

NORTHWICH Local Policing Unit

WEAVER and CUDDINGTON Beat Team

April 2025



Welcome to our newsletter. The content within this newsletter has been provided to keep you up to date with local policing activities in your area and to give you advice and guidance on how to contact us and find out about upcoming projects or events we are participating in.

Upcoming Events

WEAVERHAM FUNFAIR on LAKEHOUSE
FIELD from 6-18th MAY

CUDDINGTON Gala on SATURDAY 7th June

Meet the team

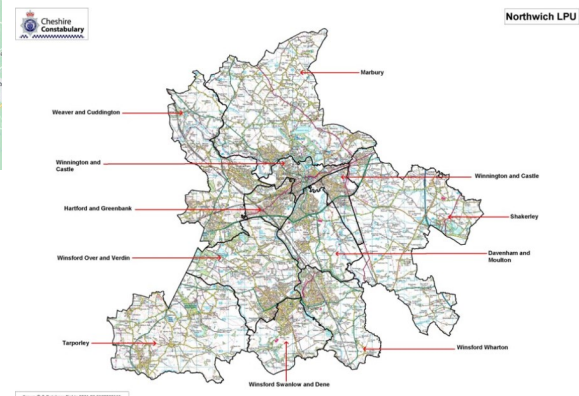
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Weaver and
Cuddington Police
@WeaverCuddPol



Police surgery - upcoming

THE LIGHTHOUSE, ST MARY'S CHURCH HALL, CHURCH LANE,
NORTHWICH, CHESHIRE, CW83NJ

WEAVERHAM,

Tuesday 6th May 1300-1400 hours

Thursday 22nd May 1800-1900 hours

Monday 2nd June 1800-1900 hours

Tuesday 17th June 1300-1400 hours

CUDDINGTON & SANDIWAY VILLAGE HALL, 93 NORLEY ROAD, CUDDINGTON, NORTH-
WICH, CHESHIRE, CW82LA

Tuesday 13th May 1800-1900 hours

Tuesday 27th May 1300-1400 hours

Thursday 12th June 1800-1900 hours

Tuesday 24th June 1800-1900 hours



You Said Residents Voice

Have your say on policing in your area....

It is important to us that we know about the issues that cause you concern. We have set up a survey where you can tell us about the things you would like to focus on in your area. If you can't scan the code you can go to

[Resident's voice | Cheshire Constabulary](#)

Call us on 101 and let us know about things that are happening in your area. Our call handlers will

Make sure the information gets to the right person.

Send us a form online —go to: www.cheshire.police.uk and fill in an online reporting form.

18 x resident voice surveys received throughout APRIL, thank you!

Our aim throughout MAY, is to address all your community concerns raised.

SPEED – Briar Lane x 2, Norley Road x 2, West Road

PARKING— Rowan Road x 4, Russet Road

DRUGS – Rowan Road

ASB – Farm Road, Keepers Lane

VISIBILITY – Walnut Avenue

NO CONCERNS – Briar Lane, Rowan Road x 2

OTHER – 1 x parents parking on zig zag outside FOREST STREET SCHOOL. PCSO makes no difference, needs real example to stop.



You said, We Listened, We Did.....

WEAVER and CUDDINGTON

You Said: You Said speeding was a concern on Wallerscote Road (near the golf course).

We Did: Highest speed recorded: 42 mph, Northwich Road – Highest speed recorded: 33 mph, Norley Road – Highest speed recorded: 41 mph. 4 offences were captured, and evidence is being processed for further action by the central ticket office.

You Said: PARKING was a concern on MILTON ROUGH.

We Did: PARKING patrol was conducted to provide reassurance to the community.

You Said: We Did: Parking Enforcement and Engagement Initiative

In collaboration with CWAC Safety Officers and PCSO.

Target Areas:

Around Cuddington Primary School, St Bede's Catholic Primary School, The Russet School, Weaverham Academy, Weaverham High School and Acton Bridge station road.

Key Actions

1. Focus Areas: • Forest Street • Lime Avenue • Ash Road • Mere Lane • Fir Lane • Station Road

These areas were targeted due to ongoing traffic and parking issues, particularly during school hours.

2. Outcomes: • Forest Street: • 1 Penalty Notice issued for parking on double yellow lines.

• Lime Avenue: • 3 drivers were engaged in conversations and advised to relocate their vehicles to safer locations.

• Ash Road: • 1 Penalty Notice issued for parking on zig-zag markings. • 1 Penalty Notice issued for crossing double yellow lines.

• Mere Lane: • 1 Penalty Notice issued for parking in a disabled bay without displaying a valid badge.

• Fir Lane: • Drivers engaged in conversation and advised to relocate to safer parking areas.

Purpose:

This initiative aimed to promote road safety and minimize hazards caused by inappropriate parking, especially in school zones where children are most at risk.

Next Steps:

Ongoing monitoring and further enforcement actions may be implemented to ensure continued compliance and support community safety efforts.

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Community Speedwatch

If you are interested in volunteering as a community speed watch volunteer helping to keep our roads a safer place please message us. Volunteers once trained will be required to work independently as a minimum group of 3 persons at a time. For more info - [Community Speed Management | Cheshire West and Chester Council](#)

If you have any time spare to volunteer regularly helping to keep our roads safe within our communities please contact your PCSO—michelle.gillett@cheshire.police.uk



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ASB

CUDDINGTON – 2 incident (s) - Concerns raised regarding unknown youths smoking unknown substance behind SANDIWAY LIBRARY captured on CCTV. PCSO attended to review footage. Once individual's are identified, they will be spoken to in the presence of a responsible adult. Appropriate referrals will be submitted as necessary. PCSO to patrol location when on duty.

Report received of 4 unknown females captured on CCTV behind CUDDINGTON VILLAGE HALL believed to be consuming vodka, evidence which was found the following morning smashed over the floor. Enquires to identify youths is ongoing. Once individual's are identified, they will be spoken to in the presence of a responsible adult. Appropriate referrals will be submitted as necessary. PCSO to patrol location when on duty.

WEAVERHAM – 1 incident (s) - report of unknown persons believed to setting fire to OWLEY WOODS near stream before being spoken to by passing walkers. FIRE attended to make location safe. PCSO to patrol location when on duty.

BURG—dwelling

CRIMINAL DAMAGE

SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY

FRAUD

THEFT



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Schools

I attended Cuddington Youth Club, spending time engaging with the younger generation and even joining in on some Wallie football matches! Congratulations to Cuddington Youth Club for securing funding from the Cheshire Police & Crime Commissioner, which will support ongoing efforts to combat and reduce anti-social behaviour (ASB) in the area, positive community connections!

TRUCAM

In Support of the National Road Safety Campaign #FATAL5 speed enforcement has been carried out in the following locations:

- Station Road, Acton Bridge – Highest recorded speed: 34mph
- High Street, Weaverham – Highest recorded speed: 38mph
- Station Road, Weaverham – Highest recorded speed: 40mph.

All 4 offences have been processed and sent to the Central Ticket Office for further action.

Speed enforcement was carried out on Norley Road, Cuddington with the highest recorded speed being 44 mph. Both offences captured will be processed and sent to the Central Ticket Office for further action.

Speed enforcement was carried out on Weaverham Road, Cuddington this week. A total of 9 offences were recorded for exceeding the 30-mph speed limit. All offences have been processed and referred to the Central Ticket Office for further action.

Speed enforcement has been carried out across the Northwich North beat areas.

Marbury Ward:

- Marbury Road: highest recorded speed – 35mph
- New Warrington Road: highest recorded speed – 42mph

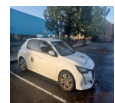
Weaver and Cuddington:

- Norley Road: highest recorded speed – 32mph
- Weaverham Road: highest recorded speed – 39mph

Winnington and Castle:

- Castle Street: highest recorded speed – 37mph
- Chester Way: highest recorded speed – 41mph

A total of 18 offences were captured and will be processed by the Central Ticket Office for further action.

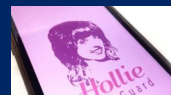


visit: Cheshire Constabulary – Fatal 5 Campaign <https://www.cheshire.police.uk/news/cheshire/news/articles/2025/4/police-to-target-criminal-use-of-cheshires-roads/>

If you have any speeding concerns in your area, we would like to hear from you! Please complete our short survey here: Residents' Voice Survey <https://www.cheshire.police.uk/police-forces/cheshire-constabulary/areas/cheshire/campaigns/northwich/residents-voice/>

PARKING

Following parking concerns raised by our community, a parking patrol was conducted on Church Lane, Weaverham due to unnecessary obstructions affecting drivers' visibility when approaching junctions from Farm Road and Nicholas Road. Several Fixed Penalty Notices were issued and engagement with St Bede's Catholic Church to discuss future preventative measures, including placing cones at the junctions to help ensure clear vision onto Church Lane. If you have any parking concerns in your area, we want to hear from you! Please complete our short survey here: Residents' Voice Survey <https://www.cheshire.police.uk/police-forces/cheshire-constabulary/areas/cheshire/campaigns/northwich/residents-voice/>



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FRAUD warnings



A reassurance visit to a victim of crime, completing an Op Signature assessment to support those at risk. Don't fall for a scam! Always stay vigilant and remember Think Jessica – protecting yourself and others from fraud. For more advice on scam prevention, visit <https://www.thinkjessica.com/>

Engagement

PCSO Michelle has met with Weaverham Parish Council Clerk to discuss community parking concerns and explore ways we can help improve the situation. If you have any community issues or concerns, please let us know by completing the form at the link below: <https://www.cheshire.police.uk/police-forces/cheshire-constabulary/areas/cheshire/campaigns/northwich/residents-voice/>

PCSO Michelle met with Cheshire West and Chester Councillor Stocks to discuss key local issues and incidents affecting our WEAVER and CUDDINGTON ward. Topics included concerns raised by residents, ongoing safety matters, and the re-establishment of our Community Speed Watch scheme—a vital step in addressing road safety concerns and promoting safer driving in our neighbourhoods.

PCSO Michelle has worked in collaboration with the WVHT Housing Officer this week, carrying out the Street of a Week initiative around ROWAN ROAD, engaging with residents to gather community concerns and feedback. The main issue raised during this initiative was parking, particularly during school hours. Weaverham Parish Council is currently exploring possible solutions to address this ongoing concern. If you would like your Street to be included in a future Street of a Week initiative, please get in touch with: Michelle Gillett – Michelle.gillett@cheshire.police.uk

Operation Withdraw: Keeping Northwich Safe - As part of Operation Withdraw, Weaver and Cuddington PC GRIMSHAM and PCSO Michelle have been out in the community conducting checks on taxi drivers. The aim is to ensure all taxis are operating lawfully within the area, helping to keep residents safe while out and about. These proactive checks support public safety by making sure drivers and vehicles are properly licensed and compliant with regulations.

Operation Sceptre returns once again next month (19-25 MAY). The initiative takes place twice a year co-ordinated by the National Police Chief's Council and aims to raise awareness of knife crime, as well as police action in detecting, reducing and preventing it. As part of the Knife Crime Awareness Week, a knife surrender bin will be available at the WEAVER and CUDDINGTON PCSO Surgery, held at The Lighthouse, Church Lane, Weaverham, CW83NJ on Thursday, 22 May, from 18:00 to 19:00 hours. This is an opportunity for members of the community to safely dispose of knives and help make our community safer. I am also planning a knife sweep across our ward on SATURDAY 24TH MAY from 1400 hours for anyone interested in assisting with this safety initiative. Further details to follow in due course.

Engagement took place with PCSO Michelle and members of ST BEDES CATHOLIC CHURCH congregation over coffee after the morning service this week.

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PATROLS

Over the past week, damage has been caused to Owley Wood and Bottom Pitch Meadow by unknown individuals. If you have any information that could assist with our enquiries, please contact your PCSO – michelle.gillett@cheshire.police.uk or 07812781911.

Owley Wood
Bottom Pitch Meadow

PCSO Michelle will continue to patrol the area to provide reassurance. If you have any concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us on 101.

PCSO Michelle has also engaged with the farmer who owns the land behind Walnut Avenue, where crops are grown, following concerns about unauthorised access by motorcross bikers and individuals using metal detectors. We kindly remind residents and visitors to respect the farmer's horticultural land, as it is his livelihood and vital to the local community. Further patrols will be conducted in the area to offer reassurance and deter unauthorised access. Thank you for your cooperation.

SAFETY ADVISE

Water Safety Advice – Please Take a Moment to Read

Your safety around water is extremely important. Whether you're at the beach, pool, lake, or river, please keep the following tips in mind:

Always supervise children around water – even shallow areas.

Never swim alone – use the buddy system.

Avoid alcohol when swimming or operating boats.

Wear a life jacket when boating or in open water if you're not a strong swimmer.

Check the weather and water conditions before entering.

Know your limits – don't push yourself too hard.

Learn CPR and basic rescue techniques – it could save a life.

Watch for currents and tides – they can change quickly and be dangerous.

<https://www.cheshirefire.gov.uk/your-safety/water-safety/>

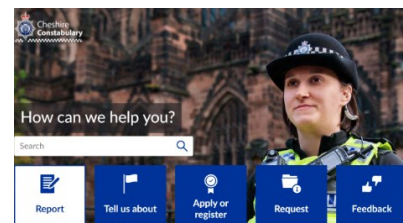
How to keep up to date with policing stories in your area..

CONTACT

Please remember that sending social media message or ringing your beat officers on their work mobiles is not the correct format of reporting incidents. Our accounts/mobiles are not monitored 24/7.

If you need to get in touch with us? There are a number of ways you can contact us, find the best way that suits you to make your experience as quick and convenient as possible.

ring 999 in an emergency
ring 101 when it's less urgent than 999
cheshire.police.uk report non-urgent incidents online



To stay up to date with local policing news in your area you can sign up or follow one or all of the below

Keeping you informed on what's going on in your community

[Home Page - Cheshire Police Alert](#)



Home Watch

If any members of Cheshire alert would like to set-up and become a coordinator of a watch scheme then we, as the police, will offer support and advice in any way we can. Crewe e-mail is attached at the top of this newsletter

Alternatively follow this link - <https://www.ourwatch.org.uk/>

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