

# North Works East & North Safer Neighbourhood Team Newsletter



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## Mobile Police Station

**PC Redman and PCSO Hodson took the mobile police station to North Warwickshire North for community engagement events.**

Across North Warwickshire, we know the importance of community engagement especially in the more isolated rural locations. We aim to visit each area and provide crime prevention advice along with meeting local residents.



The first location the team visited was Tithe Barn in Polesworth. We were joined by our colleagues from Neighbourhood Watch and North Warwickshire Community Development team.

This was a great opportunity for the team to meet and greet the local residents and give out crime prevention advice and listen to local issues.

Our main focus was property marking, crime prevention around van/car offences and shed break ins. These two offences are not on the increase but crime prevention advice is always a positive.

Further crime prevention advice can be found at

<https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/cp/crime-prevention/>

## Anti Social Behaviour

**The local team are tackling ASB in a number of ways, from extra patrols to working with local schools.**

One foot patrol conducted by PCSO's Snape and Jenkins covered 7.5 miles around Atherstone and Mancetter in the recent storm targeting areas where vehicle patrols can't reach.

### Increased late night patrols.

The team regularly patrol to reduce anti-social behaviour. Most recently, the team have been a high visibility presence around Clock Bridge, Hartshill following reports of youths throwing eggs at vehicles. We will continue to visit hot spot locations across North Warwickshire and deal with offenders.



### PCSO's Snape and Jenkins attended a local school following ASB reports.

The adult victims were allegedly racially abused and assaulted. The PCSO's identified the individuals near to the scene and detained the offenders. The incident is being investigated and victims supported.

### Property Closure

PC Walton and PCSO Snape are working with the local council for a property closure in Atherstone due to ongoing ASB and drug related incidents. More to follow.

## Engagement

**PCSO Jenkins and PCSO Hodson at Hartshill with the mobile police station.**

Our local officers had a great morning visiting Hartshill Community Centre with Neighbourhood Watch. The team were able to meet local residents and answer any concerns.



The off road police bike team even made an appearance while patrolling the rural locations around Hartshill. Illegal off road bikers are targeted by officers and the team at hot spot areas. Officers will seize the bikes and the rider usually ends up in court.

If you are experiencing ASB, report this online or 101.

999 only in an emergency.



## Arrests

### Recent arrests across North Warwickshire.

#### Polesworth – Offensive Weapon

A male was arrested in Polesworth after a report of a domestic incident and reports of the suspect in possession of an offensive weapon.

Male was arrested and dealt with in custody.

#### Grendon – Drink driving

A female was stopped by officers on Spon Lane, Grendon. The vehicle was observed by officers driving over the speed limit and weaving across carriageway.

The driver when stopped had an open can of cider in the vehicle and also a cannabis roll up in her in hand!

Driver unsurprisingly was arrested for driving under the influence of drink and drugs

#### Atherstone - Theft

A male was arrested by officers in Atherstone Town Centre on Saturday afternoon after entering the same shop twice in a matter of minutes to steal alcohol.

#### Mancetter – Assault & Harassment

Anthony Evans, aged 56 from Greendale Road, Atherstone was charged and remanded in police custody.

The charges relate to harassment, public order and two assaults on police officers on 6/2/22.

The officers received minor injuries as a result of the incident.



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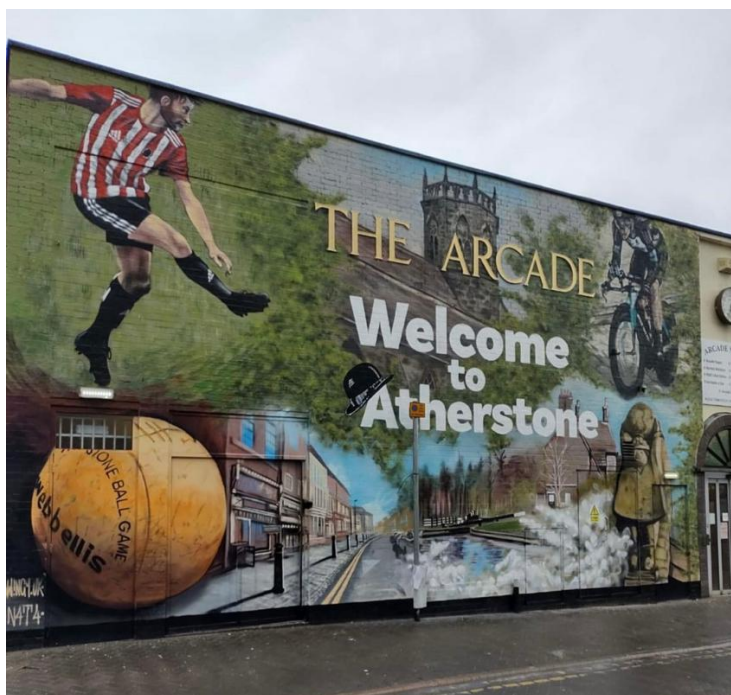
## Other News From The Team

**PC Walton is working with artist James Bennett who created the amazing mural on Station Street, Atherstone.**

James Bennett is an art teacher who travels around the country working with different groups of people/organisations, creating various art projects.

We are linking in with the Queen Elizabeth School in Atherstone and have invited four GCSE Art students and teachers to be involved in creating a mural for the Police Boxing and Fitness Club inside the Fitness Station Gym in conjunction with James Bennett.

This project will also go towards the students coursework. This begins in April/May.

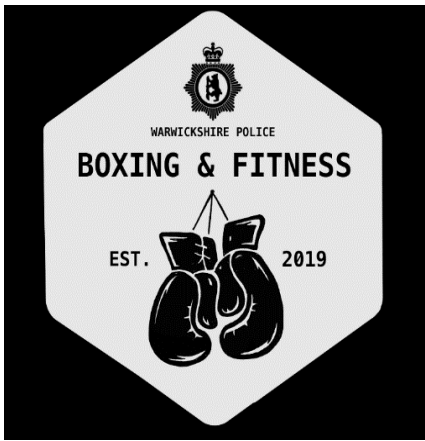


#### North Warwickshire Police Boxing Club

One youth who regularly attends will be participating in a charity boxing event this year. The weekly sessions are as strong as ever with all youths making fantastic progress with their mental and physical health.

The coaches personal training courses will begin in the next few months then dates will be given to local schools for the club to run mobile classes within the schools.

We have also linked up with the charity Edible Links providing healthy snacks and toiletries for the youths. We are discussing healthy diets in the next few weeks.



## North Warwickshire Police Boxing Club

We're now on Instagram. Follow us on 'nwpbc\_2021'

The club would not run without the help of local people and professionals. For info on the club, please email [lloyd.walton@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:lloyd.walton@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk)

Any local sponsorship would be welcome



The boxing club has been awarded CIMSPA registration and are currently looking into future projects including Female only boxing and Fitness sessions and an Art project with world renowned street artists. The coaches have been granted funding to get trained as PT coaches and will be creating a programme next year to develop the club into high schools in north Warwickshire to support schools and pupils and help to lower the exclusions rates of pupils and keep kids off the streets.



Whilst the North Warwickshire Police Boxing and Fitness club has been closed, the equipment has been upgraded. We have installed a new protective floor after a grant from the Chief Constable of Warwickshire Police, we then installed 4 new boxing bags and purchased equipment after grants from the Police and Crime commissioner and local councillors Mr. Jarvis and Mr. Singh. We would like to thank Denise Clews and Mancetter council for donating funds for the boxing club that will support us in going mobile and help a lot more youths in the Mancetter area.

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