



Neighbourhood Watch Monthly Newsletter Wakefield District – June 2017



Hello and welcome to the Wakefield District NHW Newsletter.

It was great to see a good turnout at the local NHW Event that we held last month and we are looking forward to holding our next one in the autumn.

As a district, we now have over 200 NHW Co-ordinators and schemes and the number is growing. The role that you carry out as NHW Co-ordinator is very important to us. Following the recent tragic events in Manchester and London we were asked to ensure that all NHW Co-ordinators were updated with key messages that could be forwarded on in the community. Understanding the threat we all face, remaining vigilant is essential if we are to combat all forms of extremism. You and the NHW will remain a key part in helping to keep our communities safe.

Once again, thank you for your continued support, your local Police Inspectors – Paul Sullivan and Helen Brear.



Counter Terrorism Policing Unit



The **North East Counter Terrorism Unit (CTU)** was set up in April 2007. It is one of five Counter Terrorism Units, established to strengthen the UK's response to the threat from terrorism and domestic extremism.

The North East CTU works within the national counter terrorism network to make sure that the police service in the UK is better equipped to prevent or respond to incidents of terrorism and domestic extremism to investigate and prosecute those involved.

They deliver specialist support to police throughout the country, and in particular, forces in the North East region. The Unit draws on a wide range of expertise including; skilled detectives, financial investigators, community contact teams, intelligence analysts, forensic specialists and high-tech investigators.

The CTU combines the very latest technology with dedicated resources. In doing so, it is largely self-sufficient and can effectively co-ordinate enquiries and operations, without compromising the commitment of local forces to day to day policing.

To find out more about CTU and how you can report this type of crime, visit their website <http://www.northeastctu.police.uk/>





Wakefield East NPT's

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<https://www.facebook.com/WYPNormantonAndFeatherstone/>

<https://www.facebook.com/WYPSouthEastWakefield/>

Wakefield West NPT's

<https://www.facebook.com/WYPWakefieldCentral/>

<https://www.facebook.com/WYPWakefieldNorthWest/>

<https://www.facebook.com/WYPWakefieldRural/>

Your local Police Department Twitter Accounts

<https://twitter.com/WYPDogs>
(WYP Dogs)

<https://twitter.com/WYPHorses>
(WYP Horses)

https://twitter.com/WYP_RPU
(Roads Policing)

<https://twitter.com/WYPWakefieldIOM>
(Offender Management)

Wakefield District's first local Neighbourhood Watch Event took place on Tuesday 9th May. The event was well attended and included informative presentations on crime trends, counter terrorism and cyber crime. A huge thank you must also go to Knottingley NHW Co-ordinator Hazel Richardson who was an inspirational guest speaker. The next event will be held in October 2017 – watch this space for further details!

Local Crime Stats

You can check crime in your local area by visiting any of the following websites.

www.crime-statistics.co.uk

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

<https://www.checkmystreet.co.uk/indepth/crimerate>

