



COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH

Having successfully completed a trial of Community Speed Watch, Burton & Winkton Parish Council has officially joined this national initiative, an entirely voluntary scheme where participating residents receive training and support from the neighbourhood policing team. In partnership with the Dorset Police and managed by Dorset Road Safe, the volunteers note and report drivers exceeding the speed limit to the police with the aim of educating drivers to slow down.

If the data proves a driver is ignoring repeated warnings police can prosecute them. The aim is to:

- reduce death and injury on the roads
- improve the quality of life for local communities
- reduce the speed of vehicles to the speed limit
- increase public awareness of inappropriate speed

If you would like to join the happy team and are able to give up an hour on occasion to keep our villages safe from speeding traffic please contact the Parish Clerk with your details.

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For more information and courses available to all road users visit

<https://www.dorsetroadsafe.org.uk/education-courses-training-advice/>