

Safer South Derbyshire Partnership Newsletter

This newsletter has been produced by the Safer South Derbyshire Partnership to tell you what is happening across the district during Operation Relentless "Safe and Confident" from 27th September to 7th November.

The Police will be carrying out extra patrols, especially during Bonfire Night and Halloween. Numerous clean up operations will also be held, working alongside the Community Payback team we will be tackling overgrown weeds, litter and graffiti.

South Derbyshire CVS are holding events such as Family Literacy Cafes together with the Police and Fire Service. SDDC's Sports and Youth Development Team will be running additional multi sports sessions over the 6-week period.

Week 1 – Improving Local Neighbourhood Week (27th September – 3rd October)

Week 2 – Family Engagement week (4th – 10th October)

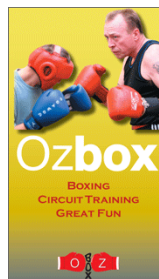
Week 3 – Community Action (11th – 17th October)

Week 4 – Alcohol Harm (18th – 24th October)

Week 5 – Nuisance Reduction (25th – 31st October)

Week 6 – Fire Safety (1st – 7th November)

Ozbox is a new Police led non-contact boxing training session aimed at 12-19 year olds. Sessions will run every Monday evening from 8.30 pm to 9.30 pm at Hilton Village Hall from Monday 27th September to Monday 8th November. Sessions are free – please come along !!



New Police Speed Gun

The Safer South Derbyshire Partnership have successfully secured funding for a new hand held speed camera to combat speeding and nuisance vehicles. Police Officers will be targeting the whole of South Derbyshire over Operation Relentless dishing out fixed penalty fines to anyone caught speeding

Automatic Number Plate Recognition Camera

During Operation Relentless the new ANPR camera sited on Civic Way Swadlincote will become active. This camera will record number plates on cars and alerts will be given when a car passes through that is stolen or wanted or where it is being driven without tax, MOT's or Insurance.

Operation Pinamar

Provides additional Safer Neighbourhood Team patrols to target anti-social behaviour in hotspot areas every weekend throughout Relentless.

Sales of eggs and flour

Over 100 shops will be written to ahead of Halloween and asked not to sell eggs and flour to youngsters to avoid nuisance and criminal damage. Letters and posters will go out to premises in early October.



Operation Edgware

Police and Neighbourhood Wardens will be working together over the 6-week period to tackle issues raised in weekly Police tasking meetings. There will be high visible patrols in crime hotspot areas.

Family Literacy Cafés

The Police and Fire Service will be giving presentations at the Family Literacy Café at Swadlincote CVS on 1st October. The session will run from 10.30 am – 12.30 pm, all welcome to attend.

Joint Police and Fire Service patrols

The Police and Fire Service are to patrol Fire hotspots together and speak with young local people around fire safety issues between 1st and 7th November.

Fire Safety Posters

Firework safety information and posters will be distributed to schools in the district to educate and warn young people on the dangers of misusing fireworks

Estate Tours

Various estate tours are planned throughout Relentless, all commencing at 10 am and will take approximately one hour. Opportunity for members of community to meet with outside agencies such as, The Safer South Derbyshire Partnership, Police, CVS, Fire Service, Housing, Councillors and for those agencies to hear about hotspot areas raised at Safer Neighbourhood meetings.

- Area 1 – Hilton meeting at the Police Office on 1st October
- Area 2 – Willington meeting at the car park adjacent to the Green Dragon pub on 4th October
- Area 3 – Aston on Trent meeting at the Old Hospital site on 15th October
- Area 4 – Church Gresley meeting at Civic Offices on 19th October
- Area 5 – Newhall meeting at The Old Post on 26th October
- Area 6 – Castle Gresley meeting at Linton Road shops on 4th November

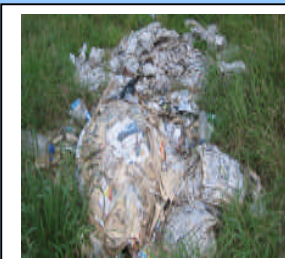


Graffiti Removal

Anti-graffiti applications are planned around Hilton at the Village Hall, Soar Close perimeter fence and the Scout Hut. Removal of graffiti will also take place in Melbourne, Stenson Fields, Hatton and Hilton

Clean Ups

Clean ups and litter picks are planned across the whole district during the Operation. Areas in Swadlincote, Melbourne, Newhall, Hatton, and Goseley will be targeted by Community payback. Community Clean Ups will also be held at Willington Canal on 29th September, Newhall park on 13th October at 10.00 am, and Swadlincote Sk8 park on 27th October at 10.00 am



Halloween



Trick or Treat

Flyers for displaying in front windows/doors will be going out to older people across the district, asking trick or treaters not to call at their property.

National Personal Safety Day

11th October is National Personal Safety day, where a talk and presentation to the over 50's will be held at the Lincote Centre, Swadlincote by the Police Crime Reduction Officer.

Derbyshire Neighbourhood Watch Annual Autumn Seminar

This will be taking place at Derbyshire Police HQ on Thursday, 14th October at 7:00pm. Applications for places are open from existing Neighbourhood Watch members and anyone interested in finding out more about NHW. The focus of the seminar will be on preventing doorstep crime and distraction burglaries. Guest speakers at the seminar will include representatives from Crimestoppers, Severn Trent Water, Digital UK, Trading Standards and Operation Liberal, a national team which tackles distraction burglaries.

Contact the ticket hotline on: 01773 572813.

Street Games Sessions

SDDC Sports Development team are holding organised multi sport sessions all over the district during Relentless. These will be held between 13th Sept and 22nd October at the following locations:

Hatton sports and social club: Mondays 6.00-8.00pm
Willington Playing Fields: Tuesdays 7.30-8.30pm
Overseal MUGA: Mondays 7.30-8.30pm
Linton playing fields: Mondays 6.00-7.00pm
Maurice Lea Park: Wednesdays 6.00-7.00pm
Hilton Astro Turf: Thursdays 5.00-6.00pm
Stenson Fields, Fox Close: Tuesdays 6.00-7.00pm
Newhall Park: Wednesdays 7.30-8.30pm

For more details contact John Widdowson on 07966 490813



Bag it and Bin it Campaign

Maurice Lea Park will host this campaign. Bright green flags will be placed next to each pile of dog mess to show where the problems are in the park.

For more information contact Environmental Health on : 01283 595 795

Saturday Night Project

This pilot project will run from 7 – 9 pm on Saturday 16th October, 13th November and 11th December at John Port School, Etwall. Various Sports and dance sessions will be put on for boys and girls under 18 years old.

For more information contact Hannah Barradell Smith on 01283 595973

Vehicle Enforcement

The Police's Crest Team will be carrying out various vehicle and moped enforcement operations across the district.

Alcohol Watch

A bottle-stamping project will be going ahead at two off-licences in the district to tackle ASB, and proxy purchase.

DPPO

A Designated Public Place Order (DPPO) has been approved for Eureka Park. This order aims to reduce alcohol related ASB by giving Police powers to confiscate alcohol from adults drinking on or around the park. If the individual refuses to hand over the alcohol on request they can be arrested and fined up to £500. The order should be in place for mid October.

Community Rugby Day

A pilot Rugby coaching session will be held on the playing fields at Hilton Village Hall on Monday 25th October, Time to be confirmed.

For more details contact John Widdowson on 07966 490813

Safer Neighbourhood Meetings – Come along !

Everyone who lives or works in South Derbyshire is welcome to attend. The meetings provide an opportunity to hear the latest news about work going on in the area to cut crime and disorder and to discuss particular issues with the Partnership and your local Beat Team. The next round of Safer Neighbourhood meetings take place in November / December.

Area 1 (Etwall, Hilton, Hatton, Burnaston, Egginton, Foston)

6:30 pm, Monday 29th November at Hilton Village Hall

Area 2 (Willington, Findern, Repton, Bretby, Stenson Fields)

6:30 pm Thursday 9th December at Findern Village Hall

Area 3 (Melbourne, Aston, Weston, Shardlow, Thulston, Elvaston)

7:00 pm, Wednesday 1st December at Barrow on Trent Village Hall

Area 4 (Swadlincote, Woodville, Church Gresley, Hartshorne)

6:30 pm, Monday 6th December, Sharpe's Pottery Museum, Swadlincote

Area 5 (Newhall, Midway and Stanton)

6:30 pm, Tuesday 7th December, Stanton Village Hall

Area 6 (Overseal, Linton, Netherseal, Coton, Walton, Rosliston)

6:30 pm, Monday 13th December 2010, Coton-in-the-Elms Community Centre

Useful contact numbers

Safer South Derbyshire Partnership – 01283 595858

**ASB helpline
01283 595795**

**Crimestoppers
0800 555 111**

**Police Non Emergency
0345 123 33 33**

**Next Step (against domestic abuse)
01283 229854**

**Victim Support
01629 825864**

**Connexions
01283 229709**