

COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH

Are you concerned about vehicles speeding through Overstone and Sywell?



This is a serious issue, but not an inevitable one. Community Speed Watch is a positive and proactive way in which local residents can work together to tackle this problem.

The benefits are:-

- *Increased awareness of the dangers of speeding.*
- *Loan of a hand held gun for use by trained residents.*
- *Equipment & safety training, site assessments, high viz clothing, insurance cover & publicity materials.*
- *Continued support from Northamptonshire Police.*
- *Feedback of all recorded data to form an evidence base to support any future funding applications.*

Both Parish Council's want to change people's attitude towards speeding and create a safer environment for all, but we require your help too!

We need 10 volunteers from each village to train to use the monitoring equipment at a Saturday training session, 2 weeks before the speed tests are done. The Speed Watch then takes place over a 6 week period on alternate weeks, at times convenient for all. We are hoping to complete this in the Spring, but this can only happen if we have sufficient volunteers, so we can sign up for next year's scheme asap.

Please call Cllr Kay Giles on 01604-643878 or email kaygilesoverstonepc@gmail.com for further info or to sign up.