

HALEBANK PARISH COUNCIL REPORT
Compiled p.m. 06th October 2025 for the meeting to be held on 06th October 2025

Here is the Police Report for the Halebank Parish Council **for this area only**. This report covers a period as shown from pm 31st August 2025. The date shown is usually the reported date.

Overview and Crime

These reports I produce are for the Parish Councils, residents and other interested parties and I produce them because they are an effective way of keeping connected with you all. Sometimes, if I am off for whatever reason, they may not be produced. I am always able to try to help anyone with anything I can. I hope the Parish Council and readers understand.

We are not saying any crime is acceptable, but we are pleased to say we are experiencing lower levels of late. We are always striving to improve this, and, with your help, we can do this. Thank you for the part you play in keeping the area a lovely place to live and work.

Statistics

You may not realise just how much you keep the statistics low. You, the residents and your families, the school including teachers and pupils, businesses, church and congregations and visitors alike. By being crime aware, looking out for each other and for reporting suspicious activity. Thank You - from all of us here at Cheshire Police. Thank you to those residents that also keep a watch, not only on their own property, but also on their neighbours.

Parking & Traffic issues

Parking is enforced across our area with particular attention to the "hot spot locations of Halebank Road with Hale Road, Pickering's Road, and Foundry Lane etc. There is now an online store collection point to the side of the COOP on Pickering's Road which makes enforcement of the double yellows more complicated as drivers would be allowed to stop there to load/unload in reference to this collection point.

Double Yellow Lines is NO WAITING AT ANY TIME. Please remember also if there are solid white lines in the middle of the road then you must not park (even if on the kerb, as the restriction applies up to the wall or building). Single Yellow lines indicate a restriction to waiting usually shown on a plate which will be on a post nearby. The main issue is Unnecessary Obstruction - not allowing sufficient space for prams, wheelchairs, and disabled persons etc. to pass freely on the pavement. Remember to keep lowered kerbs clear. No stopping on Zig Zag lines.

Weight Limit

As Halebank has a 7.5t weight restriction on Halebank Road, I do keep an eye on this to try to maintain low levels of transgressors. Remember it is not an HGV ban! I must also highlight that we do have farms in the area and so will be vehicles over the limit but needing access, this is allowed. When carrying out speed enforcement I am conscious to any breaches of the limit though, as the potential vehicle was not seen transiting through, it would only be a courtesy or advisory letter at the most.

Speed Enforcement

Speed enforcement is carried out on Halebank Road. I have been unable to check the enforcement via the police systems at the time of writing. Speed enforcement is due to be carried out on Halebank Road at my earliest opportunity. Please report any speeding concerns you have via our website www.cheshire.police.uk.

Wildlife & Rural matters Pleased to report no issues on this topic Please do report any suspicious activity to us – often such activity is carried out under the cover of darkness, telephone us on 101 and we will check.

Places of faith we do try to be visible around places of faith when possible and when shifts allow.

Other

Abandoned Phone Calls x1 03/10/25

Animal (domesticated) related

Anti-Social Behaviour x2 05/09/25 dog related in Halebank park and 24/09/25 youths banging on elderly person's door Halebank Road

Arrest Attempts/Breach of Bail Court Orders

Assist other agencies see misc

Breach of the peace

Burglary in a Dwelling

Burg other than in a Dwelling x1 Golden Triangle industrial premises 01/09/25 plant and other items stolen.

Complaint against the Police

Concern for Safety x6 31/08/25 x2 and 17th & 18th and 19/09/25 A562 youths very close to traffic and 19/09/25 travellers on industrial site Lower Rd

Criminal Damage.

Dangerous Dog

Domestic Incidents (includes domestic violence and the disclosure scheme) x6

Drugs x1 01/09/25 possibly use Off Wellingford Avenue

Drug Drive

Firearms

Found Property

Found Stolen Motor Vehicle

Fraud x1 02/10/25 relating to vehicle use in London

Harassment

Hate Crime

Highway Disruption x4 A562 05/09/25, Baguley Ave 29/09/25 & 02nd and 05/10/25 debris A562

Intelligence Reports x2

Miscellaneous x11 including serious industrial incident Hale Rd

Missing Person

Police Protection Childcare

Police Generated see misc.

Property Lost/Stolen/Found

Road Related Offences

Road Traffic Collision – Damage Only

Road Traffic Collision Injury & Damage x1 05/10/25 electric scooter v car Hale Rd nr shop

Robbery

Sexual offences related

Shoplifting

Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Activity x7 05/09 cannabis smell off Wellingford Ave neighbour related 09/09/25 and 5/10 & 06/10/25 x 2 male climbing fence and other reports Baguley Avenue, smell of cannabis at Road Traffic Collision Foundry Lane 24/09/25 and intruders on site business premises Lower Rd 18/09/25

Stop Search & Stop and Account (vehicles) x5 05/09/25 Halebank Rd x2, 05/09/25 Hale Rd x2 and Baguley Ave 01/10/25

Sudden death x1 05/09/25

Theft

Theft of/from a motor vehicle x2 09/09/25 car being reported being used without permission Baguley Ave and 30/09/25 Clapgate Crescent

Theft Other x2 pedal bike stolen 03/09/25 outside shop Halebank Rd & 22/09/25 speaker stolen outside address Baguley Avenue

Violence Harassment & Threats x3 Baguley Ave all connected 03, 04 & 5th October 2025 known suspect/s

Vehicle Prohibition Notice

Vulnerable Persons Reports x6

Warrants x2 Hale Road x2

Wildlife related

Summary

Many of the incidents reported in the heading of Violence, Harassment and Threats are from the same addresses, in particular Clapgate Crescent and Baguley Ave. We are trying our best to reduce these repeat callers as they are very demanding on resources. Where possible we will deal with landlords and housing associations to help us in this quest..

Halebank remains a genuinely nice and safe place to live. Please carry on reporting the issues you do and do not rely on others calling us if you witness anything that troubles you. Remember when you phone 101 for the police you are covered by Cheshire – not Merseyside Police. There is often an option so please choose correctly.

We want to encourage even more information, intelligence that we gather. If residents are not confident in passing their details to us, they can call Crimestoppers on **0800 555111** – they will not ask for your details and the information will still reach us. We would rather the callers have the confidence in us and the system as the callers' details are "sanitised" from all the intelligence reports. I.e., suspicious goings on/suspicious persons/vehicles, smells of cannabis etc. if reporting vehicles or persons try to obtain details such as vehicle registration marks; clothing descriptions etc. – if you have a mobile with you many have voice recorders.

If you are able, please can you complete a **Resident's Voice** Survey? This is a Cheshire Police survey to try and ascertain what issues are important to the residents and the survey only takes five minutes. Scan the code here or visit the main police website www.cheshire.police.uk and search for resident's voice Widnes.



Our area for policing is called "Ditton and Hale"

We are hoping the Parish Council, school, church, businesses, and residents are encouraged and reassured by the report however if you have any questions please do not hesitate to get in touch.

I would also like to promote the Cheshire police ALERT system further. This Alert system is geared up like a Homewatch scheme whereby businesses or households can choose to be alerted on matters that you want – such as frauds, bogus callers, etc. and by which method you choose such as text, phone call, email etc. There is more information on our website or via <https://www.cheshirepolicealert.co.uk> I am more than willing to help any resident or business get set up.

A resource for obtaining information as to police related matters is <https://www.askthe.police.uk> (apps available)

Remember **999 calls are for emergencies only** and these cover matters such as but not limited to:

- there is a danger to life.
- violence is used or threatened.
- a serious crime (violent crime/burglary) is in progress or likely to occur.
- a suspect for a serious crime is nearby.
- there is a road traffic collision involving personal injury or danger to other road users.
- a vulnerable person needs urgent attention.
- Our 999 call handlers strive to answer all calls within 10 seconds.

Non-emergencies

For non-emergency calls, call **101**.

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Please do not report crimes to our social media accounts. They are not always monitored, and we do not yet have the facility to use this process.