

Maldon District



Introduction

The purpose of 'Your Local Police Update' is to keep our community across Maldon informed and up to date on policing activity. The ambition is to publish an update every month to provide an overview in the following areas:

Community Policing Team

Town Centre Team

Local Policing Team

Crime trends of note

Prevention Messages

Forthcoming Engagement

The Community Policing Team encompasses the Town Centre Team. They undertake proactive and reactive policing tasks covering engagement, crime prevention, crime disruption, and safeguarding of vulnerable people. The teams have embedded specialist Missing Persons officers and Children's and Young Person officers, who work with partners in education and social care to protect vulnerable people from harm.

The Local Policing Team responds to calls for assistance from members of the public, undertake proactive overt patrols and focus, however, their main role is reactive policing.

We have a very clear focus on;

Violence – disrupting those who commit serious organised crime and to dismantle the supply of controlled drugs in the district. We will target those who carry knives and commit violence ensuring Maldon remains a safe place for all.

Vulnerability – we will ensure we engage with our communities to understand their needs and deliver policing to safeguard those who are vulnerable in our community.

Victims – we will provide victims with a first-class service.

Visibility – we will be visible in our communities to provide reassurance and reduce the fear of crime.



Maldon District Commander Message

Welcome to January's monthly newsletter, this month the team have concentrated on high visibility patrols in the Maldon District after reports of antisocial behaviour and drug supply. The team have also worked closely with Maldon District Council and Chelmsford City Council to provide joint patrols and we ran a bike marking event in South Woodham Ferrers on the 19th of January 2022 in partnership with the City Council. .

The Disruptor Team directed patrols in Heybridge after the team received complaints about drug supply and on the first night of patrolling they arrested a male who had a large quantity of drugs, this male was consequently arrested. We will continue to patrol the area and target those who are responsible for supplying illegal drugs.

The Community Safety Engagement Officers have been in Mayland, Heybridge, Bradwell and St Lawrence, to name a few, speaking to local residents and providing a high visibility presence within the Dengie. Our Town Team Officers are also patrolling Maldon High Street after we received reports of antisocial behaviour, so please continue to report any concerns you have so the team know which areas to target.

On the 19th of January the Chief Constable joined my officers on Maldon High Street to patrol and complete licensing checks at local pubs and bars.

During the month of February the Community Policing Team will be focussing on road safety awareness so please contact us with any speeding or road related concerns you have.

**Thank you for your continued support,
Chief Inspector Steve Scott-Haynes.**





Essex Police - Maldon District

On 13th January 2022 the Community Safety Engagement Officers and Community Protection Officers from Maldon District Council conducted foot patrols in #Heybridge after reports of antisocial behaviour and illicit drug use.

Children leaving school were very interested in the Police car so the Officers gave them a tour and showed them the lights!

Following these reports an Operation was put together in order to focus a proactive policing presence in the Maldon and Burnham area. Within the space of around three hours the team achieved the arrest of a male for possession with intend to supply a Class A drug. The male was also reported for driving without insurance and driving otherwise in accordance with a licence and will be further arrested as a result of an outstanding FTA warrant for historic driving offences.

Additionally to this, the team to the above the team also achieved a vehicle seizure, a second traffic report, a CR for possession of cannabis, several stop searches, and a number of PIRs.

A very productive operation brought about by the local community being proactive in reporting Anti Social Behaviour to the Police.



Essex Police - Maldon District



Maldon's Community Safety Engagement Officers and Les Davis, the Tri-Service Rural Community Officer, were in #Mayland on the 19th January speaking to local residents to provide advice on Fraud prevention and providing a booklet of information on scams and support numbers. They spoke with a number of residents offering advice and distributed leaflets with contact information if anyone should have any concerns regarding scams or fraud.





Essex Police - Maldon District

As part of the national policing week, on 19th January the Chief Constable went on patrol with the Officers from the Chelmsford and Maldon Community Policing Team and conducted licensing checks on several pubs along Maldon High Street .



Essex Police - Maldon District

Essex Police and Chelmsford City Council were at the Band Stand in South Woodham Ferrers on the 19th January, security marking bicycles and offering security advice!





Essex Police - Maldon District

23rd January

#MaldonSpecials did a shift takeover for our local policing team. Effectively this is where our dedicated volunteers respond to jobs, giving our regular officers some time to catch up on their existing work.

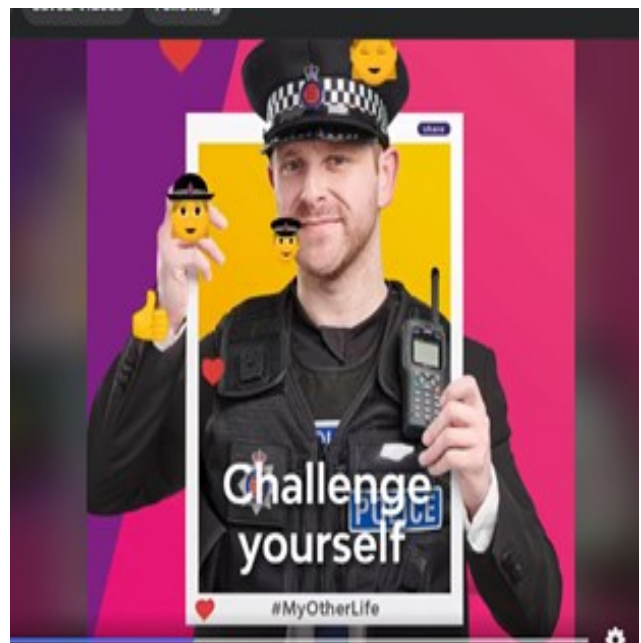
An additional 9 resources were provided and 22 emergencies and other incidents were attended.

They dealt with a serious incident in the city centre as well as responding to many other emergency calls. They also managed to conduct some proactive stop searches which resulted in two people being dealt with for possession of Cannabis.

Our special constabulary are one of the biggest in the country and are an extremely valuable resource to us. We can only thank them for their efforts last night.

If you're interested in volunteering please go to the Essex Police website and search #MyOtherLife

<https://fb.watch/aXw-N2y-3U/>



Forthcoming events

This February #ChelmsfordandMaldonCPT will be focussing on Road Safety across the Chelmsford & Maldon district.

If you feel that your neighbourhood requires police patrols, please comment on the

Essex Police — Maldon District FaceBook page so we can target our patrols at the right times and in the right places.

Can you please specify road name and usual time when the issue is the worst.

INVESTIGATE FIRST RECRUITMENT EVENT 2022 ESSEX POLICE POSITIVE ACTION VIRTUAL EVENT



On Thursday, 3rd February 2022 between 1200-1300, we are holding a recruitment event to encourage the best talent from across the UK to come online and meet us to talk about the prospect of joining our force to train to be a Detective.. Essex Police is made up of different people with the same values. As an inclusive force, we are looking to attract people from all backgrounds to join our Detective Career Pathway, which will be advertised very soon. We are one team, one family, one county, one force. We value difference.

The event will have guest speakers who will talk about their experiences as detectives within Essex Police. You will also hear from our Positive Action Team.

You will be given an overview of the recruitment process and the training you will receive

The virtual event will take place via Microsoft Teams. If you wish to register or just want to find out more please email

positive.action@essex.police.uk

POSITIVE ACTION



The focus of positive action is to create equality of opportunity, ensuring a level playing field to enable people to compete on equal terms. Essex Police is committed to creating a diverse and inclusive workforce truly reflecting the community we serve. If you wish to speak to our Positive Action Team please email **Ch Insp Jon Evans** at the above email address.

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Meet *Your* Policing Team



Essex Police - Maldon District

On the following dates the Maldon Community Policing Team will be at the below locations where you will be able to meet members of the Team to answer any questions you have about your local area, raise concerns or just seek advice and have a chat;

14th of February 2022 at the Lakeside Café, Maldon Promenade Park from 10:00 until 11:00am

22nd of February 2022 at the Bistro on the Quay, Burnham on Crouch from 10:00 until 11:00.

Please do come and join us!

Follow us on Facebook and Twitter for all of the dates and locations.



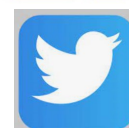
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Fraud prevention advice

Be mindful fraudsters

More and more people are choosing to send mail/ birthday cards/ Easter cards etc by email.

Cyber criminals are taking advantage of this trend and creating their own e-cards which contain viruses (malware).

These viruses embed themselves into your electronic device and collect personal data, financial information, passwords and usernames, which can be used to commit fraud.

Protect yourself by not opening any anonymous e-cards and deleting them. Use an anti-virus product on your electronic device, making sure it's regularly updated and always turned on.

If you think your electronic device has been infected, switch it off and disconnect from the internet to prevent further information from being stolen.

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