

# On the beat in **WELLINGTON NORTH**

Safer Neighbourhood Team Newsletter

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## Where we work

Dothill, Shawbirch, Admaston and Bratton

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Our next Mobile Police station event will be on Monday April 3<sup>rd</sup> 2023.

Admaston House 10:00 -11:00

Woolpack Carpark shawbirch 11:15 -12:15

Severn Drive Dothill ( by the wooden Hut) 12:30 -13:30



## Pemberton Road Carpark.

We have been working closely with Telford and Wrekin and Wrockwardine Parish Council to try and solve the issue with Vehicle Anti-Social-Behaviour on the car park.

As the nights draw out and weather improves we aim to patrol the area to help deter the drivers.

Last year saw the installation of CCTV overlooking the carpark and wooden planters to help prevent cars speeding around the car park.

Only time will tell if the planters aid with the speeding but we will keep in touch with Telford and Wrekin if they need replacing.

## Parking Outside Schools

We continue to patrol as often as we can the Schools on our area of which we have five.

But there are things that parents and students can do to keep themselves and students safe.

### Walking to school



#### Peeler's Tips

- Where there is a pavement or foot way, use it!
- If you are looking after someone younger than you, hold their hand when you cross the road.
- Wear bright fluorescent clothes on darker days and at night!
- When there is no pavement, walk on the right hand side of the road to face traffic coming towards you.

#### Crossing

Follow the "Keep 'Em Peeled" code and always use a Zebra or Pelican crossing if one is available.

If your school has a crossing patrol wait until they signal to you to cross the road. Always cross in front of them.

### Getting a Lift



- The law says that **seatbelts must be worn at all times.** Children under the age of 12 and under 135cms in height **must use the correct child seat for their size.**
- Do not block the driver's view in the mirror.
  - Never lean or wave out of the window or throw or hang anything out.
  - Only open doors or windows if it is safe.
  - Keep your hands away from door handles while the car is moving.
- When you get in or out of the car, use the door on the pavement side. Only get out when you are sure it is safe.



**KEEP 'EM PEELED with PEELER the POLICE DOG!**

### Parents

If you need to drive your child to school, for the safety of your child, their friends and the local community we request that you park safely, legally and considerately.

- 'School Keep Clear' restrictions ensure clear sight lines for motorists & children. No vehicle, even blue badge holders, are permitted to stop.
- You should not park on the pavement or grass verge. Obstructing the verge or footway can amount to a criminal offence if the passage of pedestrians is significantly impeded.
- Consider parking further away from the school & walking the last 5 or 10 minutes. Walking to school is good for your health, means less congestion outside schools, improving air quality and safety around your school!



### **Building Sites.**

The new build site on Harley Close is moving fairly quickly and we are aware that there have been a few issues reported to Police in regards of traffic build up. We monitor all complaints and will deal with and Policing issues. We are in contact with the site manager and will raise any ongoing issues with them.

## **HAPPY EASTER HOLIDAYS FROM YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM FOR WELLINGTON NORTH.**

### **KEEP SAFE AROUND BUILDING SITES**

Please be mindful of the dangers that building sites bring. Children are inquisitive little humans who like to investigate. Please make your children aware of the dangers around working sites.

Site security is high and CCTV in operation but they are still dangerous if unauthorised entry is gained.

### **Anti- Social Behaviour Silkin Way Bratton.**

We have received reports of Anti-social behaviour along the Silkin way and Bratton Road in relation to drug miss-use. We are monitoring the area but if anyone has any information please contact a member of the Team via the details at the top of this News Letter.

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