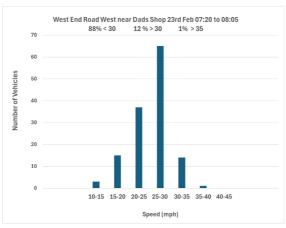
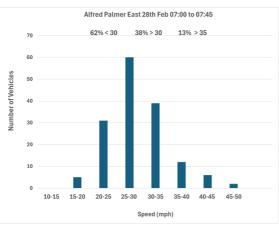
Speeding in Mortimer

Volunteers and Parish Councillors have continued to monitor speeding in the village using the Speed Indicator Device (SID) and the Automatic Speed Watch Camera (ASWC).

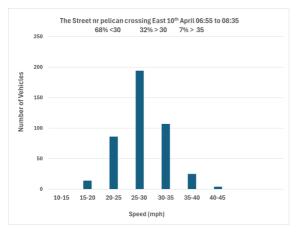
SID is used to inform drivers of their speed and encourage them to slow down if they are going too fast. SID also records the number of vehicles in 5mph bands over 5 minute periods. The speed recorded is that first detected and it records every passing vehicle. Some recent data are shown below.



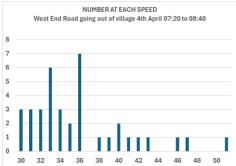
Traffic travelling westwards out of the village opposite Dad's shop early morning. Total vehicles 135 with 15 above 30 mph and only 1 over 35mph



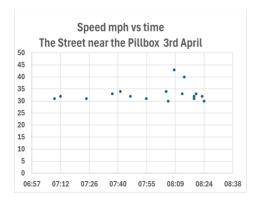
Traffic travelling eastwards into the village at Alfred Palmer early morning. Total vehicles 156 with 59 above 30 mph and 20 over 35mph



Traffic travelling eastwards down
The Street early on a school morning.
Total vehicles 430 with 136 above 30 mph and 29 over 35mph.



Here, the ASWC recorded the speed of vehicles at 30 mph and more in West End Road going out of the village early morning. 73 vehicles at 30 and more with 17 reported to Thames Valley Police.



This is an example of the ASWC stopping drivers speeding. Traffic going east down The Street, out of the village near the junction with Mortimer Lane. In about 90 minutes in the early morning, 407 vehicles passed but only 17 were at 30 or more.

We need volunteers for both SID and ASWC

More people will mean more deployments and this will reduce speeding. Training and operation are simple, deployments are flexible to suit you. Need two operators, so you never be alone. Please contact The Clerk.