



SCOTTISH BORDERS COUNCIL

# PERFORMANCE REPORT

## Q3-2022/23 CAT REPORT



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# Q3 COMMUNITY ACTION TEAM REPORT

This report gives details of the actions of the Community Action Team (CAT) over Quarter 3.

During Q3 of 2022/23 the Community Action Team has:

- Carried out 104 hours of foot patrols, 1034 hours of mobile patrols, and 71 static road checks
- Issued 80 parking tickets and 20 Anti-Social Behaviour warning letters to under 18s
- Carried out 15 Person Drug searches (40% positive) and 17 Premises Drug searches (88% positive).



# COMMUNITY ACTION TEAM

## IMPACT REPORT FOR QUARTER 3 - OCTOBER 2022 to DECEMBER 2022

BERWICKSHIRE	CHEVIOT	EILDON	TEVIOT	TWEEDDALE
<b>TASKING DURING PERIOD</b>	<b>TASKING DURING PERIOD</b>	<b>TASKING DURING PERIOD</b>	<b>TASKING DURING PERIOD</b>	<b>TASKING DURING PERIOD</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CAT officers acted on reports received regarding off-road motorcycling in Monymut Forest, Duns.</li> <li>CAT officers were involved in an operation to deter rural crime and hare coursing.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Following intelligence received two drug warrants were executed in Kelso in October.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In October officers acted on intelligence suggesting fireworks were being sold to children from an address Galashiels.</li> <li>CAT officers conducted high visibility patrols at the Transport Interchange to deter youth offending.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Following intelligence received a drugs warrant was executed in Hawick in November.</li> <li>CAT carried out Licensed Premises Checks in December.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increased incidents regarding young people causing issues in Peebles in September and October.</li> <li>CAT carried out static road checks in Skirling and Broughton as part of the winter safety campaign.</li> </ol>
<b>EVIDENCE OF IMPACT</b>	<b>EVIDENCE OF IMPACT</b>	<b>EVIDENCE OF IMPACT</b>	<b>EVIDENCE OF IMPACT</b>	<b>EVIDENCE OF IMPACT</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One vehicle was issued with a warning in December for driving off road.</li> <li>Static and mobile road checks were carried out throughout Berwickshire, which was met with a positive response from local communities.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supply amounts of Cocaine and Cannabis were recovered.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The address was searched and 7 boxes of fireworks were seized for destruction.</li> <li>A number of youths were engaged with and 14 youth warning letters were sent out in October.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cash, cannabis, heroin and diazepam were recovered.</li> <li>The high visibility presence within the pubs helped to deter antisocial behaviour and violent crime.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CAT and partner agencies engaged with young people to discourage antisocial behaviour, resulting in a significant reduction in reports in November and December.</li> <li>Winter safety advice given to drivers. 2 traffic tickets were issued regarding careless driving.</li> </ol>

COMMUNITY ACTION TEAM (CAT) ACTIONS																				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Raised in Quarter	5	5	6		4	3	4		10	5	12		5	6	7		6	3	5	
Accepted in Quarter	2	4	3		3	3	1		7	4	7		3	3	5		2	2	3	
<b>% of tasking accepted by the CAT across all localities</b>					<b>2021/22</b> 73%								<b>2022/23 Year to Date</b> 56%							
<b>NOTE:</b> Not all issues received and discussed at the CAT oversight group meeting are taken on as actions by the CAT. Some actions may be more appropriately followed up and actioned by another service within SBC or by a partner organisation. Also some actions are tasked directly through Police Scotland so are not reflected in the figures above but show the impact the team is having in the Borders.																				

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### HI-VISIBILITY FOOT PATROL (HOURS)



Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
254	170	104	

Foot patrols are the number of hours CAT officers spend in a specific location carrying out foot patrols. The figure quoted is in individual officer hours.

### MOBILE PATROL (HOURS)



Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
1589	1190	1034	

Mobile patrols are those carried out in marked Police Scotland vehicles and can involve 1 or more officers. The figure quoted is in individual officer hours.

### STATIC ROAD CHECKS



Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
64	68	71	

Static road checks are proactive stops of vehicles in known problem locations to prevent or detect criminal or antisocial acts involving vehicles.

### ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR WARNING LETTERS ISSUED TO UNDER 18s



Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
17	17	20	

Where young people aged under 18 are evidenced committing antisocial behaviour (including drinking alcohol) warning letters are issued to parents/guardians to advise them of the situation.

### NUMBER OF DRUG SEARCHES UNDERTAKEN PERSONS



Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
34	13	15	

**40%** of searches were positive for drugs in quarter 3.

### NUMBER OF DRUG SEARCHES UNDERTAKEN PREMISES



Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
13	13	17	

**88%** of searches were positive for drugs in quarter 3.

	BERWICKSHIRE				CHEVIOT				EILDON				TEVIOT				TWEEDDALE			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
<b>PARKING:</b> No of Tickets Issued	1	2	0		37	35	18		28	11	42		49	18	13		6	3	7	
<b>2022/23 Year to date all localities</b>	<b>Q1</b>				<b>Q2</b>				<b>Q3</b>				<b>Q4</b>							
	121				69				80											