

# Louth Rural (July 2012) Neighbourhood Policing Team Area Update



Photograph from the recently established No Cold Calling Zone, Manor Drive, Binbrook. Set up in partnership with Lincolnshire Trading Standards.

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## CURRENT NEIGHBOURHOOD PRIORITIES

Date Set: July 2012

- Anti-Social Behaviour – North Thoresby, mainly evenings and weekends in and around the village square.

It was decided that North Thoresby would be the only set priority for the next three months, along with our regular patrols and dealing with incidents as they are reported.

## NEXT PANEL MEETING: Northern Panel

**09/10/12 – 7pm – Held at the Parish Council Offices, Pinfold Lane, Holton le Clay.**

## Southern Panel

**02/10/12 – 7pm – Held at Louth Police Station, Eastfield Road, Louth.**

## YOU SAID – WE DID

### *Action against set priorities*

ASB – North Thoresby – We have seen an increase in anti-social behaviour incidents in the North Thoresby area over the last couple of months. This has now been set as a team priority.

We have increased patrols in the area, this has also included undercover patrols in plain clothes and plain cars.

We must stress to people in the area the importance of reporting these incidents as and when they are happening. We have had a few occasions, where incidents are not reported to us until a few days after the event, this is not helpful for us and does not enable us to build a true reflection of the problems that are occurring.

North Thoresby has also been placed on our tasking over the last few weeks. Our inspectors set tasking every morning when they review the incidents over the last 24 hours. Officers are made aware of the tasking priorities for the next 24 hours and record their actions and outcomes. This is completed by each shift.

We will continue to patrol the area and deal with any incidents as they arise.





## CURRENT UPDATES

### Summertime Crime Advice

- Lock all windows and doors and remove the keys to a safe place when you leave the house, even if just for a few minutes.
  - If you are at the rear of the house or in the garden always ensure the windows and doors at the front of the house are locked.
  - Do not leave valuables in sight or reach of any open windows.
  - Lock all downstairs windows at night.
  - Put away and secure all gardening equipment and children's bikes etc. after use.
  - Use good quality locks on garages and sheds.
  - Ensure you know what make and model your gardening tools are for identification purposes in the event that they are stolen.
- Mark up gardening equipment with your postcode. This should be done overtly with paint, paint pens or permanent markers where possible to make them less attractive to thieves as they are harder to re-sell.

### Horsewatch

PCSO Warren is the horsewatch co-ordinator for our area. If anyone is interested in joining horsewatch, then please contact ZaZa. Lincolnshire also offer a free tack marking service. For more information please speak to ZaZa.

## LOCAL COMMUNITY NEWS / EVENTS

### Joint Agency Market Stalls

We have two joint agency market stalls planned in the coming months. One on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> August and the second on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> September in Louth Market Place. A member of the team will be on hand to answer any questions and offer advice on crime prevention. Free UV pens and property marking sheets will also be available on the day. Please pop along and see one of the team.

PCSO Cave has recently gone onto maternity leave, we wish her all the best with the birth of her baby girl and look forward to her returning to the team towards the end of the year.

If you are holding any events over the next three months, and would like one of the team to attend, please let us know and we will try our best to accommodate this.

### LincsAlert

We recently ran a campaign to sign up new members to Lincs Alert, this was very successful with over 70 new members joining for the Louth Rural area alone. If you would like to join LincsAlert, please visit –

**[www.lincsalert.co.uk](http://www.lincsalert.co.uk)**

## ENGAGEMENT

### *Your chance to meet the team*

Bikeathon – The Splash Public House, Little Cawthorpe	Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July from 10am	Free bike marking available.
North Cotes Family Fun Day and 5k Run	Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> August – 11am North Cotes Village Hall	Engagement stall with crime prevention literature and advice.

### Immobilise

Immobilise is a free online national property register that can help trace the owners of lost or stolen property. Immobilise can be used by all members of the public and businesses to register their belongings and company assets. By registering valuables onto Immobilise, if items happen to be stolen, Police Officers are able to access the National Mobile Property Register and compare details against items that have been recovered from suspected criminals.

**Please register your belongings at - [www.immobilise.com](http://www.immobilise.com)**

## USEFUL CONTACT DETAILS:

National Police Non Emergency Number – **101**  
Crime Stoppers 0800 555 111 - Trading Standards 0845 4040506. - [www.lincsalert.co.uk](http://www.lincsalert.co.uk)

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