

Quarterly Newsletter

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TRUST**



A new look for the Trust

Welcome to the first Blue Lamp Trust newsletter. We are pleased to share the latest news, safety advice and updates from across our charity.

Through these quarterly newsletters, we will keep you informed about our work, share practical ways to stay safe and highlight the difference our services are making across Hampshire and the Isle of Wight.

As this is our first edition, we wanted to reflect on our organisational rebrand and refreshed website, which were introduced to give our services clearer identities and make it easier for people to understand and access the support available. While our look has changed, our purpose remains the same: helping people feel safer, more confident and supported at home and online. [Click here to find out more.](#)

Thank you for being part of our community and supporting our work to create safer homes and safer communities.



Celebrating 35,000 Safe Home visits



We are proud to celebrate the completion of **35,000** Safe Home visits since our reliable records began in 2011. Our home visits have been taking place since the Blue Lamp Trust was founded in 1998, meaning the true number of residents supported is even higher. Every visit represents a person who has received practical advice, reassurance and safety improvements within their home. This milestone would not have been possible without our dedicated Safety Technicians, staff, partners, referrers and supporters. Thank you to everyone who has helped us make homes safer across Hampshire and the Isle of Wight.

Going away this summer?

Summer often means holidays, family visits, days out and more time spent away from home, making it a good time to review your home security. From checking doors and windows to securing keys, valuables, sheds and garages, a few simple precautions can help protect your property and provide greater peace of mind.

Our latest blog shares practical advice to help keep your home safe while you are away, along with important fire-safety reminders and information about our free Safe Home service.

[Read the full article here.](#)



Mature Drivers Confidence Builder Course

BLT Driver Training continues to support the wider work of the Blue Lamp Trust by providing professional driver training, assessments and development for businesses, fleets, taxi drivers and individual drivers across the UK.

As part of the Trust, income generated through training helps support our charitable services across Hampshire and the Isle of Wight.

This quarter also saw the launch of our Mature Driver Confidence Builder Session, a supportive on-road session designed to help mature drivers build confidence, improve awareness and feel safer behind the wheel. [Click here to find out more.](#)

Sponsor Highlight Uniq Technology



We are grateful to Uniq Technology for their continued support of our Safe Online service.

Uniq Technology is a family-run IT support and consultancy business, providing friendly, reliable and practical technology support to businesses for over 20 years.

Their sponsorship helps us deliver Safe Online visits, offering face-to-face advice on online scams, passwords, privacy settings and safer internet use.

Campaigns and events

This quarter we have been proud to attend a series of events, some including; Anti-Social Behaviour day, Andover Hard of Hearing Club, Southampton Supported Housing, Dementia Friendly Winchester, Youth and Families Matter Group, Parkinson's Support Group NE Hants, Odiham Health Centre event, Civil Service Pensioners Alliance.

As part of our fundraising efforts, two members of the Blue Lamp Trust team will be taking on a 15,000 ft skydive to raise vital funds for the charity. Every donation helps us continue delivering free community safety services to people across Hampshire and the Isle of Wight. To find out more or donate please [click here.](#)



Sponsor Highlight KeySafe UK



We are grateful to Keysafe UK for their continued support of the Blue Lamp Trust. As part of our Safe Home visits, we can offer the C500 Pro Key Safe as an added extra where appropriate, helping people and their families access safer, more reliable key storage.

The C500 Pro is a Police Preferred key safe, designed for strength, durability and everyday ease of use. Thanks to Keysafe UK's sponsorship, we are able to support more people across Hampshire and the Isle of Wight to feel safer and more confident at home.

Could someone you know benefit from our support?

If you work with, care for, or know someone who may feel vulnerable at home or online, you can make a referral to the Blue Lamp Trust. Referrals can be made by professionals, family members, carers, or individuals themselves. Make a referral today by visiting our [website](#) or contacting the Blue Lamp Trust team on **0300 777 0157**.