

# Community Safety

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This Newsletter aims to provide information around safeguarding and Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB), raise awareness of current issues across the district, promote the good work of our partner agencies and celebrate the successes we have had.

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## We've Been At It Again – This Time at Court Moor School

This month, the **STAY SAFE** team were delighted to be back at Court Moor School, where we worked with **228 enthusiastic Year 9 students**. Together with our fantastic partners at **Challenge**



**Academy**, we delivered a powerful impact drama exploring the realities of **Child Criminal Exploitation**, a session that sparked important conversations throughout the day.



In the afternoon, students rotated through workshops led by **Stop Domestic Abuse**, the **Willow Team**, and our own **CST** officers, diving into a range of crucial topics around personal and community safety.

We also welcomed **parents and carers** to an evening session, giving them a snapshot of the key messages their children learned, and equipping families to continue these discussions at home. One parent said - ***“Thank you. I'd otherwise be in the dark on key aspects of this subject and know now who to contact. Excellent event.”***

A huge **thank you** to Court Moor School for their continued support, and to all our partners who help make this vital programme possible.



***Together, we're empowering young people to stay informed, confident, and safe.***

## Does Your Doorbell Hold The Evidence?

We've recently seen a **rise in thefts from motor vehicles and vehicle interference across the district**. Even if you haven't been directly affected, staying aware of what's happening locally can make a real difference.

If you hear about suspicious activity or incidents in your area, take a moment to **check your doorbell cameras, CCTV, or dash cams**. You might have captured something small but significant. If you do spot anything, please **share it with the police**, every piece of evidence helps.



By working together, we can build stronger cases, support police investigations, and send a clear message that this behaviour won't be tolerated.

**Your information might be the missing puzzle piece that helps stop an offender.**

**Remember: If something, or someone, doesn't look right, report it.**

### Think Safe 2026 – Year 6 Students Return to the Council Offices

This year's **Think Safe 2026** event welcomed **848 Year 6 students** from across Hart to the council offices for four days of fast-paced, interactive safety learning. Pupils rotated through **seven engaging sessions** delivered by:

- St John Ambulance
- Hart Environmental Enforcement
- Hart Climate Change
- Hart Community Safety Team (CST)
- Hampshire Police
- Thames Basin Heaths Partnership
- Stop Domestic Abuse
- Network Rail & British Transport Police



Each session offered hands-on activities, practical advice, and real-world scenarios designed to help young people stay safe, make positive choices, and understand the role of key agencies in their community. Feedback from schools and facilitators has been overwhelmingly positive, with students highly engaged throughout.

A special **thank you to local business Café Amici** for generously providing lunch for all the agencies across the four days. Their support helped fuel the fantastic volunteers who give their time for free to make Think Safe such a valuable annual event.



**A huge well done and thank you to everyone involved for making Think Safe 2026 a great success!**

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