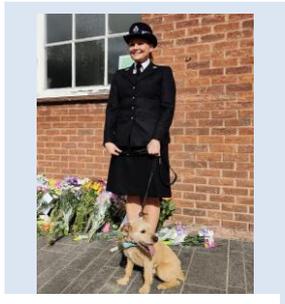


Stakeholder update

Monthly update to stakeholders,
provided by the Bassetlaw Neighbourhood Policing Team

Inspector's update September 2022



**Inspector
Hayley Crawford**

Welcome to September's Stakeholder update!

I would like to start by sending my condolences to the Royal Family on the very sad passing of our queen, Elizabeth II. I'm sure like many of you reading this, Elizabeth will be all we have known at the head of our country and the news would have affected us all differently. On 11th September I attended the Proclamation of the King in Worksop. It was a true honour to represent Nottinghamshire police at such an important event. I may have also had my dog Harold join me at the end for a photo.

We, like many other organisations have had a Media Blackout for the 10 days leading up to and including the state funeral, however we have continued to be busy tackling crime in Bassetlaw. My Sergeants will go in to more of this in their section below.

I am delighted to introduce you to a new Sergeant for Woksop North, Mark Talbot. Mark has been a police officer for 18 years and has worked on proactive target teams, covert drugs operations, Off road bike team and more recently on response. Mark not only brings a lot of experience but a real enthusiasm to proactively problem solve in our communities.

A special thank you to Lynne Schuller for resurrecting a community Speed Watch scheme and also to Tony Eaton for his continued support of our veterans.

Finally, on 10th October, 'Ask For Angela' will be relaunched in Bassetlaw. I am delighted to say there will be a training package for licensed premises to support the implementation. If you see if promoted please share on social media and get the word out about our venues helping to keep people safe!

Inspector Hayley Crawford – Bassetlaw District Commander



**Sergeant
Simon Whitehouse
Op Reacher**



This month we've made 14 arrests, seized 4 vehicles, seized 2 weapons and executed 5 warrants. In addition, we have developed 19 lots of intelligence.

03/09/2022 – Cannabis Grow at Turks Head in RETFORD

07/09/2022 – Male arrested for 18 Shop thefts in Carlton-in-Lindrick

08/09/2022 – Section 8 PACE warrant in WORKSOP with £8,500 seized along with drugs

09/09 /2022 – Vehicle stopped and two arrested for drug supply and possession of weapons.

24/09/2022 – Male arrested for Robbery in Mansfield

25/09/2022 – Male arrested for serious GBH in MANSFIELD town centre

26/09/2022 – Male arrested on suspicion of GBH in HARWORTH.

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Team updates: West Bassetlaw

The North Team



**Sergeant
Mark Talbot**

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I joined the team at the beginning of September leaving my Response role at Newark.

There has been some excellent work carried out by the team this month, starting with the arrest of a prolific shoplifter Tony MATKIN in the Carlton In Lindrick area who was wanted for 19 shop thefts. After giving us the run around for a number of days, together with the Reacher team MATKIN'S time was up. MATKIN was sentenced to six months imprisonment which is the maximum term that can be issued in the magistrates court for this offence.

On the back of our investigations into the shoplifting a suspect was identified for riding an off-road electric bike in the Carlton In Lindrick area. This bike had been seen with the riding driving carelessly around the area on several occasions, pulling wheelies and trying to entice Officers into a pursuit. Officers from our team located the bike parked up and promptly seized this bike from the streets. The suspect has been interviewed and reported for the offence of disqualified driving. Since this time we have had a reduction in reports of bikes causing an issue in the area.

On the 8th of September we teamed up with Reacher Officers and a firearms warrant was executed at an address on Sandy Lane. Whilst no firearms were recovered a large quantity of cash was recovered. Enquiries are currently ongoing to establish the legitimacy of this money.

Due to the death of our Queen, as a mark of respect all planned operations were postponed during the period of mourning.

I look forward to bringing you my report in October where I will be able to report further successes.

The South Team



**Sergeant
Sarah Hagland**

Police and Council are continuing to work together to keep the Town centre a pleasant and safe place to be with continuing to enforce the new PSPO and deal with any breach's of CBO and CPN's that have been issued.

Towards the end of the month a male was arrested for failing to appear in court for breaching his CBO.

On 06th September Two males were arrested for a shop theft of approx. £200. The detaining of these two males was assisted by the use of Shop watch radios and the town centre shops passing timely and accurate information which greatly assisted in the apprehension of these two individuals. Great team working between the Police and local town centre shop staff. These two males were interviewed and will be summonsed to appear in court for these offences.

On 10 September a male was wanted on recall to prison was chased through the town centre by Officers – he was eventually detained after he had jumped into the canal to try and evade Officers. Officers had to wade through the canal to Male and assist him to get out – several soggy boots at the end of the day!

The South Beat team will be in attendance at the Worksop Charter day promoting Security Marking on pedal cycles – if you would like yours security marked then bring your bike down to Charter Day and see the team.

Team updates: East Bassetlaw



**Sergeant
Sam Pearson**

Just a few staff updates for you. This month, the team welcomed back former Pc Karl Hagland who retired from the force in June. Upon retirement, he decided he wanted to return to the force and has subsequently joined as a PCSO. Karl has now filled the PCSO vacancy at Harworth and I have no doubt he will be a fantastic addition as he knows the area, understands the community issues and I assure you he will get stuck right into dealing with issues!

I also have a further change on the team, with Pc Adam Turner leaving as my Retford Town Centre beat officer after 3 years in the role to go to response at Harworth. Adam has been a great addition to the team, although we will still be seeing him as we continue to support our response colleagues at Harworth. We wish him good luck and are looking forward to seeing him progress in his new role.

Pc Glen Turner has now taken the baton from Adam and will take up the Retford Town Centre role. Glen was Worksop Town Centre beat officer for several years and together with PCSO Emma Porter they will be a dynamic and proactive team.

I have also welcomed another new addition to the team at Retford. Pc Hollie Marsh has now joined us from response and will be taking over Ordsall/Rural and Hallcroft areas. She is particularly keen to get involved in the rural crime issue and work alongside Pc James Pickersgill and Pc Gareth Mitchell to disrupt and target those involved in rural crime.

The team have again this month focusing on our community set local priorities, one being speeding and vehicles that cause anti-social behaviour.

All of my East Bassetlaw team have been involved in conducting Speed checks throughout the area. The local rural Constables have also been involved and conducted regular checks at Beckingham, Wheatley, Sturton le Steeple and Mattersey. The team will also focus on speed checks in Ordsall, Rampton and Treswell in the next couple of weeks.

Pc Martin has also been focusing on the Harworth area, together with the Community Speed Watch group which has been resurrected by Councillor Schuller.

If there are any other areas you would like us to focus our speed checks on, then please feed this via our Facebook site or email the team (details on the website).

Pc Pickersgill received some information regarding off road vehicles causing ASB at North Leverton and Ranskill. Efforts by the team resulted in the problem bike at Ranskill being seized and we will now be conducting regular patrols in both areas to focus on any ongoing issues and will deal robustly with those disrupting our local communities.

My officers took swift action and seized a cannabis grow at a licenced premises in Retford. Enquiries are ongoing, and we have more grows on our radar and will be acting imminently!

Extra resources were secured to assist Bassetlaw teams with cross-border criminals and issues at Harworth. Together with local officers from our Neighbourhood teams, you will see more resources to provide that extra capability in tackling burglary and drug supply.

As a result of a drugs warrant the team executed last year, the CPS who have now charged two persons from Misterton with several offences, including drug supply of Class B, production of Class B and firearms offences. Great result for Pc Jim Martin who worked on this complex case, and the two involved will appear in court soon.

Lots of activity planned for the next few weeks, any updates and results will be posted via our social media.