



Bedworth West Update

November 2021

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All the latest from your **Safer
Neighbourhood Team**

**Bedworth West Safer
Neighbourhood Team
(SNT) Update**

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

From the Sergeant – 946 Scruton

Hello from Nuneaton and Bedworth Safer Neighbourhood Team Sgt's.

I hope you have all had a good autumn and managed to have a good time during Halloween and bonfire night. The nights really are drawing in now as we approach winter, with snow already !!!

It is my great pleasure to introduce you to my new working partner, Sgt Kate Perks, she has joined the SNT team from her previous role in Leamington Spa. You will no doubt meet Kate in the near future as she works her way around the beat areas.

Your safer neighbourhood teams have had a break too, with annual leave making it even more busy for the staff that are left behind.

A lot of staff had been re-deployed and worked up in Glasgow at the COP26 climate change. This has meant that the staff remaining in force have had to work doubly as hard to cover.

There has still been a lot of good results ranging from drugs offences and warrants to general anti - social behaviour issues.

We have had great Remembrance day parades and also the 100 year anniversary for the Bedworth Armistice, where we had a royal visitor.

Facebook live events have taken place with another two areas completing sessions which have been a great success, if you joined in, thanks for the input.

Just a quick reminder – when reporting a non - emergency incident or issue please continue to use the 101 number, but if it is an emergency with life or property at stake then please feel free to call 999.

Going forward there is lots of planned events, especially in the run up to Christmas, with all sorts of community events planned, including the 12 days of Christmas which runs across Nuneaton and Bedworth.

Have a great run up to Christmas and stay safe.

PS 0946 Andy Scruton

Op Sceptre



This month saw the return of OP Sceptre which we do every year. During Op Sceptre, Nuneaton and Bedworth Police's Safer Neighbourhood Team received a total of 67 knives during the knife surrender aspect of the operation. It may not sound like many, but whether or not a single life has been saved, it is still a significant number of knives no longer in circulation.

During Op Sceptre officers undertook a range of activities including educational programmes in schools to raise awareness of the dangers and consequences of carrying a knife and the risks of grooming and exploitation. This included officers from the Youth Engagement Team who attended a number of local schools and presented inputs to hundreds of children and young people.

There was also a Knife Crime awareness event in Bedworth at the Life Church, which was attended by 98 people. The event included a 45 minute film made of collaborations with local police and young people about the effects and consequences of carrying knives, including the devastation caused to families.

Our teams also held knife amnesty events in the community whereby knife bins were set up so people could come and safely dispose of their knives. We also did knife sweeps of parks and wooded areas in search of any knives.

Out & About With Bedworth West



We have had a busy month this month back out and about in our community. We have had a number of surgeries in Keresley and Ash Green. We have also been in to many schools delivering talks on knife crime, cyber bullying and investigative skills. We had the Christmas Light switch on in Bedworth which went very well with no issues reported.





This month also saw a number of calls being received regarding anti-social behaviour, in particular egg throwing at people's properties. We have managed to identify some of the culprits and they have been issued with warnings and ABC's, which are anti-social behaviour contracts.

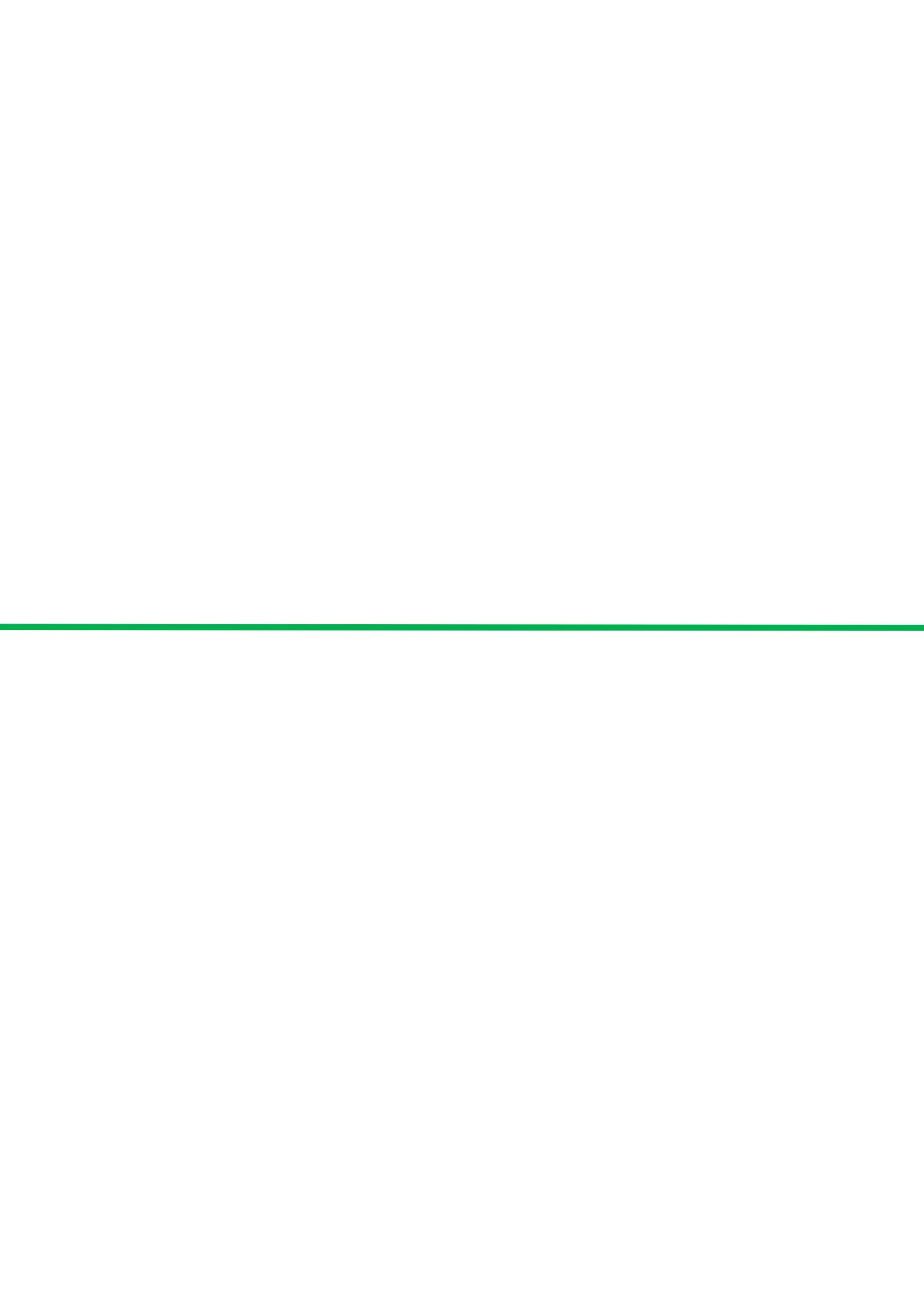
Our Priorities

Our priorities from November through to December 2021 for Bedworth West SNT are:

- **Vehicle Crime**
- **Drugs**
- **Speeding**
- **Anti-Social Behaviour – Egging of properties**

We will provide an update regarding the priorities and what action the team have taken in the next addition.

If you have any suggestions or concerns regarding the above, please do not hesitate to make contact with the team.





**Warwickshire Police
Update**

**Details about your
Safer Neighbourhood Team**

The Bedworth SNT Area covers

How to contact Bedworth West SNT
By email;

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Bedworth West SNT

Beat Manager PC 1151 Parrott
PCSO 6347 Bowerman
PCSO 6287 Pnaiser
PCSO 6306 Young

Bedworth
East

Bedworth
West

Bedworth
Town
Centre

Message from the Beat Manager

Hello from the Bedworth West team.

I am Pc Gavin Parrott and I will be your new beat manager for the Bedworth West Area. I have been a police officer for 20 years and have previously worked in London, Nuneaton and nationally on a specialist unit before returning to Warwickshire in an office role in 2020. I have now been given the opportunity to be your local officer. You will see me about on foot as well as conducting mobile patrols. I look forward to policing your community.

Bedworth West Community

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

School Parking



As we do every month, Bedworth SNT regularly patrol the schools on our patch. We have several schools on our patch and only three members of staff to cover them at the moment so we try to get to them all as often as we can. We have given out a number of traffic offence reports (TORS) this month and endless words of advice regarding blocking driveways, double yellow lines and parking that causes an obstruction.

This month's CRIME PREVENTION advice...

Vehicle Crime – Car break ins

There are simple steps you can take to help keep your vehicle secure and protect you from becoming a victim of crime.”

- Make sure the indicators flash when you press the lock button and listen for the doors locking.
- A **Steering Wheel Lock** can prevent keyless car thefts. When purchasing a security device look out for 3rd party approval, whereby the product is tested against tools used by criminals such as Crowbars and Angle Grinders.
- Use car key signal blocker cases/sleeves, they cost less than £10, or an aluminium tin at home. Find a safe place for your keys at home and check to ensure they are out of range.
- Ensure all valuables are taken out of the car and nothing is left on show

<https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/cp/crime-prevention/theft-of-a-vehicle/vehicle-attracting-thieves/>