

Road Safety update – Southern Wiltshire **Area Board**

7 November 2024

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Drink diving

In England, Wales, and Northern Ireland, the legal alcohol limit for driving is 80 mg of alcohol per 100 ml of blood or 35 µg per 100 ml of breath). In Scotland, the limit is lower at 50 mg of alcohol per 100 ml of blood (or 22 µg per 100 ml of breath). Factors such as weight, age, metabolism, and food intake affect how alcohol is processed, making it difficult to predict how much you can drink and stay under the limit. Alcohol takes time to leave your system; common remedies like coffee or showers do not speed this up. You can still be over the limit the next day, risking your license if you drive. Alcohol impairs

driving ability, and the safest choice is to avoid drinking entirely if you plan to drive.

There is no way to know how much you can drink and stay under the limit, since it can depend on your weight, age, metabolism, the amount of food you've eaten and other factors.

It's impossible to get alcohol out of your system quickly, it always takes time. A shower, a cup of coffee or other ways of 'sobering up'

may make you feel better but won't remove the alcohol from your system.

If you've been out drinking, you may still be affected by alcohol the next day and could lose your licence if you drive and are still over the legal limit.

Alcohol affects everyone differently and any amount can impair your ability to drive. The only safe option is to avoid alcohol completely if you're driving as even 'just one drink' could put you over the limit. If you're driving, don't drink any alcohol at all.

CrimeStoppers.

Speak up. Stay safe.

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Drug driving

It's an offence to drive with any of 17 controlled drugs above a specified level in your blood. This includes illegal and legally prescribed drugs.

The limit set for each drug is different, and for illegal drugs the limits set are extremely low. They aren't zero to rule out any accidental exposure (eg from passive smoking).

You should always check with your doctor or pharmacist if you're unsure about whether your prescription or over-the-counter medication will affect your ability to drive.

The biggest risk you take when driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs is the risk of causing a collision. Driving under the influence of drink or drugs is extremely dangerous and can affect your driving in numerous ways, such as:

- ability to judge speed and distance
- reaction and coordination skills
- blurry or impaired vision
- drowsiness
- aggression
- erratic behaviour
- panic attacks and paranoia
- hallucinations
- nausea
- dizziness
- tremors

Alcohol and drugs can also create a false confidence which can lead to an increase in risk-taking behaviour, which puts your life and the lives of others in danger.

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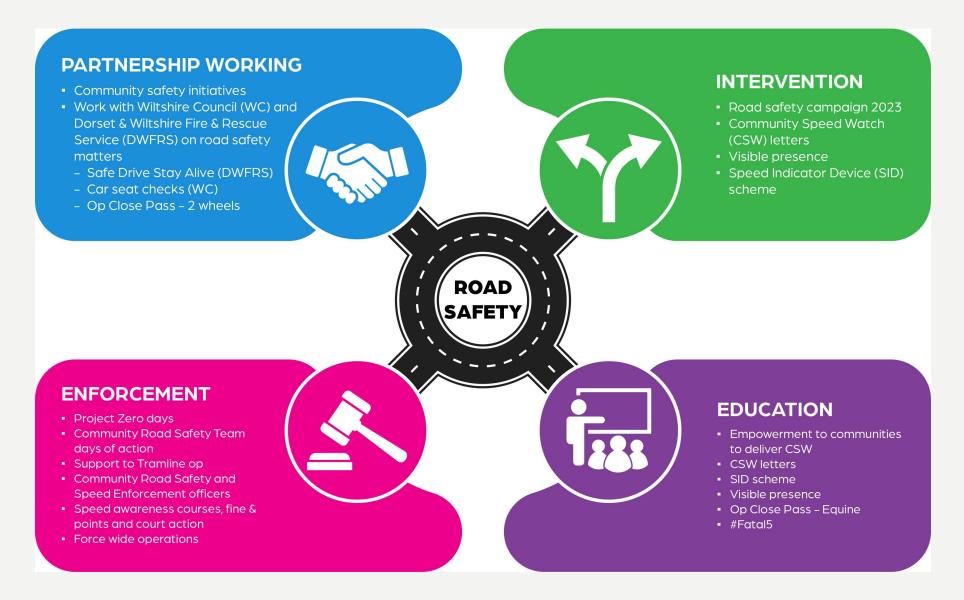
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Community Road Safety Team; what we do



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since 1 Jan 2022 August 2024

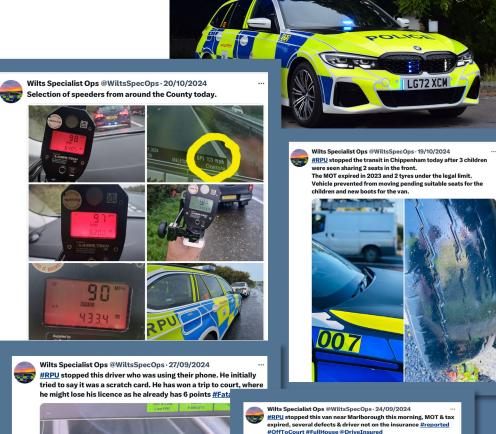
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		Survey start	Speed	85th		
Title	Result	date 🌌	limit 🐣	percentil	СРТ	🕶 Area Board
Allington - Allington Lane	No further action	19/02/2024	40	23.3	Amesbury	Southern Wiltshire
Britford - A338 High Road (South of Lower Road)	No further action	04/02/2023	60	52.8	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Britford - A338 High Road	Speed education	04/02/2023	30	36.7	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Britford - A338 High Road north of Lower Road	Speed education	04/02/2023	30	38.1	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Britford Salisbury A338 Downton Road	Speed education	24/06/2023	30	36.5	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Cholderton - Grately Road	Speed education	01/02/2022	30	37.62	Amesbury	Southern Wiltshire
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Coombe Bissett A345 Salisbury Road	No further action	21/06/2023	40	40.7	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
East Grimstead - C323 Grimstead Road	No further action	11/09/2023	30	25.7	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
East Grimstead - C289 Long Drove	No further action	11/09/2023	30	33.0	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Farley-UC-Church Road	No further action	11/09/2023	30	30.4	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Farley-UC-The Street	No further action	11/09/2023	30	30.3	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Ford - Roman Road	Speed education	29/01/2024	30	36.6	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Ford - Spire View	No further action	25/04/2022	30	27.4	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Hamptworth - 33 - Hamptworth Road	No further action	11/09/2023	40	39.1	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Hamptworth - C44 Hamptworth Road (east of Lyburn Rd)	No further action	11/09/2023	40	38.7	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Hamptworth - C44 Hamptworth Road (outside thatched cottage)	No further action	19/09/2023	40	36.1	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Hamptworth - UC Lyburn Road	No further action	11/09/2023	40	30.8	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Hamptworth - UC Lyburn Road Hampton (outside Ballachulish)	No further action	11/09/2023	40	33.8	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Landford - B3079 Lyndhurst Rd NORTH	No further action	07/12/2023	40	38.7	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Landford - B3079 Lyndhurst Rd SOUTH	No further action	07/12/2023	40	41.1	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Landford - C319 Forest Road	No further action	07/12/2023	40	31.6	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Laverstock Ford The Steadings / Roman Road	Speed education	20/01/2023	30	39	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Lover C327 Vicarage Road 043-019	No further action	04/07/2023	30	24.7	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Lover - C327 Whiteshoot Hill (East Bound)	No further action	04/02/2023	30	26.1	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Lover - Whiteshoot Hill (west bound)	Speed education	04/02/2023	30	39	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Lover C327 Vicarage Road 043-018	No further action	12/06/2023	30	26.7	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Pitton - C321 White Hill East Side of Pitton	No further action	04/02/2023	30	27.1	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
PittonC321 Whiteway (West side of Pitton)	Speed education	04/02/2023	30	39.4	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Pitton - Townsend	No further action	14/11/2023	30	31.9	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Pitton - White Hill (North)	No further action	13/11/2023	60	40	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Pitton - White Hill (South)	No further action	13/11/2023	60	41.5	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Porton - Idminston Road	No further action	04/02/2023	30	30.5	Amesbury	Southern Wiltshire
Porton C228 Winterslow Road 045-009	No further action	12/06/2023	30	34.7	Amesbury	Southern Wiltshire
Redlynch	No further action	23/01/2022	30	33.03	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Redlynch	Speed education	11/06/2022	30	35.87	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Redlynch - Grove Lane	Speed education	11/06/2022	30	35.87	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Redlynch - The Ridge	Speed education	23/01/2022	30	37.78	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
West Grimstead - Windwhistle Ln	No further action	13/11/2023	60	29.5	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Whiteparish A27 Brickworth Road	Speed education	04/07/2023	30	37.3	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Winterbourne Gunner -C285 Gomeldon Road	Speed education	07/12/2023	30	38.1	Amesbury	Southern Wiltshire
Winterbourne Gunner C56 Portway	Police	12/06/2023	30	45.0	Amesbury	Southern Wiltshire
Woodfalls - B3080 The Ridge	Speed education	23/01/2022	30	37.78	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire
Woodfalls - B3080 The Ridge (South of Lodge Grove)	No further action	23/01/2022	30	33.03	Salisbury	Southern Wiltshire

Wider work recently

Our Roads Policing Unit (RPU) in the last quarter, covering **August to October** issued over **1344 tickets** to motorists, for numerous road related offences. The most common offences they are coming across are as follows:



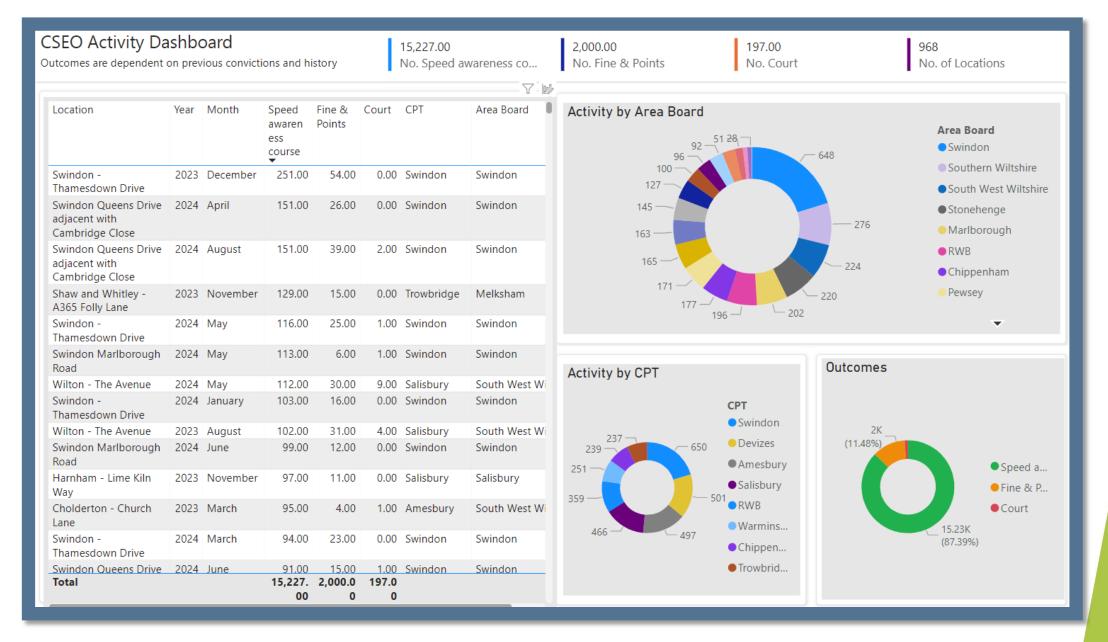


Community Speed Enforcement Officers

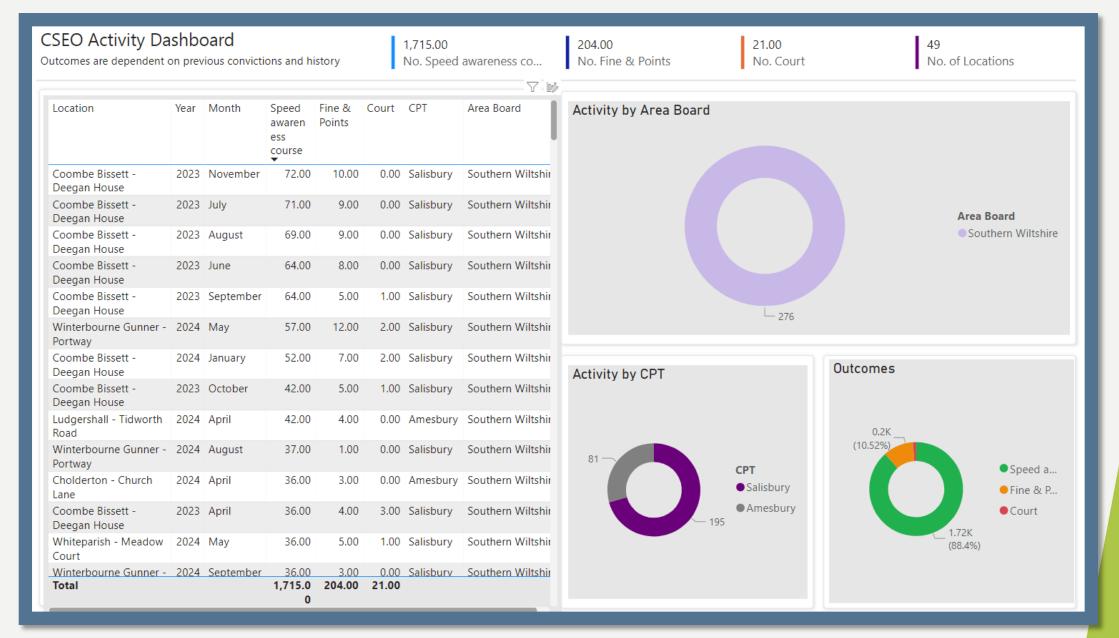
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