

LICHFIELD DISTRICT CRIME PREVENTION PANEL

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CRIME PREVENTION EXHIBITION UNIT CELEBRATES 10 YEARS "ON THE ROAD"

During its 10th year of delivering crime prevention advice throughout the District the Crime Panel's Exhibition Unit will be visiting more venues this summer. Two new venues will be visited i.e. Heart of the Country Craft Centre at Swinfen and Drayton Manor Park. The programme at the moment is as follows: -

Safeway Store, Chasetown	9 th July	10:00hrs – 15:00hrs
Heart of the Country, Swinfen	10 th July	10:00hrs – 16:00hrs
King's Bromley Show	24 th July	10:00hrs – 16:00hrs
Chase Wakes, Chasetown	7 th August	12:00hrs – 16:00hrs
Drayton Manor Park	21 st /22 nd August	
Fradley Show (non-trailer event)	28 th August	12:00hrs – 16:00hrs
Whittington Country and Craft Fair	4 th September	10:00hrs – 16:00hrs

In addition to the wide range of crime prevention products for sale, number plate stickers will be available free of charge in order to combat the growing trend of number plate thefts. The strong adhesive strips can be used in addition to the usual screw fixing and once in place are extremely difficult to remove. These are available on a 'first come, first served' basis as they have proved to be a very popular item at previous venues.

Alan Birch, Panel Chairman, says:

"Since the launch of the Panel's Crime Prevention Exhibition Trailer in 1994 it has visited hundreds of venues throughout the District and has proved to be a most invaluable tool in combating crime in our area. I am thrilled that it continues to attract so many interested members of the public and all our members look forward to another busy summer schedule".