

Parish & Town News

April 2025



Drifffield/ Rural/East Wolds & Coastal Wards



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FRONT COUNTER

Drifffield Police Station Front Counter **OPEN**

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9am-5pm
(Closed 1pm-2pm).

Call in for advice, to report an incident, or just a chat

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Driffield Community Team

- Staff from Driffield NPT continue to attend Active Fridays to combat ASB in the town.
- Staff from Driffield NPT have conducted joint visits with partners from housing agencies.
- Staff from Driffield NPT continue to attend the town council meetings on the first Tuesday of every month.
- Staff from Driffield NPT have continued to assist the Rural Task Force with Operation Galileo on Sundays throughout the traditional hare coursing season which has now concluded.
- Staff from Driffield NPT have attended local newsagents to promote cycle safety and awareness. Bike lights and high-viz vests have been given to youths where applicable.
- Staff from Driffield NPT have been conducting street surgeries to offer advice on crime prevention, fraud, safeguarding advice and ASB.
- Staff from Driffield NPT conducted a teacher training event at Driffield School regarding knife crime.
- Staff from Driffield NPT have attended numerous primary schools during the last period to deliver online safety lessons

A bike marking event was held on 27/02/25 on Driffield Market which was promoted via social media. There have been no logs for nuisance cyclists during the last period for Driffield Town Centre. A further event is planned for 29/05/25 during this period.

Driffield NPT has recently had correspondence from North Frodingham Parish Council regarding youths causing issues on the main street through the village, pulling wheelies and causing issues for villagers. A cycle safety event has been arranged for 26/04/25 and this will be advertised in due course.

Priority has been carried forward to this period in order to monitor calls for service. We are actively encouraging members of the public to report such incidents via the 101 service so the issue can be accurately measured.

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It has been brought to our attention at the January Town Council meeting that there have been issues with teenagers riding their bicycles in the town centre whilst pulling wheelies.

This presents a danger to themselves, members of the public and drivers. It is also alleged that teenagers are riding their bikes in the dark with no lights. Teenagers continue to be stopped and challenged when seen acting in an anti-social manner.

A bike marking event were held during December 2024 and February 2025 where free bike lights were also handed out to promote bike safety.

Learn more about how data is managed on <https://www.police.uk/>
 Location anonymisation is accurate to 2012 population and housing developments.
 Known issues with forces' data are set out in the changelog on data. <https://www.police.uk/>



Police Station Front Counters – Driffield - WE ARE OPEN

Our normal opening hours are 9am-5pm Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday. We are closed between 1pm to 2pm each day. *(On occasions the station may be closed during these times due to Sickness, Annual leave, or Training).*

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ENGAGEMENT

Planned Engagement Activities: (Pop-Up Surgeries, Safer Schools, Online Zoom Sessions, KIN contact, Newsletters, Social Media, Humber Talking)

What	When (dd/mm/yy)	Where (location)	Who (is attending/delivering?)
Driffield Town Council	01/04/2025 (19.30-20.00hrs)	Community Centre, King Street, Driffield	1001 & 7568
ShopWatch Meeting	02/04/2025 (09.00-1000hrs)	Central Computers, Middle Street South, Driffield	7656
Easterfield Court Surgery	02/04/2025 (10.00-12.00hrs)	Easterfield Court, Wansford Road, Driffield	7656
Meals for Misters	02/04/2025 (12.00-13.00hrs)	Cass Hall, King Street, Driffield	7656
Memory Café	02/04/2025 (13.00-15.00hrs)	Driffield Methodist Church, Westgate, Driffield	7656
Love Driffield Market Day	03/04/2025 (10.00-12.00hrs)	Love Driffield, Exchange Street, Driffield	7656
Cuppa and a Chorus	08/04/2025 (10.00-12.00hrs)	Driffield Library, Cross Hill, Driffield	7656
Meals for Misters	16/04/2025 (12.00-13.00hrs)	Cass Hall, King Street, Driffield	7656
Mini Police	22/04/2025 (12.00-15.00hrs)	Nafferton Primary School	1001 & 7568
Hutton Cranswick Parish Council Meeting	23/04/2025 (19.00-20.00hrs)	WI Hall, Main Street, Cranswick	1001 & 7568
Driffield Library Surgery	24/04/2025 (10.00-12.00hrs)	Driffield Library, Cross Hill, Driffield	7656
SOPS Meeting	25/04/2025 (14.00-15.00hrs)	Driffield School, Manorfield Road, Driffield	1001, 2431, 7568 & 7656
North Frodingham Crime Prevention Surgery	26/04/2025 (13.00-16.00hrs)	Village Hall, South Townside Road, North Frodingham	1001 & 7568

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Drifffield Classic Car Show	27/04/2025	Cross Hill Car Park, Cross Hill, Drifffield	1001 & 7568
Ladies Craft Morning	28/04/2025 (10.00-12.00hrs)	Cass Hall, King Street, Drifffield	7656
Mini Police	29/04/2025 (12.00-15.00hrs)	Nafferton Primary School	1001 & 7568
Meals for Misters	30/04/2025 (12.00-13.00hrs)	Cass Hall, King Street, Drifffield	7656
Mini Police	06/05/2025 (12.00-15.00hrs)	Nafferton Primary School	1001 & 7568
Crime Prevention Bus Roadshow	12/05/2025 (17.00-20.00)	Location TBC	1001 & 7568
Mini Police	13/05/2025 (12.00-15.00hrs)	Nafferton Primary School	1001 & 7568
Crime Prevention Bus Roadshow	13/05/2025 (17.00-20.00)	Location TBC	1001 & 7568
Crime Prevention Bus Roadshow	14/05/2025 (17.00-20.00)	Location TBC	1001 & 7568
Mini Police	20/05/2025 (12.00-15.00hrs)	Nafferton Primary School	1001 & 7568
Drifffield Showground Careers Event	22/05/2025 (16.00-20.00hrs)	Drifffield Showground	1001 & 7568
Drifffield Library Surgery	06/05/2025 (10.00-12.00hrs)	Drifffield Library, Cross Hill, Drifffield	7656
Memory Café	07/05/2025 (13.00-15.00hrs)	Drifffield Methodist Church, Westgate, Drifffield	7656
Love Drifffield Market Day	15/05/2025 (10.00-12.00hrs)	Love Drifffield, Exchange Street, Drifffield	7656
Cuppa and a Chorus	27/05/2025 (10.00-12.00hrs)	Drifffield Library, Cross Hill, Drifffield	7656
Meals for Misters	28/05/2025 (11.45-14.00hrs)	Cass Hall, King Street, Drifffield	7656
Easterfield Court Surgery	28/05/2025 (10.00-11.30hrs)	Easterfield Court, Wansford Road, Drifffield	7656
Drifffield Market Stall Crime Prevention	29/05/2025 (09.00-13.00hrs)	Market Place, Drifffield	1001 & 7568

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RURAL TASK FORCE

- **Sgt 2310 Kevin Jones**, Team Lead: Heritage, Wildlife & Rural Crime Sergeant
- **PC 212 Richard Fussey**, Goole, Howdenshire, and Beverley.
- **PC 433 Josh Fawcett**, Bridlington, Driffield and Hornsea.
- **PC 206 Sam Blakenbrough**, Holderness
- **PC 2429 Nick Beech**, Market Weighton, Pocklington and Vale of York

Over a two day period of farm crime prevention visits, RTF officers have raised awareness of Rural Crime & forensically marked agricultural machinery & equipment worth over £300,000. Please contact to discuss marking your equipment.



The #RuralTaskForce have today seized a vehicle which is suspected to have no insurance in an area which is persistently hit with night time poaching and criminal damage to land. #Notax #Noinsurance #WildlifeCrime

Following this Audi Failing to Stop for Rural Task Force Officers, It has been seized for No Insurance. #Bridlington #Seized #NewBeanCans #RuralTaskForce



#ruraltaskforce are out with Humberside Fire & Rescue Service #opgalileo. Using the drone means we can get a great aerial view and see the areas we can't otherwise check. #birdseyeview #nowheretohide ##inyourcommunity

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Officers from the Rural Task Force have been carrying out reassurance patrols and house to house enquiries in Sancton and surrounding villages regarding recent thefts of Heating Oil in the area. We ask that **North Holderness residents**, who use heating oil, consider their security and report anything suspicious.

There are steps you can take to keep your oil tank safe:

- Hide the location of the tank
- Fit your oil tank with a padlock or lockable filler cap
- Secure the oil tank within a cage
- Install lockable gates



On the 2nd of April around 0045hrs keys to two vehicles were stolen from an address in Nafferton. One vehicle was found nearby and the second is still outstanding. Occurrence no 25*43909 refers.

In the early hours of the same morning, around 0230hrs two males were disturbed tampering with a lock at an address in Hutton Cranswick. Occurrence no 25*43916

Twelve people have been sentenced to a combined total of 37 years and six months for their involvement in an organised crime group (OCG) operating across Bridlington that resulted in more than £3million worth of crack cocaine being sold during the time the conspirators were operating. Following a complex investigation lasting over eight months, all twelve were charged with multiple drugs offences and eventually pleaded guilty.

Three of the principal members were:

Liam Langton, 27-years-old, of Greetwell Road in Lincoln, pleaded guilty to conspiracy to supply class A drugs and being concerned in the supply of class B drugs. He has been sentenced to seven years and two months

Lee Jenkinson, 32-years-old, of Market Walk in Driffield pleaded guilty to conspiracy to supply class A drugs and has been sentenced to four years

Luke Gilson, 35-years-old, of Burstall Hill in Bridlington pleaded guilty to conspiracy to supply class A drugs and supplying class A drugs. He has been sentenced to six years and four months

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RTF ENGAGEMENT
Planned Engagement Activities:

Date	Location	Summary	Who
12/04/2025, 13/04/2025 19/04/2025 20/04/2025	SLEDMERE HOUSE	Op Recall Engagement Event at Lambing Live Sledmere House	Rural Task Force
23/04/2025	MELTON	RURAL ADVISORY GROUP MEETING	Rural Task Force Vale Watch Members FARMWATCH
27/04/2025	BEVERLEY RACECOURSE	ST GEORGES DAY SCOUT ACTIVITY DAY	RTF
29/04/2025	MELTON 2	CHIEF CONSTABLES COMMEDATION CEREMONY FOR RTF	RURAL TASK FORCE CHIEF OFFICERS
30/04/2025	BURTON AGNES HALL	NGO TRAINING	RTF SPECIAL CONSTABULARY NGO
04/05/2025	BURTON CONSTABLE	BURTON CONSTABLE CAR SHOW	RTF
07/05/2025	BEVERLEY	Beverley cadets talk	RTF CADETS
07/05/2025	BURNTWOOD COURT, BARNESLEY	CITS TRAINING EVENT	RTF NAVVIS PLANT EQUIPMENT INDUSTRY
22/05/2025	DRIFFIELD SHOW GROUND	DRIFFIELD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY CAREERS FAIR	RTF

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FORCE NEWS

Humberside Police have received three “outstanding” gradings across eight areas of core policing, the highest out of any other force in the UK, in the latest HMICFRS inspection report which has been released today (Wednesday, 16 October).

Following the release of the results, Chief Constable Judi Heaton said: “I am delighted with the report, which is a true testament and credit to all officers, staff and volunteers who have contributed and played their part in this achievement. It has been a team effort by colleagues across all roles in the force and I hope that they are all as proud as I am today.

“Humberside Police is one of the top performing forces in the UK, and the journey we have been on since 2017 when the force was in what was then referred to as “special measures”, highlights exactly how far we have come to be awarded outstanding grades.

“Even with our transformation and improvements, this will always remain as a journey for us; we will never be complacent, and we will always strive to achieve.”

Read the statement in full at:

<https://ow.ly/2Rpc50TMsV3>

Humberside Police is **OUTSTANDING** at



Protecting Vulnerable People



Preventing crime



Building and supporting the workforce

Humberside Police is **GOOD** at



Treating the public fairly



Responding to the public



Managing offenders



Leading and managing

Humberside Police **REQUIRES IMPROVEMENT** at:



Investigating crime

Humberside has the **highest number of outstanding grades** of all forces in England and Wales, in 21/22 and 23/25 to date.



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General Information & Crime Prevention

Spring is upon us and people across the Humberside region are putting plants in their garden so look nice for the summer.

If this is something that you are currently doing, have you considered defensive planting at all?

Defensive planting is the process of using plants to add additional security to your garden, this is normally achieved by planting spiky plants and bushes around the perimeter of your garden or property, in areas where someone may try to climb over a wall or fence.

This type of planting could also be considered under windows to make it more difficult for someone to get near them.

There are lots of plants/bushes you could consider including roses, holly, firethorn, or blackthorn, plus many more. There is information available on the internet to help you to choose which plants would look best in your garden.

So why not give defensive planting a go, it will make you garden look nice and increase your garden security at the same time.

As temperatures rise, so does the risk of fire – especially in rural and agricultural areas. Humberside Fire and Rescue Service is urging residents, visitors and farmers to take extra precautions to prevent fires from starting and spreading in the dry, warm conditions. Grass, crops, and woodlands dry out quickly in the sun, making them more susceptible to ignition. Even a small spark from discarded litter, machinery, or barbecues can lead to devastating fires, putting lives, homes and livelihoods at risk.

If you see a fire, act fast:

- Call 999 immediately and report the location. Use [What3Words](#) to help pinpoint the location in rural areas.
- Do not attempt to tackle large fires yourself – they can spread unpredictably.
- Stay clear of burning areas and make others do the same.

For more information visit our [webpage on fire safety in rural areas and on farms.](#)

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#Driffield

A Local patrol officer sighted this vehicle being driven on our roads earlier today and the vehicle was subsequently stopped. The driver thought it was acceptable to drive despite not holding a driving licence. After further enquiries, it was identified that the vehicle was being driven on false plates and had no insurance. The driver of the motor vehicle was reported for multiple traffic offences and has been summonsed to Court.

A reminder that we will not tolerate this activity in our area, and we will continue to target those who act in this manner.

#NotOnMyPatch #SaferRoads #OurCommunity



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Humberside Police Operation Yellow Fin Officers were out patrolling on Wednesday 9th of April. With the help of the Humberside Fire and Rescue Drone officer who guided Op Yellow Fin officers to the pit bike's location.

Op Yellow FIN officers were able to locate the pit bike that was riding around causing issues. The pit bike was seized. The owner identified and the bike will be crushed.

#seized



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Operation Coastline:

Keeping the Coast safe this Easter

As the weather begins to get warmer and the nights become lighter, our coastal areas will start to welcome more visitors, which can sometimes lead to an increase in criminal activity.

To help keep communities safe, local neighbourhood policing teams, the Rural Task Force, and the Community Safety Unit will be out on high visibility patrols and engaging with those across the area. Our Roads Policing unit will be actively patrolling key routes, using both marked and unmarked vehicles, to tackle and deter crime and antisocial behaviour.



You can also report information anonymously to the independent charity Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111 or on their website, www.crimestoppers.org.uk. To keep up with the latest Op Coastline updates, make sure to follow us on Facebook and Twitter and follow #OpCoastline.

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Find Us On Line

Below are links to the main sites in each of the local authorities that cover the Humberside Area. A great way to keep up to date with what it going on is on Social Media – especially Twitter – we will share as much as we can but keep your eye out for other partners who are trying to promote the great work they do to help engage families and young people. We also have a Facebook Page [@HPYouthEngagementTeam](#) so please follow us on there and remind your communities to get in touch with what's going on in their area!

Please take time to visit the websites detailed below:

www.ageuk.org.uk/barnet/our-services/latest-scams

[www.https://www.actionfraud.police.uk/news](https://www.actionfraud.police.uk/news)

www.takefive-stopfraud.org.uk/

www.citizensadvice.org.uk/consumer/scams/check-if-something-might-be-a-scam/

To report a crime in progress, always call 999. Call 101 for non-emergencies and to report any information, or you can call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

For further crime prevention advice and general information please visit <https://www.police.uk>

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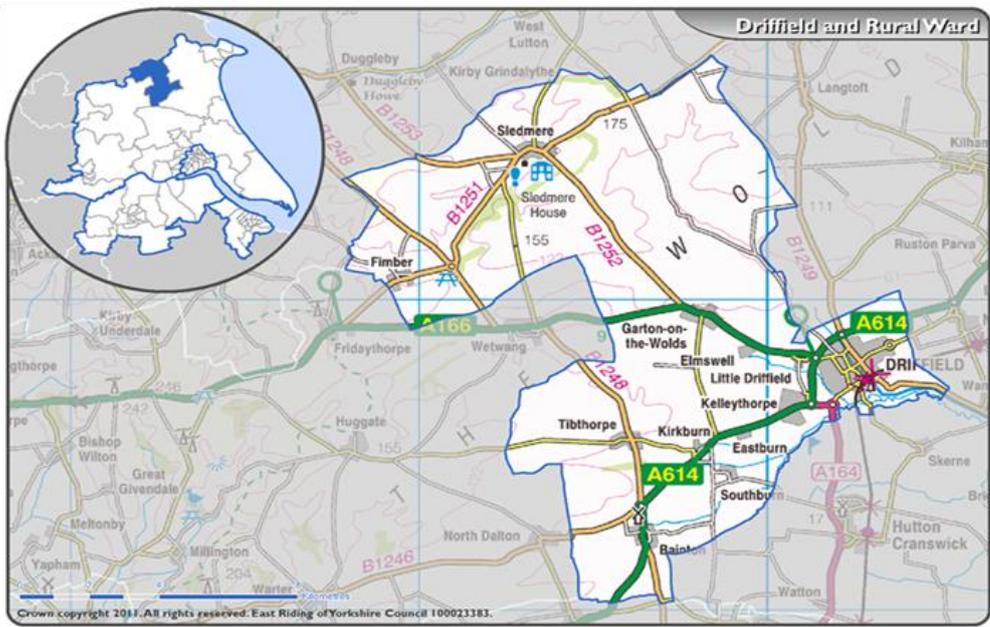
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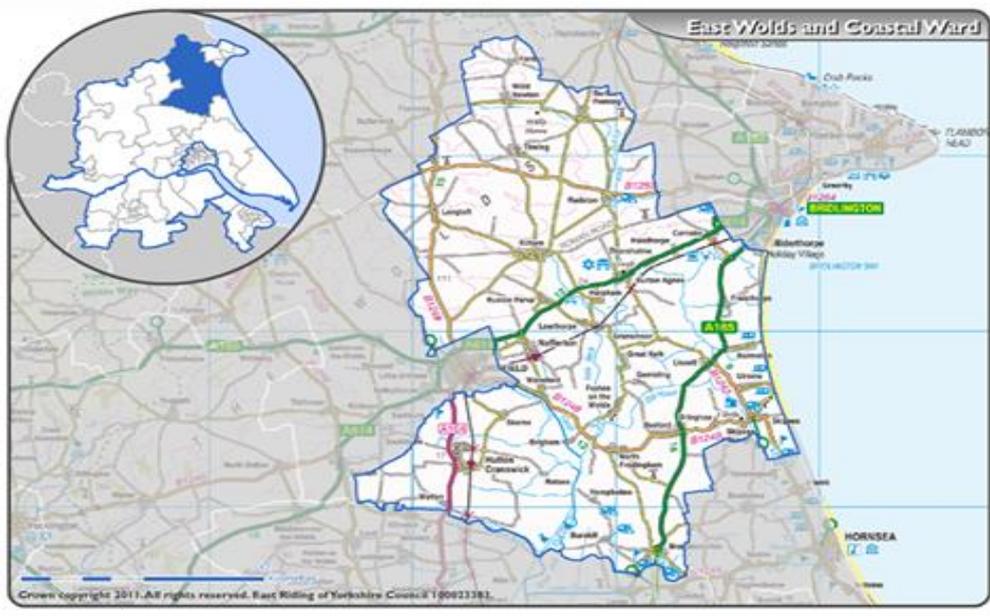


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