

Speedwatch Report

Parish Council 20th October 2022

During September the number of sessions run by the group was a lot lower than average, due to a combination of holidays, health issues and personal commitments of operators.

We ran 18 sessions during the month of September, totalling 9.5 hours, those sessions recorded 58 speeding vehicles from 2262 passing vehicles, the fastest speed recorded was 46mph, one vehicle was recorded for the second time this year. One of the sessions recorded 12 speeding from 98 passing vehicles (12.24%). One of the sessions was supported by two PCSO's.

October sessions will be a bit different to average months, 17th to 21st is Project EDWARD week, re-scheduled from September due to the death of HM Queen Elizabeth II, 20 sessions are so far planned for the week.

Project EDWARD is a national campaign held in September each year, all Police Forces and various other road safety organisations, including Speedwatch, carry out as many high profile road speed and safety checks as possible and run some educational sessions. EDWARD stands for **E**very **D**ay **W**ithout **A** **R**oad **D**eath.

The full summary of Etchingham sessions for previous months and the Sussex groups overview can be viewed on the Parish Council website in the documents section.

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