

RYHILL SAFE SCHEME – SUMMARY OF MAY 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 14 police officer hours were worked during the month of May at various times during the day and early hours of the morning.

There was no priority crime in Ryhill this month.

Patrols included:

- The traffic officer made a 2-hour tour of duty and achieved the following: 1 x TOR - mobile phone; 4 x TOR – no seatbelt; 1 x TOR – VRM offence; 1 x TOR -Dangerous condition (heavily tinted windows; 1 x TOR – incorrectly registered vehicle.
- An officer conducted a 2- hour generalised road-based patrol all around the village at night and in the early hours. His intent was to be vigilant for suspicious persons or vehicles, especially because of crimes in villages adjacent to Ryhill (Notton – burglaries and vehicle theft). There had also been an attempted burglary on Mill Lane two weeks before. Although nothing occurred during his tour of duty, this sort of coverage can discourage different types of crime and also the ASB of drivers racing around the village in the early hours.
- There were 3 separate patrols of the off-road motorcycle team. All 3 officers did between 2- and 3-hour tours of duty in the late afternoon and early evening. All 3 officers reported that the village was quiet and they encountered no issues. However, officers have received intelligence from speaking with members of the public and this will influence patrols in the coming month. One such issue relates to ASB by car drivers congregating in the Anglers Country Park car park, suspected drug dealers. Our Safe Scheme officer has shared concerns about ASB in cars travelling through the village with the team and these will be targeted along with patrols to take in the country park car park to reduce such traffic. The officer targeted a particular address which is the source of complaints about bikes. Nothing was seen at the time of the visit but the officer continued to park outside the property to ensure the occupants knew that the police are aware of their activities.