

RYHILL SAFE SCHEME – SUMMARY OF JULY 2024 REPORT

The Safe Scheme Coordinator continues to work closely with Parish Council on priority areas and issues raised as concerns by parishioners.

A total of 16 police officer hours were worked during the month of July at various times during the day and early hours of the morning. We now have a road traffic officer working with the scheme for the next 12 months because of specialist skills in relation to roads policing.

There were **0 priority crimes** in Ryhill this month.

Patrols included the following:

- Traffic patrols were made concentrating on nuisance vehicles in the village. The results were: 2 tickets for speeding; 3 tickets for no seatbelt; 2 tickets for non-conforming VRM. The traffic officer will continue to watch out for specific vehicles following intelligence provided
- Several officers made quite a number of patrols on off-road motorcycles targeting nuisance bikes because these are an ongoing and priority issue reported by members of the public. No off-road motor cyclists were apprehended during the shifts. Officers also checked parking at the school on several occasions. There were no issues on with collection of a child on a quad bike (reported formerly) or use of e- scooters during the tours of duty. Officers, including the local NPT, were on duty targeting potential ASB from young people but there were no issues at all. Officers visited several known nominals to make it clear that the police were aware of their activities. The greenspaces and bridleways were also checked but they were quiet apart from dog walkers. Officers noted large groups of males sitting on the walls outside The Libb. None of their cars were parked illegally so officers just made sure they knew they were in the area. The only issue was a report from a member of the public of a suspicious male outside the dental surgery in a van. He was spoken to by an officer but it transpired that he was working on a local property
- Officers conducted patrols in a marked police vehicle on several occasions, focussing on the usual hotspots in the village. Officers noted that the village was unusually quiet on all occasions. No issues or problems were reported by the local shopkeepers or members of the public.