

WITCHAM

Speedwatch Volunteers Urgently Sought

Speedwatch is a community led initiative to reduce speeding vehicles and make our village safer.

With vehicle speeds of up to 60mph being recorded on the MVAS equipment at The Slade and Martins Lane, approaching the crossroads in the centre of the village, volunteers are urgently sought from the community to get actively involved in monitoring this situation.

The owner of any vehicle seen exceeding the speed limit is sent an advisory letter by Cambridgeshire Constabulary explaining that speeding is unacceptable and asking them to be more considerate. It is not enforcement, it is about educating road users to drive safely and to be made aware of the dangers of speeding.

If volunteers will come forward, training will be provided by the local Co-ordinator and sessions can be run, arranged by the village speedwatch co-ordinator. Sessions usually last an hour. Frequency and longer length of session is up to the group and depends on how much time they have available. 3 people per session are necessary.

In the first instance please contact the Parish Clerk clerk@witchamparishcouncil.gov.uk