

RYHILL SAFE SCHEME – SUMMARY OF JANUARY 2026 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 19 police officer hours were worked during the month of Janaury at various times during the day and early hours of the morning.

There were no priority crimes in Ryhill this month.

Patrols included:

- Traffic officer made a 4-hour tour of duty and achieved the following: 1 x TOR -glass not as prescribed; 2 x TOR – Dangerous condition of vehicle (heavily tinted windows and defective wheel/bodywork); 1 x TOR – no seatbelt; 2 x TOR – non conforming VRM plates; 1 x TOR – insecure load.
- An officer made a road-based patrol around the village in the early hours of the morning giving visible police presence in the light of intelligence about thefts and burglaries in neighbouring areas, and paying particular attention to people arriving from South Yorkshire direction. The officer stopped a driver travelling at speed through the village. He was dealt with appropriately and later in the shift seen to driving properly on the way home. Another officer conducted patrols all around the village in a marked police van, targeting all the usual areas. The officer noted a vehicle with two males. The vehicle and occupants were checked but there no issues. However, the location was an unusual place to park so the officer continued to park behind them and they eventually moved out of the area
- A total of 6 separate tours of duty were conducted by the off-road motorcycle team. The officers continue to patrol the usual areas, reacting to intelligence from parishioners that they meet. They continue to pay attention to the fly lines and green spaces for off-road and quad bikes, along with being on the lookout for youths on e-scooters (reported by dog walkers). An officer stopped a youth on an e-scooter and issued a 1 x S59 warning with a follow up from Vico housing requested. Officers carried out numerous checks on vehicles but all were in order. Another officer paid particular attention to parking outside the local school. There were quite a number of cars that would have parked in the zigzag areas that moved off when the officer was spotted. The same officer came across a cyclist in a panic and very cold who had become lost on tracks around the village. He escorted the rider to the nearest main road and advice was given regarding safety. The same officer.