Coventry Prevent Week

Monday 19th January – Friday 23rd January

SAFEGUARDING AGAINST RADICALISATION

Monday 19th January **Time:** 13:00 – 15:00 **Delivery:** Online MS Teams **Registration:** Book Your Place	**School Massacre Phenomenon:** High-School Violence, Online Narratives and Prevent. Providing an overview of the *school massacre phenomenon*, focusing on patterns of high-school violence and the role of online spaces, including the emergence of so-called "dark fandoms." The session will explore how harmful narratives are created, shared and normalised online and why this is relevant for Prevent, safeguarding and early intervention. Participants will leave with an improved understanding of key risk indicators and how to respond appropriately within their professional role.
Tuesday 20th January **Time:** 10:00 – 12:00 **Delivery:** Online MS Teams **Registration:** Book Your Place	**The COM Network:** Online Harm, Cybercrime and Prevent Awareness. Including '764'. This session raises awareness of the **COM network (also known as "The Community")**, an international online network linked to cybercrime, online harm and exploitation. The workshop will outline how the network operates across the UK, US and Canada, including tactics such as social engineering, SIM swapping, IP grabbing and online grooming. It will also explore the network's links to violence incitement, swatting, data breaches and extreme ideological views, highlighting the relevance for **Prevent**, safeguarding and early identification of risk in online spaces.
Wednesday 21st January **Time:** 09:30 – 11:30 **Delivery:** Online MS Teams **Registration:** Book Your Place	**Order of Nine Angles (O9A):** Occultist Extremism and Prevent. This briefing provides an overview of the **Order of Nine Angles (O9A)**, an extreme occultist belief system linked to terrorism and serious real-world harms. The session will explore O9A's core ideology, methods of influence and recruitment and how its narratives can intersect with online spaces and wider extremist ecosystems. Participants will gain an understanding of why O9A is relevant within a **Prevent and safeguarding context** and how to recognise potential indicators of concern.
Wednesday 21st January **Time:** 13:00 – 14:30 **Delivery:** Online MS Teams **Registration:** Book Your Place	**Self-Initiated Terrorism** The purpose of this presentation is to highlight some of the behaviours that may be exhibited by individuals who are self-initiated terrorists. By increasing awareness and understanding of these behaviours, the session aims to support early identification and enable police to take action before an attack is carried out.

Thursday 22nd January	From Investigation to Conviction: A Local Case Study (In-Person).
Time: 11:45 – 13:45 **Delivery:** Friargate Room 1.4 **Registration:** [Book Your Place](#)	This in-person session provides a detailed case study led by the detective involved in a **local investigation** that resulted in charge and conviction. The session will walk participants through the investigation process, highlighting key decision points, challenges and learning opportunities. Using a real-world local example, the briefing will support greater understanding of investigative practice and its relevance within a **Prevent, policing and safeguarding context**.
Friday 23rd January	**Misogyny and the Manosphere:** Online Extremism and Violence.
Time: 10:00 – 12:00 **Delivery:** Online MS Teams **Registration:** [Book Your Place](#)	This briefing explores misogyny within online extremist spaces, examining the complex links between misogynistic ideology, extremism and violence. The session will use a range of examples from the *manosphere* to extremist *incel* communities to illustrate how these narratives develop, spread and can contribute to real-world harm. The relevance of this issue within a **Prevent and safeguarding context** will be highlighted throughout.