



**Avon and Somerset Police**  
**NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING**

# Yeovil Update

## NEWS IN YOUR AREA

September 2022



The Yeovil NPT team have taken action after people reported antisocial behaviour (ASB), drugs and other issues at a property in Stiby Road, Yeovil.

We worked with South Somerset District Council to get a three-month closure order.

Acting Police Sergeant Declan Quinn said: "We'd like to thank the public for their continued support and assistance as we sought to deal with these issues.

"No-one should have to experience crime on their doorstep or feel unsafe in their neighbourhood. We believe the closure order will help prevent these incidents continuing and we'll continue to work closely with the community to make sure such problems are not repeated.

"We'd urge anyone experiencing similar issues to contact the police so we're aware of the issues and can look to take proactive action, where required."

Report ASB on our website or on 101.

## LOCAL PRIORITIES

### EAST YEOVIL

The Neighbourhood Policing team have received reports of youths riding motorcycles around on the road and in grassed areas on the East side of Yeovil.

### WEST YEOVIL

Residents in and around Stiby road, and those around the Westfield park have been experiencing ongoing criminal damage to property, and general nuisance behaviour by groups of youths in recent weeks.

This behaviour is not tolerated and Police are working closely with Park rangers and other agencies to try target these issues and take action.

### TOWN CENTRE

We are aware of an increase in Anti-Social Behaviour, Street Drinking and Begging within Yeovil Town Centre – we are carrying out regular patrols to reduce and deter this behaviour. We are recording crimes in these instances as well as trying to engage, educate and lastly enforce. We work with partners in the community such as the Council and Housing Associations and utilise our tools and powers to reduce and deter this behaviour.



We'd Like to wish the best of luck to two of our PCSO's Harry and Kara today who leave the Yeovil team after around 18 months with us. They are set to join as Police Constables and start training on the PCDA route in October.

Harry and Kara have been a crucial part of the team since they joined and have been committed to serving the community in Yeovil. They will be greatly missed by everyone on the team and indeed the wider public.

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2022, 15:00 – 16:00**  
**Bike Marking Event – Yeovil Family Church,**  
**BA20 2EQ**

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022, 11:00 – 12:00**  
**Neighbourhood surgery – Houndstone Retail**  
**Park, BA22 8YQ**

### **Get in touch**

**In an emergency always call 999**

**For non-emergency matters call us on 101** or report online via

[www.avonandsomerset.police.uk/report](http://www.avonandsomerset.police.uk/report)

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