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## Burbage Newsletter

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### News



<https://www.leics.police.uk/report-online>

The new Police website and online reporting portal [www.leics.police.uk](http://www.leics.police.uk)

### **Thefts of high value motor vehicle and Burglary**

From our 7 Burglaries this month, 4 of them are vehicle related. Please continue to be mindful of crime prevention especially if you have a high value vehicle. If you see anything suspicious please report it to 101 immediately. Please remember steering locks, house alarms and light timers will deter criminals and make it harder for them. Continue to work with your neighbours in groups to communicate and pass on any information you may have. I have received some fantastic bits this month so thank you.

### **Theft from and damage to vehicles**

We have had 7 incidents of damage to vehicles or theft from vehicles. This includes theft of catalytic converters, wing mirrors and number plates. You can get anti-theft screws for number plates. Please try and leave your vehicle somewhere well-lit or even better in the garage if you have one. Consider motion censored dash cam and always ensure you do not leave anything in your vehicle.

### **Parking and traffic concerns**

I have continued to challenge road users around blocking access on footpaths, dangerous parking and speeding. Please let us work together to try and make things as good as possible. I have also done some work around vehicle lights on Facebook. We often find that it is local residents or visitors that cause the issues so I hope with a bit of community spirit these issues can be resolved. I am sure you will appreciate that we cannot challenge every bad driver but will do our best if the resource is available.

## Neighbourhood Link – Have you signed up?

We want to encourage as many people as possible to sign up to our community messaging system, Neighbourhood Link. You will receive regular emails keeping you up to date about local policing issues, good news stories, crime prevention advice, witness appeals and local events.

It is very easy to do and free! Register at [www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk](http://www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk)



### Quick Stat

Vehicle thefts/attempt in Burbage this month, 4

<https://www.police.uk/leicestershire/NH28/>

Residential burglaries/attempts this month 3

\* Jewellery is the target item (think prevention)

## This month's events

This month I have completed two beat surgery's at three pots post office and the Co-op on Boyslade road. These events are a great way to speak with residents who do not do social media. I will be looking to hold a surgery at the Spar and the new Co-op this month in Burbage. I also attend the HUB in Hinckley for a joint agency meeting where we get to meet other agencies to see how we can support each other and how we can help residents more. Finally I also completed the KeepTheBeat Santa fun run to raise money for charity. We have been completing our targeted patrols following the previous month of a spike in crime. These patrols are continuing.



## Your Beat Team

We are always happy to hear from you. Please email us at [hinckleyandblaby.npa@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:hinckleyandblaby.npa@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk) or call 101.

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