Exercise** - You can continue to exercise alone, with one other person or with your household or support bubble. This should be limited to once per day, and you should not travel outside your local area.
- **Medical reasons** - You can leave home for a medical reason, including to get a COVID-19 test, for medical appointments and for emergencies.
- **Maternity** - You can leave home to be with someone who is giving birth or, accessing other maternity services, or to be with a baby receiving neonatal critical care.
- **Harm** - You may leave home, to avoid injury or illness or to escape risk of harm (such as domestic abuse).
- **Compassionate visits** - You may also leave home to visit someone who is dying or someone in a care home (if permitted under care home guidance), hospice, or hospital, or to accompany them to a medical appointment.
- **Animal welfare reasons** - You can leave home for animal welfare reasons, such as to attend veterinary services for advice or treatment.

Note: more information on coronavirus lockdown rules can be on www.gov.uk

Town Centre officers are reminding people daily of the lockdown rules, 4 fines have been issued by safer neighborhood officers due to rules not being adhered to. Additionally, 100 vehicles have been checked for speeding on Vicarage st, Nuneaton and only one vehicle was found speeding.

Stay safe, look out for each other and help protect lives

INCREASES IN DOG THEFT...

Your local Safer Neighbourhood Teams recognise the increase in the national crime trend of dog theft. We want to share some advice with you, things you can do to protect your beloved pets.

Protect your dog from thieves

- Never leave your pet tied-up unattended, such as outside shops for example. **THINK...would you leave your wallet or handbag outside???**
- Make sure your dog is wearing a collar and ID tag when in a public place (it is the law) Include your surname, house number/post code. **DO NOT ADVERTISE THE DOGS NAME!**
- Ask your vet to check your dog's **microchip** to ensure it is still **'live'** and can be detected.
- Log on to the microchip and ensure your **contact details are up-to-date.**
- Train your dog not to go out of your sight on walks. Use an extending lead if the dog does not comply.
- Beware of strangers who show interest in your dog: **don't give details about your dog. Don't allow strangers to have their photograph taken with your dog.**
- Ensure your garden or outside space is secure. Check it regularly for wear and tear or gaps. It should keep your dog in and trespassers out. Keep your dog in view when it goes out into the garden, **don't leave it unattended.**
- **BREEDERS** - Be mindful where and how you advertise puppies for sale. Is it a secure site? Are your contact details secure? Are your kennels secure?

When walking your dog:

- **Vary your route and times of walks.** Stick to well lit, open areas where you can see around you.
- **Walk with another person** – even the current guidelines allow this, just maintain social distance.
- Carry a **panic alarm** or something that will attract attention to yourself should you find yourself confronted.
- Keep your dog **'building side'** of yourself when walking along the road. This restricts the accessibility to the lead from a passing vehicle

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Dog theft – Crime advice

Contact Warwickshire Police

If you believe your dog has been stolen rather than escaping or otherwise going missing, you should report the theft to Warwickshire Police on 101 providing as much information as possible about:

- The description of your dog.
- Dates and times for when you last saw your dog.
- The circumstances around your dog's disappearance.
- Contact names and numbers of anyone you believe may have access to your dog.
- Descriptions of people or vehicles seen acting suspiciously in the area.



Protect your dog from thieves

- Never leave your pet tied-up unattended, such as outside shops for example.
- Make sure your dog is wearing a collar and ID tag when in a public place, as you are now required to do by law. Include your surname, telephone number, address and full post code and if there's room, put 'microchipped' on the tag if your dog has a chip.
- Ensure your dog can be permanently identified by its microchip. A microchip is normally sufficient to identify your pet if it does become lost or stolen.
- Ask your vet to check your dog's microchip every year to ensure your details are accurate and up-to-date.
- From 6 April 2016, all dogs must be microchipped and registered to an approved database by the time they are eight weeks old. Puppies can usually be microchipped from four weeks of age depending on their size, so ensure this is done as soon as possible.
- Keep all documentation relating to your dog(s) in a safe place. Include clear photos of front and side profiles of your dog. Make a note or take a picture of any unusual markings.
- Be cautious when choosing someone who will care for your dog(s) while you are at work, in hospital or on holiday. Be clear about when the dog will be handed over and who will collect it.
- Use a registered boarding kennel or professional dog carer with documentation to this effect unless you know someone who is trustworthy that will care for your dog in your absence.
- Train your dog not to go out of your sight on walks. Use an extending lead if the dog does not comply. Vary your walk times and routes.
- Beware of strangers who show interest in your dog: don't give details about your dog. Don't allow strangers to have their photograph taken with your dog.
- Ensure your garden or outside space is secure. Check it regularly for wear and tear or gaps. It should keep your dog in and trespassers out. Keep your dog in view when it goes out into the garden, don't leave it unattended.

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- SUPPORT
- FRESH AIR
- VACCINE
- POSITIVE
- CARE
- PPE
- BUBBLE
- CHARITY
- GLOVES
- WASH HANDS
- SOCIAL DISTANCING
- STAY SAFE
- TEST
- EPIDEMIC VIRUS
- NHS
- HEALTH
- LOCKDOWN
- COMMUNITY

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News.....

Nuneaton central and Nuneaton south will be holding a local Facebook live forum on the Coton, Hilltop & Caldwell Neighbourhood Watch Facebook group on the 2nd of March at 19:00 hrs. Please feel free to join us and talk to your local officers.

Robert Conway has been sentenced due to breaching probation restrictions. He was arrested by PC Cooper and Roberts from Central safer neighbourhood team. Criminal behaviour order remains in place for Mr Conway.

4 Covid fines have been issued within town centre.



Warwickshire Police Cadet Recruitment

interested in joining the Police Cadet scheme

Please email lee.marston@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk



How to contact Nuneaton Central SNT

By email;

nc.snt@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk

Nuneaton TOWN/CENTRAL SNT

Beat Manager PC Matt Cooper

Beat Manager PC Steven

Roberts

Beat Manager

[0800 555 111](#)

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RECENT EVENTS THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE....

If you think you may have seen or heard anything suspicious or have any information about this incident then please call Warwickshire Police on 101 or alternatively you can call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111

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This month's CRIME PREVENTION advice...

Monthly Message ...We have been concentrating on issues in the town centre. PCSO Kerry OWENS has completed operations to deal with the driving through the town centre. This has had a knock on effect on parking in the town and the safety of pedestrians walking through. PC COOPER and PC ROBERTS have been looking at the begging issues around a small number of persistent begging. One of the male Robert CONWAY has been charged for various offences and has been jailed for 4 weeks. Further work is being completed to increase the powers of the community behaviour order to prevent the ongoing issues. PC MORRISSEY has completed local forums via Facebook neighbourhood watch groups, these have been live videos where members of the public can ask questions and have them answered by your local officer. Another live forum is planned for the 2nd of March at 7pm on the Coton, Hiltop & Caldwell Neighbourhood Watch group. Please join the group and join us for the live event.

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