**WRSP - Strategic board Teams Meeting**

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| Attendees:Philip Seccombe (Chair)Philippa Young (WCC) Hazel Nicholas (Warwickshire Police) Jem Mountford (Warwickshire Police)Faz Chishty (Warwickshire Police)Benjamin Smith (Warwickshire Police)Warren Little (Warwickshire Police)Barnaby Briggs (Warwickshire Fire and Rescue)David Ayton-Hill (WCC)Fay Wileman (WCC)Sharon Hilton Cllr Andy Crump (WCC)Christopher Lewis (OPCC)Jenny Martin (WCC) note taker  | Apologies:Marie Biddulph (National Highways) Rob Allen (WFRS)Mark Ryder (WCC)Scott Tompkins (WCC)Fiona Mckenzie (National Highways)Ben Brook (WFRS)Isher Kehal (Public Health) Cllr Wallace Redford (WCC)  |

1. **Introduction/Previous Actions**
* Group agrees that the previous meetings are a true and accurate record.
* Philip thanked everyone for everything they do with regards to Road Safety throughout Warwickshire.
1. **Safe System Training**
* Operational Board training took place 11th July, representations from police, fire & County Council.
* Also funded:

Safe Road User training planned for 21st October – places available for other partners

Safe Roads training planned for 1st November – places available for other partners

* Agilysis producing Safe System implementation guide –practical guidance for specific road users focuses on older drivers and occupants. The guide will look at the 5 pillars, safe road users, safe speeds, safe vehicles, and post collision response.
1. **Data Presentation**
* Collision and Casualty Data (provisional national data) presentation by Fay which included 2021 data from Warwickshire compared to National figures.
* Must take into account covid and lockdowns as less traffic on the road effects the data.
* WRSP calendar is January to January
* Board thanked Fay for the presentation, and this will be circulated with the minutes.
1. **Funding Opportunities**

**Current Funding**

* Older Driver VR, Annual Public Attitude Survey (will be compared against Cambridgeshire and Essex), Child Car Seat Checks (February half term and a week in May) in conjunction with 15 officers being trained and Scooter Training – Easter holidays and first week in August.
* Discussion round E Scooters - -whether they can be included in training – as illegal can’t be seen to support them, continue with promoting them as illegal – campaign running in November and looking into possible training when they become legal.
* Partnership also supporting funding of Bike Safe and Bikerdown!

**ACTION – Jem to produce a short report for next meeting on data on E-Scooter use and collisions. This will be presented to safe road user working group in November**

1. **Updates from Working Groups**

**Post collision Response: Warwickshire Permanent Memorial**

* Post Collision Response Working Group - Looking to develop a permanent memorial for road traffic victim, located at Hartshill Hayes Country Park.
* Fay presented an image of the design and explained the various parts and their meanings
* Wording on memorial “Remembering Lives Lost and Injured on our Roads in Warwickshire”
* Plaque relating to online tributes
* Room for memorial service at the site
* This Board is supportive of memorial
* 20TH November World Day of Remembrance for road traffic victims – service in St Marys Church, Warwick, 230pm, details will be confirmed to the Strategic Board

**ACTION – Fay to take option of public funding the memorial to the Victim Care working group.**

1. **Project Edward (Every Day Without A Road Death)**
* Upcoming Campaigns:
	+ Project Edward has been rescheduled to w/c 17th October
		- Drive on Engagement for Mature Drivers – Tuesday 18th October
		- Horse rider safety clip will be released on the Wednesday 19th October
		- National Safe Speeds Day – Wednesday 19th October
	+ NPCC anti speeding campaign 10th – 30th October
	+ October is also tyre safety month
1. **Updates on current road safety initiatives and priorities**

**National News**

* Safety framework delayed as new ministerial team
* New Minister for Road Safety – Katherine Fletcher
* New Minster for Innovation – Lucy Frazer
* New road safety investigation branch will probably sit under Lucy Frazer’s portfolio

**Road Safety Unit**

* Road Safety Unit has been remodelled and restructured.
* Point raised about being prepared to up the numbers on speed awareness courses which Warwickshire Police and WCC confirm they are ready for.
* Newly formed Service Level Agreement for next 3 years between Warwickshire Police and WCC.

**Warwickshire Police Roads Policing Team**

* Seatbelt campaign -June 22
* Op Vertebrae- June- 1/3 offences detected on Warwickshire section of M6
* High risk motorcyclist – operation ran during school holidays
* Query raised about offenders under 25 reducing and if we need to alter target audience. Point raised not to take focus away from schools and this is driving the decrease.
* The unit and National Highways have been nominated for an award for national trial of the seatbelt video van.

**Warwickshire County Council**

* Remodelled secondary school road safety education programme

**Next meeting: 9th December 1pm – 2.30pm**