

WILTSHIRE POLICE



Road Safety update – Trowbridge Area Board

Thursday 5 October 2023



• Road Safety Campaign 2023



Narrative.....

- Increase in number for those killed and seriously injured on our roads
- The Serious Collision Investigation Team (SCIT) has already been called out to 19 of the most serious road traffic collisions since January (where injuries sustained are the most serious) – compared to 20 incidents for the entirety of last year.

For information visit:

[Road safety campaign 2023 | Wiltshire Police](#)

[Road Safety \(wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk\)](http://wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk)

• Community Road Safety Team

- Community Safety Initiatives
- Work with Wiltshire Council and Dorset & Wiltshire Fire & Rescue Service (DWFRS) on road safety matters
 - Safe Drive Stay Alive with DWFRS
 - Car seat checks with Wiltshire Council
 - Op Close Pass-2 wheels

- Project Zero days
- CRST days of action
- Support to Tramline Op
- Community Roads Safety and Speed Enforcement Officers
- Speed awareness courses, fine & points and court action

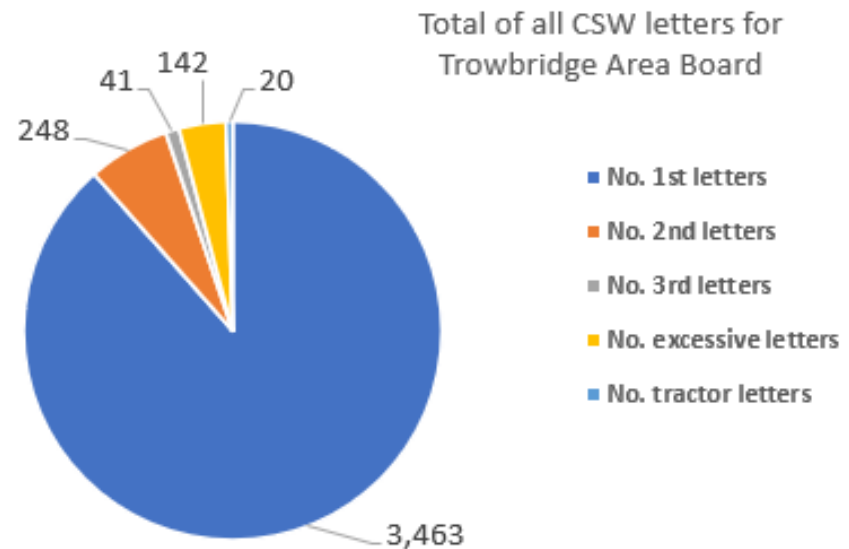
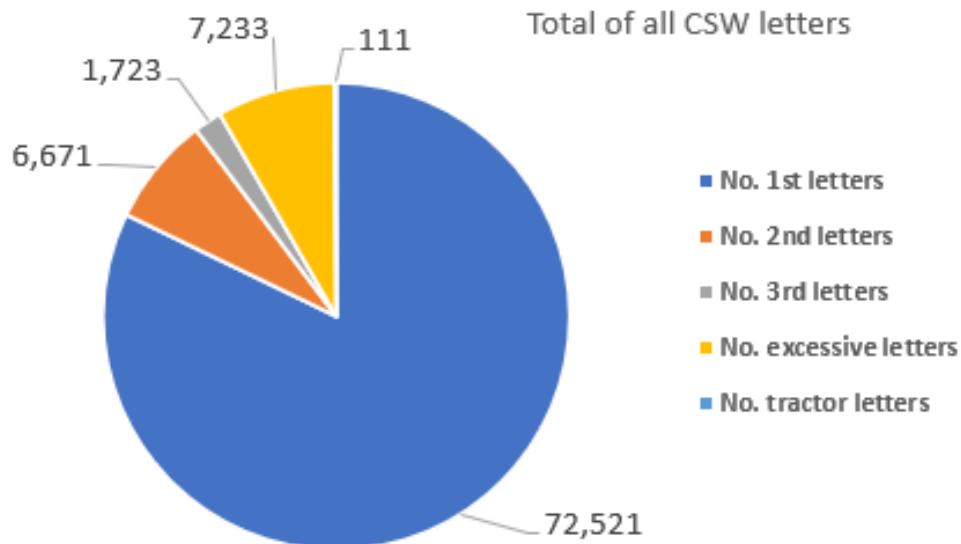


- RS campaign 2023
- CSW letters
- Visible presence
- Police Cadets

- Empowerment to communities to deliver Community Speed Watch (CSW)
- CSW letters
- Visible presence
- Op Close Pass - Equine

• CSW Trowbridge area - Data since July 2020 to 26 Sept 2023

Team	No. 1st letters	No. 2nd letters	No. 3rd letters	No. excessive letters	No. tractor letters	Total letters	No. of watches	Average speeders %
Hilperton	148	19	0	7	1	175	38	10.4%
North Bradley	1521	80	10	70	18	1699	98	2.2%
Southwick	330	17	2	8	0	357	113	0.9%
Steeple Ashton	607	94	22	39	1	763	69	5.0%
Trowbridge - Cockhill	755	32	3	16	0	806	41	2.8%
West Ashton	102	6	4	2	0	114	50	2.3%
Grand Total	3463	248	41	142	20	3914	409	3.1%



• Traffic surveys – Trowbridge Wiltshire since Oct 2020

Title	Result	Survey start date	Speed limit	85th percentile	CPT	Area Board
Forest Road Melksham	No further action	21/11/2021	30	22	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Hilperton - Whaddon lane	No further action	11/09/2021	30	28	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Semington, C395, High Street	Speed education	25/04/2022	30	35.28	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Shaw - Bath Road,	No further action	10/12/2020	40	38.4	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Steeple Ashton - C19 Ashton Common	Speed education	15/05/2023	30	36.7	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Steeple Ashton - Common Hill	Speed education	08/05/2022	30	37.89	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Steeple Langford - Duck Street	No further action	29/11/2021	30	25.8	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Trowbridge - College Road,	No further action	10/12/2020	20	22.5	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Trowbridge - Drynham Road	Speed education	18/11/2020	20	26.9	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Trowbridge - Dursley Road,	No further action	02/11/2020	20	22.6	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Trowbridge - Silver Street Lane,	No further action	10/12/2020	30	32.5	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Trowbridge - Union Street	No further action	14/11/2021	30	27.7	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
West Ashton - Bratton Road	No further action	12/10/2021	30	31.9	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
West Ashton - Bratton Road,	No further action	02/11/2020	30	30.5	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Wingfield - B3109 Bradford Road	No further action	20/03/2023	40	43.1	Trowbridge	Trowbridge

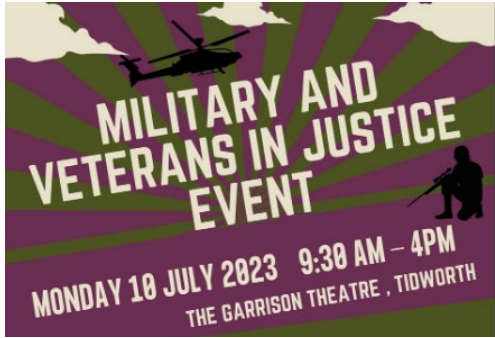
Community Road Safety Officers

CRSO's

Your officer is Charlotte Sartin

• CRSO's

Recent events



Tier 1
 National Roads Partnership Calendar 2022-2023

4 July

Commercial Vehicle Week
 CDG, Insecure Loads, HGVs, Clandestine Entry & WRRR
 11th July - 24th July Comms
 18th July - 24th July Enforcement



**Officer training in:
 Intoxilyzer
 Speed gun training**

5 August

Drug Driving Week
 15th Aug - 28th Aug Comms
 22nd Aug - 28th Aug Enforcement

Upcoming events



Tier 1
 National Roads Partnership Calendar 2022-2023

6 September

Vulnerable Road Users
 12th Sep - 25th Sep Comms
 19th Sep - 25th Sep Enforcement

Project Edward
 19th - 23rd Sep

#ProjectEDWARD
 Every Day Without A Road Death

**Chat Café Warminster 28/09
 for
 Vulnerable Road Users month**

Days of Action with CPT's:

- Swindon Hub 26/09
- North Hub 17/10
- TBC 24/11

• Wider work recently

Wilts Specialist Ops @WiltsSpecOps · 18 Aug
 #RPU using the unmarked lorry again on OpTramline 2x camper drivers stopped using their phones to communicate to each other on the M4. No crockery was harmed in the issuing of papers to these unhappy campers #Fatal5



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Wilts Specialist Ops @WiltsSpecOps · 2 Jul
 #RPU with one arrested following recorded speed of 76 in a 50mph limit that lead to possession of cannabis and discovery of illegal entry to the UK. The driver confirmed they entered the UK in the back of a lorry and had no permission to be here. #Arrested #Fatal5



763 32.5K

Wiltshire Specials @wiltspolicesc · Aug 19
 #SRSU couple of units out today on Road Safety around #Wiltshire various offences dealt with, speeding, seatbelts #fatal5 window tints, missing number plates, and finishing off with an RTC Bike v Car #RoadSafety



2 40 1,228

Wiltshire Specials @wiltspolicesc · Aug 24
 #SRSU Specials Road Safety!

Team out on the A303 today, 1 offences

- 7 x Mobile Phone
- 1 x Speeding (93mph)
- 1 x Seatbelt
- 3 x VDRS (Tyres)
- 2 x No Insurance (Seized)
- 2 x HORT (Insurance)
- 2 x No Tax reported to #DVLA

#fatal5



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Wiltshire Specials @wiltspolicesc · Aug 13
 #RoadSafety @pwilkinson_pcc @wiltspoliceCC

Wiltshire Specials @wiltspolicesc · Aug 24
 #SRSU team continued to support @trowbridgeCPT this week on #RoadSafety

Checks on Canal Road, Woodmarsh, Frome Road and Bradley Road leading to 6 x drivers reported for excess speed, 1 x reported for mobile phone offence #fatal5 #NoExcuses



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Community Speed Enforcement Officers

CSEO's



• CSEO – Dashboard

CSEO Activity Dashboard

Outcomes are dependent on previous convictions and history

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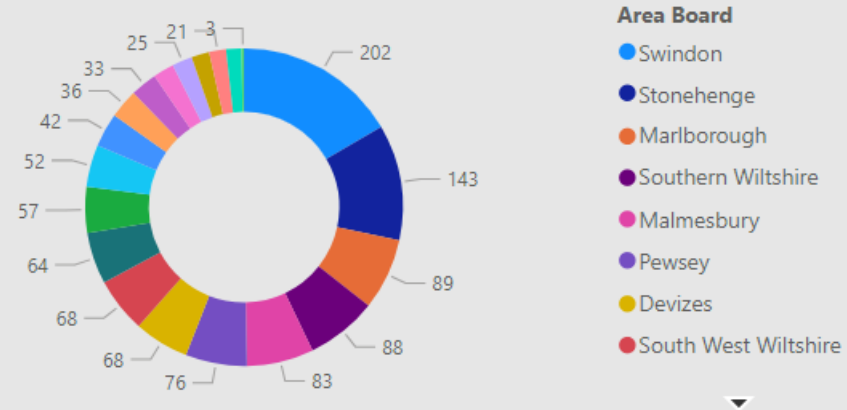
801.00
No. Fine & Points

83.00
No. Court

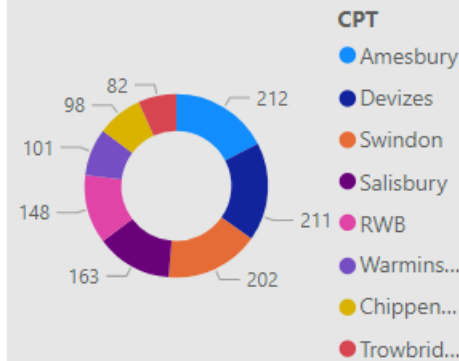
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No. of Locations

Location	Year	Month	Speed awareness course	Fine & Points	Court	CPT	Area Board
Operation Wolf - Salisbury - 29/6/2022	2022	June	149.00	22.00	3.00	Salisbury	Salisbury
Wilton - The Avenue	2023	August	102.00	31.00	4.00	Salisbury	South West Wilts
Tilshead	2022	December	93.00	7.00	1.00	Amesbury	Stonehenge
Cricklade - Spital Lane	2023	April	80.00	10.00	0.00	RWB	RWB
Tilshead - Candown Road	2023	August	74.00	9.00	0.00	Amesbury	Stonehenge
Coombe Bissett - Deegan House	2023	July	71.00	9.00	0.00	Salisbury	Southern Wilts
Coombe Bissett - Deegan House	2023	August	69.00	9.00	0.00	Salisbury	Southern Wilts
Wilton - The Avenue	2022	December	65.00	19.00	8.00	Salisbury	South West Wilts
Coombe Bissett - Deegan House	2023	June	64.00	8.00	0.00	Salisbury	Southern Wilts
Collingbourne Kingston	2022	December	62.00	9.00	0.00	Amesbury	Tidworth
Sutton Benger - B4069 No. 2 Box Cottage	2023	June	61.00	3.00	0.00	Chippenham	Chippenham
Ogbourne St Andrew	2023	April	60.00	4.00	0.00	Devizes	Marlborough
Tilshead	2022	November	58.00	6.00	1.00	Amesbury	Stonehenge
Enford - Old Vicarage	2023	September	57.00	12.00	1.00	Amesbury	Pewsey
Shaw and Whitley (Shaw Hill)	2022	December	55.00	9.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Melksham
Coombe Bissett	2023	September	54.00	5.00	1.00	Salisbury	Southern Wilts
Total			6,076.00	801.00	83.00		

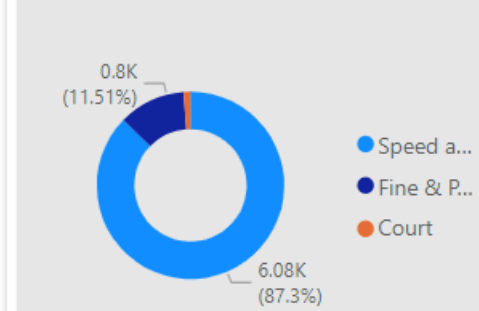
Activity by Area Board



Activity by CPT



Outcomes



• CSEO – Trowbridge Area Board results

CSEO Activity Dashboard

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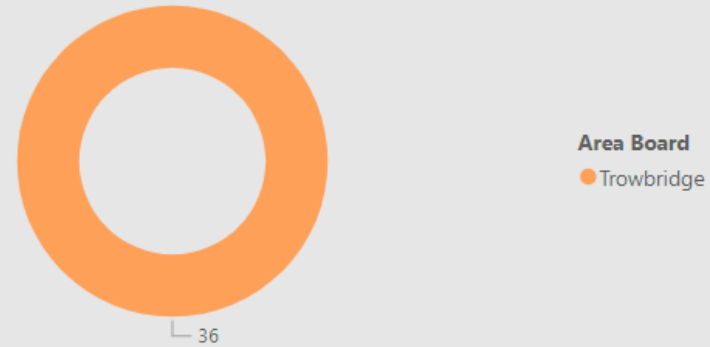
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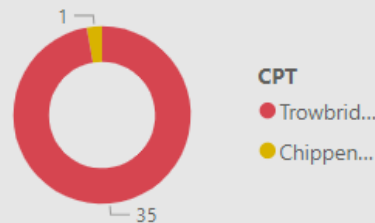
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Steeple Ashton - Newleaze	2023	April	14.00	2.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Trowbridge - Cockhill	2022	October	13.00	0.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Steeple Ashton - Newleaze	2023	August	10.00	1.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Steeple Ashton	2023	April	7.00	2.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Steeple Ashton - Newleaze	2023	March	7.00	0.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Steeple Ashton - Bus Shelter	2023	February	6.00	1.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Southwick	2021	November	5.00	0.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Southwick	2021	October	4.00	0.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Steeple Ashton	2023	February	4.00	1.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
North Bradley - Woodmarsh /Bus stop (C)	2023	April	3.00	0.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
North Bradley - Woodmarsh	2022	October	2.00	0.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Steeple Ashton - Common Hill and Ashton Rd	2023	February	2.00	0.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Trowbridge - Cockhill	2023	February	2.00	0.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
West Ashton	2023	March	2.00	1.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Common Hill Junction with Newleaze near	2023	April	1.00	2.00	0.00	Trowbridge	Trowbridge
Total			85.00	10.00	0.00		

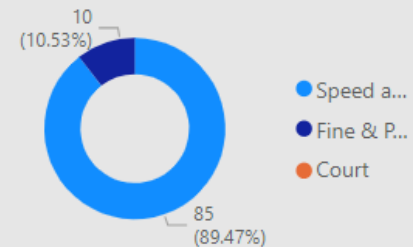
Activity by Area Board



Activity by CPT



Outcomes



Making Wiltshire Safer : Road Safety

Trowbridge Police
11 August

A total of 68 offences were dealt with by roads policing officers in Trowbridge during a day of action this week.

Project Zero is a roads policing operation held every Wednesday at a different location in the county. It sees officers targeting drivers committing any of the fatal five offences in a bid to reduce the number of casualties on our roads.

While the work taking place is very much everyday work for our RPU officers, the project sees the department intensify resources to target those who are driving at excess speed, drink/drug driving, using a phone while driving, not wearing a seatbelt or driving in a careless or dangerous manner.

On Wednesday, the team were in Trowbridge alongside speed enforcement officers.

A total of 68 offences were detected, ranging from excess speed, failing to wear a seatbelt, defective tyres, mobile phone offences and no insurance.

A man was also arrested on suspicion of drink driving in Bythesea Road shortly before 10.30am. Christopher Pidgley, 41, of Westbury Road, was later charged and is due in court in September.

Read the full story here: <https://crowd.in/iASskE>



SPEEDCHECKS IN THIS AREA

#YourForceYourArea

Trowbridge CPT

19 shares

Trowbridge Police
16 August

What are the Fatal Five?

- Careless driving
- Drink and drug driving
- Not wearing a seatbelt
- Distracted (using a mobile phone)
- Speeding

Road users who commit one of the Fatal Five offences are far more likely to be involved in a fatal collision than those who do not.

People are dying on our roads as a result of motorists' poor driving, reckless decisions and momentary lapses in concentration.

Fatal collisions are heart-breaking – for the family, for the community, and for the responding emergency services staff who have to witness the tragedy and subsequent aftermath and we've seen too many this year already.

Stopping any more deaths from occurring as a result of something unnecessary and totally avoidable is a top priority for us.

Across the Summer, our Community Policing Teams, along with speed enforcement officers and the Roads Policing Unit will be making sure motorists are being safe and driving smart.

#Fatal5 #YourForceYourArea #KeepingWiltshireSafe



Trowbridge Police
8 September at 12:22

Officers from Trowbridge and Melksham Neighbourhood Policing Teams were out conducting some speed checks this morning on Cockhill and Leapgate in Trowbridge and Seend.

We were pleased to find that the majority of drivers were sticking to the speed limits.

#YourForceYourArea #fatal5 #KeepingWiltshireSafe



Trowbridge Police
1 September at 09:47

Next week, speed enforcement will be out across the Trowbridge area.

A reminder to be safe, drive smart and watch your speed.

#YourForceYourArea



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