

# **Rutland Newsletter**

November 2023

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.

### **Remembrance Day**

Officers from Oakham took part in Remembrance Day services across the county. Whilst we represented the police at services, other officers worked hard to ensure all events took place safely.



### Uppingham Beat

The Uppingham neighbourhood team recently completed speed monitoring on London Road. PCSO Andy Wylie was conducting the speed monitoring and was

pleased to report that although a very busy time of day all drivers kept themselves under the speed limit.



PC Angel and PCSO Wylie were out patrolling in Uppingham recently focusing on hotspot areas. The current key areas are:

Drug taking/Dealing – PC Angel and PCSO Wylie patrolled the church grounds at the end of the school day to ensure that youngsters were not hanging around the grounds.

ASB – Tod's Piece is continually monitored due to littering and criminal damage caused by youngsters hanging around the area.



PC Ben Orton has been out on patrol in and around the North Rutland Beat.

At the beginning of the month, Ben was out on patrol on Remembrance Sunday not only paying his respects but also ensuring Remembrance service's went without incident.

Then during the darker evening's, whilst out on foot patrol in "plain/civilian clothes" Ben tackled incidents of Anti-social behaviour, engaging with young people, explaining to them the effects of ASB in small communities.

PC Ben Orton has also assisted Police officers from the Neighbourhood Priority Team for Melton and Rutland area, who had arrested a suspect for Cultivating Cannabis (Cannabis Factory). PC Ben Orton interviewed the suspect and later charged and remanded the offender to HMP, who is now awaiting sentence at Crown court. All the Cannabis seized had an estimated street value of around £40,000.





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### Oakham & Barleythorpe Beat

PC Robinson attended the Remembrance Day parade and service. PC Robinson held a beat surgery at Oakham Library where several people discussed various issues with Craig.



PC Robinson is pleased to report that due to information received at a local beat surgery he was able to get a vehicle seized and removed from the roads.

PCSO Lyall and Sergeant Palmer spent time at the Ben Burgess light switch on where the police car was a hit with youngsters.

### We say goodbye ....

At the end of November we said goodbye to PCSO Di Freeman who has completed 20 years with Leicestershire Police. Di will be sorely missed by her colleagues and the wider community of Rutland for her wide knowledge of rural affairs. We all wish Di well and she moves onto new adventures.



### The next edition will be out soon!