

Local priorities for Kettering Town – You Said, We Did

In October, we set three local priorities – road safety, drug dealing/misuse and ASB motorcycle nuisance.

These were based on what local people told us concerned them most in their neighbourhood, as well as local crime statistics and information from our partners (such as the local council).

These priorities have been the focus of much of our work over the last three months and below is an update about some of the work we have been doing to tackle them:

- *We've issued warning notices to 78 people for driving/using their vehicle in an anti-social manner. This means if they are found to be doing so again then the vehicle they are found using can be seized.*
- *We've completed speed enforcement patrols in areas highlighted by the community as being of concern and issued 14 fixed penalty notices for speeding offences and sent 78 warning letters to drivers.*
- *We've seized 47 vehicles in this period and issued 44 fixed penalty notice for motoring offences other than speeding, including offences of no insurance.*
- *Working with VOI, we've reported 70 electric scooter users for breaches of the use protocol which has resulted in either education or suspension of their accounts. We've also started to seize private electric scooters for no insurance offences, having spent quite some time offering education around their use.*
- *Several parking patrols have also taken place outside of the local schools with council partners and these will continue.*
- *Following information received from the community, the Police have dealt with over 100 drug possession offences with over 80 percent of those offences being positively dealt with by either an out of court disposal (caution, community resolution warning) or a charge to court.*
- *We've also conducted numerous drug warrants in the area following intelligence being received by the community, several of these offences are still under investigation and news stories will follow on twitter and Facebook when the investigations are complete.*
- *We are continuing to develop all community intelligence received in relation to drugs and thank you for your assistance in providing us this vital information.*

Everyone who lives or works in Northamptonshire is invited to tell us about any local issues that concern them and the easiest way to do this is by completing our Local Priorities survey at

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NorthantsLocalPriorities>

Alternatively, you can contact your local neighbourhood officer at

- NeighbourhoodTeamKetteringTown@northants.pnn.police.uk.

The local neighbourhood team priorities – known as locally identified priorities (LIPs) – are based on the issues that are of most concern in that particular area and are agreed every three months.

At a county level, we also have four [Matters of Priority](#) that the Force is giving special focus to this year – serious and organised crime, domestic abuse, knife crime and anti-social behaviour.

Your feedback is really important and we appreciate you taking the time to share your views with us.

Thank you

Inspector Scott Little – Kettering Town Neighbourhood Team

**Your Neighbourhood Policing Team
for Kettering**

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