

# Harby & Wigsley Newsletter



## **Harby Mountain Rescue Team**

at Ness Point, the most easterly point in the UK

L to R - John Mawer, Phil Ely, George Dickinson, Phil Thomas,  
Mike Evans, Mike Lloyd, Paul Nolan, Richard Willows, John Howard  
Reclining - Matthew Tucker, Richard Croft

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### Greening Harby and District

At the recent Saturday Swap Coffee morning we focussed on recycling. Other opportunities for recycling items, other than those that go in the silver recycling bin, were highlighted.

**Batteries** – put in a clear plastic bag and place them on top of your Green Residual Waste Bin.

**Clothing** – Clothes Bank at back of Bottle and Glass pub.

**Glass bottles and jars** – Glass Bank behind Bottle and Glass pub, brown glass can be put in the green glass bank. Please remove lids.

**Jars with lids** are often sought by those making jams and chutneys.

**Tetrapaks and drink cartons** – recycling bank at back of Co-op in Collingham.

**Shredded paper** – can be composted or given to someone with bedding for chickens.

**Unbroken Low Energy Light Bulbs** – Recycling banks at some supermarkets e.g. Sainsburys.

**Electrical items** – Household Waste Recycling centre (e.g. Whisby or Newark) or, if still working, freecycle.org or don'tdumpthat.com

**Plastic Carrier Bags** – Charity Shops or supermarkets.

**Household items, toys, gardening items** – give away at Saturday Swap Coffee Morning.

## **HARBY TODDLERS**

I am very pleased to be able to report that the Toddler Group is now thriving! We have 10 regular members, partially due to new people moving into the village, but also it appears our reputation has spread as some of our members now come from the surrounding villages which is good news. We have welcomed Amy and Jack from Enfield House, Lionel (yes, we have a man!) and Gabriel from Millwell House, Meiko and Hana from Wigsley and Mia with Coco and Sunny from Spalford.

We have had a lovely summer with lots of trips out. We had our annual trip to Sundown, we were blessed with the weather which was fantastic and we all had fun going on the rides and playing in the sandpit etc. I must also take this opportunity to say a big thank you on behalf of the toddler group to Jill Meanwell for her help on these days out. Her buggysitting and babysitting skills are invaluable. So thank you Jill, oh and no-one believes my husband when he says we only invite you to scare the children!

We have also visited Wheel gate which is a bit further afield over near Ollerton, but definitely worth a visit as their water park is great. Once again we were blessed with good weather so spent a lot of time getting wet!

We are now back in the Village Hall for the winter, Thursday mornings 10-12, £2 per family. Please feel free to come along and join us, coffee, tea and biscuits included.

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to wish a Happy Birthday to Ava, Jessica, Joseph, Jacob and Hana, whose birthdays all fall around now, so we look forward to the parties!

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## **HARBY PLAYING FIELDS - NEWS**

As you are reading this the playing field will have had its 2013 AGM and the new committee will be in place. If previous years are anything to go by the committee will look pretty much the same but hopefully a few more members will have joined. If you want to help out at all without the commitment of joining the committee please feel free to chat to me as we regularly need help at car boots and work parties.

I would like to thank the committee for all their hard work this year with more to come. We still have some car boots to run and the bonfire night on November 5<sup>th</sup> will hopefully be busy. Lydia has once again been busy and it looks like we will get some money to help us finish off the play area by replacing and modernising the toddlers play area. This will finish off what will be a fantastic village amenity.

We have contracted out the grass cutting this year and the field has looked good all summer because of this. I would also like to thank Mervin Wells for cutting the hedges recently.

We face some interesting challenges in the future. With the cost of maintenance and housekeeping increasing and our improvement program we have spent more money this year than income. The council have also decided to remove our 80% rate reduction so our rates will increase by a couple of thousand pounds which will be a struggle. However with the car boots still being successful and other income streams such as caravan rallies the finances remain healthy.



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# Harby History Group - Tom Chapman

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29<sup>th</sup> October - 'The Old Days of Farming and Pig Keeping'  
- a talk by Colin Wells.

26<sup>th</sup> November - 'The Battle of Waterloo'  
- An illustrated talk by Harold Payne.

Meetings are at 7.30pm in the Village Hall Lounge and cost only £1-00.  
All are welcome.

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## ALL SAINTS, HARBY

SEPTEMBER 2013

Church bells are wonderful things. They are powerfully evocative; of times of joy and celebration, of times of crisis, as a marker of the regular passage of time, Sunday by Sunday. Church bells are more than evocative. For some they can be beautiful, for others a complete mystery, and for some a source of annoyance! In Harby we are blessed with a fine set of bells, now made even finer after extensive renovation and the addition of a further bell. All this paid for largely by past generations who have made generous bequests. Silent for a time, the bells will soon be heard again, perhaps even before you read these words.

Bell ringing is a seriously fun activity, full of exercise, and human fellowship. It is truly a craft, demanding precision, timing, listening. Indeed, all the skills required reflect the skills we all need to live life successfully, with wonder and joy.

So come and join the team of ringers. Full coaching will be given. And very soon you'll find yourself ringing in celebration of a wedding or marking Sunday worship.

Very good wishes

The Revd David Yabbacome

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### THE GLEBE PRACTICE, SAXILBY

#### ***FLU CLINICS***

NO APPOINTMENT – WALK IN CLINICS

#### **Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October**

Village Hall, **HARBY** - 0900 until 1200

Health Centre, **TORKSEY** - 1500 until 1645

#### **Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October**

Old School Room, **STURTON BY STOW**  
0900 until 1100

Youth Centre, **SKELLINGTHORPE**  
1400 until 1700

#### **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October**

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HARBY VILLAGE HALL



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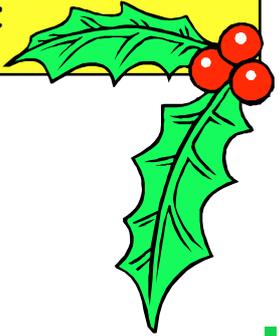
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## Look two, one's going, one's gone

I've finally got around to “**thank you all**” who helped with the two Car Boots held this year. These two boots were held jointly, in aid of All Saints Church and The Bells. The monies collected in the buckets shared by both, amounted to £242.13 each. We had good weather on both occasions this year.

The Bell Restoration at All Saints Church, has been ‘on going’ since the last Newsletter one way or another, following the removal of the Bells to Whitechapel. Having the wedding of John Rouston and Julie Davis booked for the 21<sup>st</sup> September, this date became our ‘wish date’ for completion. The second faculty, caused anxiety a-waiting its acceptance. As it happened, the longer time needed to get the additional bell through the faculty system gave us a bit of breathing spacing in preparing the bell and ringing chambers for the bell installation.

The retuning of the bells, new headstocks and auxiliary equipment, along with the additional bell became ready for return to All Saints on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept, when Whitechapel asked to start re-installing on 9<sup>th</sup> Sept. We, notifying Mr. Geoff Wells the organiser of the Southwell and Nottingham Diocesan Guild Insured labour, who then had the task of trying to ensure that two persons were able to assist Mr. Peter Scott from Whitechapel daily as agreed. A difficult job I feel, notifying the guild insured helpers, giving them seven days to make arrangements. This notice turned out successfully. The helpers were Mr. Ian Hasman from Winthorpe, Dr. Chris Birkby, Mr. James Birkby, from Edwalton, Mr. Mick Young from Balderton, and of course Mr. Geoff Wells from Coddington.

On Monday 9<sup>th</sup> Sept. Mr. Peter Scott arrived from Whitechapel foundry, also the first two Guild members to help Mr. Scott. The first two bells being delivered the same day, the activity level has been high ever since. The remainder of the bells, along with auxiliary equipment required, arrived on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> Sept. This occasion not to be missed, with the permission of Whitechapel Bell Foundry, Pat Hazel notified The Queen Eleanor School of the delivery, thus allowing the school children to see this once in a lifetime event. The bells by the time the children arrived were ready to be hoisted into the ringing chamber. The first bell whilst being lifted was held in a position to allow I believe, all the children, assisted by Mr. Scott, to strike the bell with a piece of wood. It was like the children competing to see who was the loudest, I wonder who won, or are the children still deciding? The bells whilst entering the ringing chamber, was something for the children, and ourselves, to witness and remember.

The Guild Insured Labour is provided free of charge, an unbelievable fact in this day and age. This exercise ensured a substantial reduction in the cost, which is very much appreciated. We, at All Saints Belfry thank you gents very much for giving up your time.

Mr. Peter Scott, with the aid of the Guild Labour have achieved the deadline of Wednesday evening, between 6-7p.m. when Mr. Peter Scott left for home after 8 very full days, on the last day there being 3 Guild insured personnel helping to get the bells in ringing order by nightfall. Mr. Scott had to be in Switzerland on the next day, so the pressure was coming in all directions. He is due back to fit the clock hammer following an initial fitting and also minor adjustment to the fine settings on 26<sup>th</sup> Sept and 4<sup>th</sup> Oct.

At a pre-arranged practice on Thursday, @ 7-00p.m, for some reason everyone was waiting at the Church gate? After a lot of excited talk, practice began with various exclamations and laughter at the difference and light feel of the ropes/bells, the tone fantastic to say the least. We had a longer ring than anticipated; I had to kick everyone out near bed time.

With the reconditioned bells, our first official engagement was ringing for the wedding of John Rouston and Julie Davis. The ringing was excellent. I must compliment all the ringers. The team for this first memorable ring, were Derek Phillips from Eagle, Jayne Rose, Derrick Watson from Spalford, Lorraine Dickinson and myself.

The next service, where we flex our ringing muscles, is that of the Morning Worship/Holy Communion to be held on 6<sup>th</sup> Oct @10-30p.m. Another service, “Roll up, Roll up”, not to be missed, is our next ring, for **Harvest Thanksgiving Service** to be held on 13<sup>th</sup> October @ 11-15a.m. which will incorporate the **Dedication of the Bells**, and following the service, the **Harvest Festival Luncheon** will be held in the Playing Field Pavilion.

The ‘icing on the cake’ in the belfry, is the wonderful red cushions for us to sit on during rest and joke time. Made by Lorraine, they fit in the window recesses perfectly and match the red carpets and seating in the Nave. Thanks Lorraine, wonderful job!

P.S. They are very comfortable.

**Set Next Time**

*Will Turner*



Left: Ian Hasman from Winthorpe  
Center: Peter Scott from Whitechapel  
Right: James Birkby from Edwalton  
IN THE RINGING CHAMBER



Ian Hasman In No. 5 Bay, TENOR top left  
New TREBLE top right



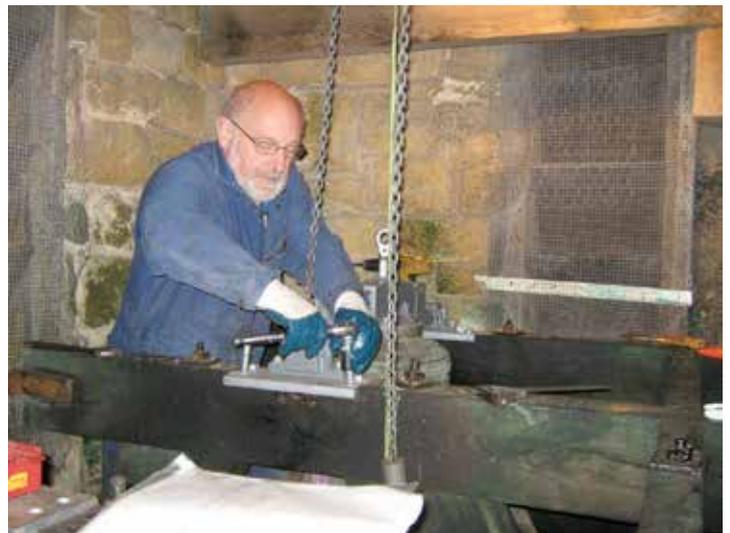
Right: Peter Scott & Ian Hasman In No. 5 Bay



Left: Ian Hasman In No. 5 Bay



The bell ringers from the first ringing session at the wedding on Saturday of the newly hung bells.



One more Diocesan helper, Mr. George Dawson from Coddington, securing No.3 attached.

Other helpers were Dr. Chris Birkby from Edwalton and Mr. Mick Young from Balderton



# HARBY MOUNTAIN RESCUE TEAM 2013 Far Eastern Adventure



The seventh annual Harby Mountain Rescue Team Adventure saw eleven cyclists complete the 183-mile *Far Eastern Adventure* from Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2013.



Harby Mountain Rescue Team in Helmingham at the start of the 2013 Adventure

L to R - Paul Nolan, Richard Croft, Richard Willows, Phil Ely, Phil Thomas, Mike Lloyd, Mike Evans, John Howard, George Dickinson, Matthew Tucker, John Mawer

## Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September - Blood, spokes and beer

Fuelled by a feeding-frenzy of generous portions of Bronwen's traditional first-day fruit cake, the team started from Helmingham in Suffolk riding through rolling terrain and picturesque villages to an early lunch at The Angel in Debenham. Bathed in glorious sunshine and in almost 30° heat, the afternoon saw Paul Nolan take a tumble in to a hedgerow and emerge with cuts and bruises, but thankfully no serious injuries. A 90-minute stop in Diss for the replacement of 3 broken spokes allowed a bit of sightseeing before continuing on route 30 via The White Horse at Thelnetham and on to Thetford to complete a 42-mile first day. An evening tour of the *Dads Army* sights, curry and beer failed to make a rather dull Thetford any more interesting and the team adjourned to the Bell Inn for a well-earned sleep.



George, John & Richard check the map

## Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September - Crocs with socks, rain and Fawley Towers

With a much cooler day and rain forecast, fashion icon Richard Willows invested in a pair of cheap Crocs to complement his socks as a late start took us to the ruins of Thetford Priory and the grave of Thomas Howard, Third Duke of Norfolk .... reputedly an aristocratic ancestor of John Howard. After a leisurely ride through The Brecks, we took lunch at The Gamekeeper at

Old Buckenham where it started raining ..... and continued raining all afternoon as we pressed on to Norwich to complete a damp 39-mile second day. A sightseeing tour from John Mawer, evening refreshments and an excellent dinner preceded watching England beat Moldova on a TV in a riverside bar. We were all touched by George's charity and compassion towards a beggar by Norwich Station on the way back to the Fawltly Towers-like Lansdowne Hotel.

Richard Willows - fashion icon



### Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September - Norwich to Lowestoft through the Norfolk Broads

Eager to escape from Fawltly Towers, yet cursed with two punctures to repair, after some sightseeing in the Cathedral Close, we left Norwich an hour later than planned and headed south-east on route 1 through the Norfolk Broads to lunch at The Swan in Loddon. Contrary to popular belief, Norfolk isn't flat, but has gently rolling hills and valleys as George's picturesque route skirted the villages around and across the River Waveney before a welcome break for hops-based recovery beverages at the Duke's Head at Somerleyton. After some navigational challenges and some swearing through Lowestoft, we eventually reached Lowestoft Ness in fading light, the most easterly point in Britain, for the team photograph that appears on the cover of this issue of the Harby & Wigsley Newsletter. Arrival at the Premier Inn completed a 50-mile day with dinner and refreshments later that evening at The Foxburrow.

### Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September - Hares & tortoises

An advance party of *hares* Matthew Tucker, Phil Ely, Richard Willows, Paul Nolan and John Mawer left Lowestoft at 7.30am on a sprint back to Helmingham whilst the *tortoises* George Dickinson, Richard Croft, Mike Evans, Mike Lloyd, Phil Thomas and John Howard enjoyed a leisurely breakfast and 8.30am departure. Before leaving Lowestoft, we visited the Royal Plain water fountains by the South Pier and a few folks got wet cycling through. In pleasant sunshine and largely following route 1 of the National Cycle Network, we headed south-west with several stops, including the war memorials at Halesworth airfield and on to a late lunch at the Crown in Framlingham, followed by a quick visit to the castle. The final run back to Helmingham involved a few shelter stops dodging the occasional shower as we completed the longest day of 52 miles to conclude the Far Eastern Adventure.



John Howard and the Royal Plain water fountains at Lowestoft

Plans for the 2014 Adventure of an un-supported re-run of the Eleanor Crosses route we did in 2007 are already underway, with a call to all current and resting members of Harby Mountain Rescue Team.

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## Forthcoming Events

### Oct. 2013

- Wed. 2<sup>nd</sup> – Mobile Library Harby 9.50 – 10.05 Station Road,  
10.05 – 10.40, Queen Eleanor Primary School, 10.45 – 11.00  
Millfield Close. Wigsley 11.05 – 11.15 Garden Room
- Thurs. 3<sup>rd</sup> – Parish Council meeting, Village Hall, 7.30pm
- Sat. 5<sup>th</sup> – Queen Eleanor Primary School, Open Day 1.30pm – 4.30pm
- Sun. 6<sup>th</sup> – Car Boot Sale, Playing Fields (Village Hall)
- Sun. 6<sup>th</sup> – Holy Communion, All Saints Church, Harby, 10.30am
- Thurs. 10<sup>th</sup> – Craft Circle, Village Hall Lounge, 1.30pm – 3.30pm
- Sun. 13<sup>th</sup> – Harvest Thanksgiving, All Saints Church, Harby, 11.15am,  
followed by lunch
- Thurs. 17<sup>th</sup> – Harby Tea Time, Village Hall Lounge, 1.30pm – 3.30pm
- Sun. 20<sup>th</sup> – Holy Communion, All Saints Church, Harby, 6.00pm
- Thurs. 24<sup>th</sup> – Craft Circle, Village Hall Lounge, 1.30pm – 3.30pm
- Tues. 29<sup>th</sup> – History Group, Village Hall, 7.30pm

### Nov. 2013

- Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> – Morning Worship, All Saints Church, Harby, 10.30am
- Tues. 5<sup>th</sup> – Bonfire & fireworks, Playing Fields, gates open 6.30pm,  
fireworks 7.30pm
- Sun. 10<sup>th</sup> – Remembrance Service, All Saints Church, Harby, 10.45am
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- Thurs. 28<sup>th</sup> – Craft Circle, Village Hall Lounge, 1.30pm – 3.30pm

### Dec. 2013

- Sun. 1<sup>st</sup> – Morning Worship, All Saints Church, Harby, 10.30am
- Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Quiznight, Village Hall, 7.30pm
- Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> – Carol Service, All Saints Church, Harby, 4.30pm
- Thurs. 19<sup>th</sup> – Harby Tea Time, Village Hall Lounge, 1.30pm – 3.30pm

**Please contact Jayne Rose if you would like your future events to be included.**

**Tel. 01522 703510 or e-mail: [jayne@oldcobblers.co.uk](mailto:jayne@oldcobblers.co.uk)**

### Sunday Services at All Saints Harby for Oct, Nov, Dec 2013

<b>Sunday Oct 6<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>	<b>10.30am</b>
<b>Sunday Oct 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Harvest Thanksgiving</b>	<b>11.15am</b>
	<b>Followed by lunch (tickets now on sale)</b>	
<b>Sunday Oct 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>	<b>6.00pm</b>
<b>Sunday Nov 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>10.30am</b>
<b>Sunday Nov 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Remembrance</b>	<b>10.45am</b>
<b>Sunday Nov 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>	<b>9.00am</b>
<b>Sunday Dec 1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>10.30am</b>
<b>Sunday Dec 15<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Carol Service</b>	<b>4.30pm</b>

### What is Healthwatch?

The primary task of local Healthwatch is to gather evidence from the views and experiences of patients, service users, carers and the public about their local health and social care services. Healthwatch then provides feedback (both positive or critical) to health and social care commissioners, or in serious case scenarios, to the Care Quality Commission or Healthwatch England, in order to effect service change or improvement. It would actually be more accurate to call this new organisation “Health and Social Carewatch”, as it covers all social care services as well as NHS services. But Healthwatch is the name that Ministers decided to give it.

### Why is Healthwatch needed?

Three things are happening in health and social care that make it increasingly important for us as consumers of those services to have different ways of feeding back our views and experiences of these critically important personal and family services. Firstly, the structure of the NHS is changing fast and appears to be getting more complicated. Secondly, the current severe budget cuts in Local Authority expenditure (which includes social care services) and the no budget growth position for the NHS (whilst having to meet the needs of an ageing population, more people with long term conditions and rising cost of treatment), is putting increasing strain on the health and social care system. A third factor is the aspiration, long-standing but seldom achieved, of better integrating health and social care services where it makes sense and would save resources.

### What is Healthwatch Nottinghamshire doing?

Healthwatch Nottinghamshire has now established its organisational base in Hucknall and is at the stage of making itself better known and familiar to the people of Nottinghamshire. To achieve this we are working on a number of fronts: our leaflets are being distributed across the County, our ‘Have Your Say’ forms are available on our webpage and on request from the office, our monthly newsletter is being distributed to our growing mailing list, and we are now recruiting volunteers to act as Healthwatch ‘Champions’ or ‘Outreach Volunteers’.

So if you want to get involved, perhaps have your say, receive a newsletter, become a volunteer or just to get in touch with your local Healthwatch, then:

**Phone:** 0115 963 5179

**Email:** [info@healthwatchnottinghamshire.co.uk](mailto:info@healthwatchnottinghamshire.co.uk)

**Web:** [www.healthwatchnottinghamshire.co.uk](http://www.healthwatchnottinghamshire.co.uk)

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Joe has extensive experience of working at the sharp end of health and social care services. He led Nottingham’s and Nottinghamshire’s complaints and statutory inspection service and has undertaken work on joint planning and commissioning. His strong commitment to achieving better outcomes for all will be key to Healthwatch’s success.

## FRIENDS OF QUEEN ELEANOR - Becki Wheeler



A big thank you to all our volunteers who helped at the car boot, on behalf of Friends of Queen Eleanor.

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# Neighbourhood Watch/Alert

## **What is it?**

The Neighbourhood Alert system is now available anywhere in Nottinghamshire, with thirty different websites providing access to the interactive tools, messaging and reporting facilities. It's a free service that enables residents of Nottinghamshire to engage with the police and Neighbourhood Watch. You do not need to be involved with Neighbourhood Watch to join but if you are, the free scheme management tools provide messaging, street mapping and support.

## **What do I get?**

A totally free service.

Information about crime trends and incidents.

Having the ability to report suspicious and antisocial behaviour.

Start, manage or request to join Neighbourhood Watch Scheme.

Configure how, when and which messages you'd like to receive.

## **What do I need to do now?**

You can either collect a registration form from your local police station or you can go on line at :[www.nottinghamshirealert.co.uk](http://www.nottinghamshirealert.co.uk)

## **Reporting Incidents**

It's been brought to my attention that incidents are occurring within the community and not being reported. Please could I ask that if there are any incidents please report on dialling 101 (non emergency number) or 999 (emergency number).

**[Contact your, Coddington, Collingham and Meerings Safer Neighbourhood Team for any issues that concern you:](#)**

**[PCSO 8130 Samson-Bailey, Mobile number 07595074288](mailto:harriet.samson-bailey@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk)**

**[PC 2860 Stannard, Mobile number 07910336903](mailto:martin.stannard@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk)**

**[Newark Police station 101 ext 8097616](#)**

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