



Bicester and Kidlington Rural  
Neighbourhood police team  
report 2021-2022



# YOUR BICESTER AND KIDLINGTON RURAL TEAM



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PCSO  
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Neighbourhood  
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## Summary of the teams activities over 2021-2022

- Conducted Joint operations alongside Cherwell district council including scrap metal operations checking on traders and also dealers. And a rogue trader operation alongside the trading standards team.
- Conducted joint Halloween ASB patrols around Caversfield with the Ministry of defence police and colleagues from the United States Security Forces. As well as a community leaflet drop by our Thames Valley Police Cadets in the build up to the event.
- Conducted High visibility Rural crime operations targeting Hare coursing, which has resulted in the seizure of vehicles used in the criminal activity and providing disruption to organised activity.



- Restructured the team to create a Rural Neighbourhood team which consists of 5 PCSO's who are supervised by PC SCOTT
- Set up the Rural WhatsApp dedicated phone to enable the police to communication with the existing WhatsApp groups to provide crime prevention advice, gather intelligence and be able to respond to reports of suspicious activity.
- Provided additional external training for PCSO BAILEY to become the Wildlife crime lead for the police area.
- Held a Rural crime prevention event for farmers and land owners at Blenheim Palace. This included representation from NFU, Data Tag, RSPCA, Trading Standards, Cherwell District Council and the Police Crime Commissioner



# What activity do the team have planned for 2022?

- Training to be delivered to all Neighbourhood and problem solving officers on the use of the Ultra-lyte speed gun to be able to support Community Speed watch by conducting Speed enforcement operations in area's highlighted by the scheme as requiring action.
- Regular Have Your Say meetings and crime prevention roadshows to be held in the villages using the Mobile Police station.
- Regular Rural crime operations across the police area with the support of the Rural Crime Team as well as cross border operations with Northants police and Buckinghamshire police Area. This will Target Hare coursing, criminal damage, plant theft and burglaries.



- Hold a further rural crime prevention event at the Ploughing Championships in September for the rural community
- Assist Cherwell District council environmental Health team with their investigations into fly tipping and conduct High visibility disruption patrols in repeat fly tipping area's
- Continue to utilise Closure orders to disrupt drugs supply
- Conduct knife crime and drugs operations throughout the year including heightened weeks of intensification.
- Educational visits, talks and workshops in all of our secondary schools. Further engaging Project 10 and Project right click.



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