

Stakeholder update

*Fortnightly update to stakeholders,
provided by the Rushcliffe Neighbourhood policing team*

Inspector's update – 17th February 2020

Welcome to the latest edition of the Rushcliffe Stakeholder Update. My name is Craig Berry and I am the officer responsible for the policing of Rushcliffe Borough.

I am pleased to advise on some great team work with various Police teams that came to fruition last Friday.

The Rushcliffe South beat team along with our local intelligence officer developed some intelligence to the point that a search warrant was obtained for an address near Normanton on Soar.

The warrant was executed last Friday morning by the Rushcliffe North beat team assisted by other police colleagues. Four arrests were made two men aged 37 and 29 years along with two females aged 43 and 30 years.

A substantial amount of property was seized; we have identified some of the owners and work continues to identify where other items have been stolen from.

All 4 people arrested have been released on bail with conditions whilst we continue our investigations.

We are also working in conjunction with Rushcliffe Borough Council about this work.

I am continuing to work on the move from the current West Bridgford Police station to the fire station on Loughborough Road for the local response and beat staff at West Bridgford; we are still looking at early April 2020 for this move.

The front counter at West Bridgford Police station which had been staffed by our Rushcliffe Borough Council partners has now moved to a new service centre on Gordon Road in West Bridgford.

Full details can be found on the Rushcliffe Borough Council web site.

<https://www.rushcliffe.gov.uk/aboutus/newsandpublications/latestnews/stories/name.52700,en.php>



Inspector Craig Berry

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Team updates: West Bridgford



**Sergeant
Sarah Merrall**

Our local officers in conjunction with Rushcliffe Borough Council held another cycle marking event at the Lady bay public house, burglary reduction advice and information was available to residents.

These events are quite popular; we will be looking at holding others at various locations and times.

We also held a beat surgery at West Bridgford library on Saturday the 8th of February; these continue to be a very good way of engaging with our local residents.

One of our local beat officers was the pilot for the force drone at the recent Nottingham forest V Leeds United fixture at the City Ground. He has posted a picture of the City Ground from the air on our social media pages. This image shows the clarity of the images that can be obtained from the drone and is a very useful tool for us to have access to various legitimate policing reasons.

Officers covering the Rushcliffe area have been busy with requests for help over the last weekend during the floods; we continue to be ready to assist should we get further flooding in the area.

Nottinghamshire Police continue to work with our partners to monitor and respond to calls around flooding.

Local beat manager for the Abbey park area in West Bridgford has co-ordinated some work with our partners Rushcliffe Borough Council along with a warden and community action group for the area.

This work will consist of crime prevention advice, reassurance patrols, identify and supporting vulnerable residents and looking at promoting the nominated neighbour scheme, details can be found through the following link: -

<https://www.nottinghamshire.police.uk/site-page/nominated-neighbour-scheme>

The nominated neighbour scheme is designed to help deter burglars and cold callers.

Team updates: Rushcliffe South



**Sergeant
Steve Robinson**

We continue to look at the area around the hub in Cotgrave as we are hearing about ASB issues on social media; however these incidents are not being reported to us on 101.

We have used social media to ask residents of Cotgrave to use the 101 system at the time they witness any ASB, each incident will be graded and are responded to as per that grading. If the beat team are of duty at the time of the incident, those officers will review and follow up any enquires that can be carried out on their return to work.

Local officer PC Howard SHINN attended the Cotgrave town council meeting on Wednesday 12th of February; He gave an overview of the recent work carried out in Cotgrave. He also attended a meeting (13/02/2020) with Cllrs, the local youth worker and Rushcliffe Borough Council staff to discuss identifying and resolving the ASB issues we keep hearing about, second or third hand in many cases. Some good ideas came out of that. PC SHINN and the Cotgrave PCSO then visited a number of shops in the hub area (Plaza) shops to hear first-hand of their experiences of any ASB in the area.

We have also been present in the centre of Cotgrave today with Rushcliffe Borough Council staff. Our social media pages have been used to request that parents have discussions with their children around the issues in Cotgrave.

The curfews placed on 2 people interviewed around the issues at the Methodist church are having curfew checks carried out on a regular basis. We will take positive action in relation to any breaches of those curfews.

At the request of Cllrs and some residents of Langar, Barnstone, Sutton and Granby we have carried out training on the Community Road safety equipment we supply to residents concerned about speeding vehicles in their communities. 14 residents attended this training event; they will now be looking to use the equipment at various locations in their community.

Our local beat surgeries continue to be held, though once again the numbers of people attending these is not high. We do publicise them and look to hold them on various days and times.