

Subject: Wellesbourne Community Speedwatch Update

Hi All,

Just a quick email to keep you all updated on the progress of the new Wellesbourne Community Speed Watch Group.

I have sent this e-mail to the group lead, Fizz Forbes-McGlen, and 'blind copied' in the rest of the group. I have also copied in the Chair of Wellesbourne Parish Council, Anne Prior, for her awareness.

As it stands at the moment, there are now 8 of you vetted and cleared to participate which is great news! As mentioned to you all previously, only approximately 3 of you will be trained in the use of the speed device itself, and this has not been able to be carried out as of yet because of the situation with COVID.

We were recently sent the latest CSW newsletter, which I have attached for your information.

The update RE laser device training reads: "The pandemic has disrupted CSW for the past year but with the announcement of a roadmap out of lockdown there is hope. The roadmap gives a projected date of the 21st of June for all restrictions to be lifted. With this in mind, and allowing for annual leave/commitments of the team, we are announcing a mass laser device/CSW training session for 60 CSW volunteers. There will be 2 sessions of 30 people each at Wolston Leisure Centre on the 5th of July. Further news on this will follow as the situation develops"

I will communicate a further update as and when I receive it, however, rest assured that if those who wish to be trained in the speed device cannot make it to Wolston on that date, more localised training will be carried out shortly after. The reasoning for the mass training at Wolston is to essentially put a big dent in the ever-growing waiting list.

From 29th March, we have been given the go-ahead to deliver the general/safety brief training (this would most likely be delivered by myself locally). Whilst this could be done soon, I see little benefit of delivering it at this stage when there is nobody trained on the device itself, as it's going to be a few months before your activity can commence. I believe it would be much more beneficial to deliver this after 5th July, as this will be closer to the time that you will begin your activity, and as such will be fresher in your mind when you do your first session.

I hope this all makes sense, and if you have any concerns or queries, please don't hesitate to get in touch with me.

Kindest regards
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