

# GRAPPENHALL & THELWALL CHESHIRE ALERT



## WAYS TO STAY IN TOUCH

TWITTER  
FACEBOOK  
CHESHIRE ALERT  
CHESHIRE POLICE WEBSITE

## INCIDENTS OVER THE PAST FEW DAYS:

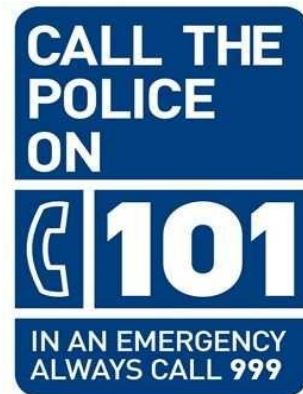
**MOORE AVE:** Alarm activated.

**FERRY LN:** Motorbike speeding on footpath.

**CARTRIDGE LN:** Suspicious yellow van offering "work".

**OLLERTON CL:** Vehicle scratched.

**ATM @ CO-OP:** Transaction failed. Money taken.



## SPEED ENFORCEMENT THIS WEEK:

Knutsford Road: 30mph  
Activations: 22  
Top Speed: 51mph

## PCSO SURGERY

You can contact us via Facebook, Twitter or Cheshire Alert messaging

**17<sup>th</sup> May 2021**  
**14:00-15:00.**

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your community of G&T.

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## Rogue Traders

Rogue Traders often appear to be highly professional. They can have printed leaflets and vehicles branded with their company name, making people think they are legitimate.

They often use highly pressurised selling techniques to convince victims to use their services and they charge exorbitant prices for work of a poor standard or work that is never carried out.

When needing work done:

- Only use businesses that have been recommended to you by a trusted friend or family member and you can see examples of their work
- Ask for quotes in writing and then follow up by getting another three quotes from independent traders to check that the price quoted is accurate
- Get the address of their company. If possible, visit the premises to check that it exists
- Don't be fooled by someone who says that they are just working up the street or that they have done work for your neighbour. Some people say this to gain your trust. Ask for specific examples and then follow up to check if what they have said is true
- If someone calls at your home trying to sell you something, don't let them in and always ask for ID

