

Man found guilty of murder after dragging victim under car in Surrey

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Deanna Heer being led by Michelle Nelson QC (Red Lion Chambers) has secured the conviction of Martin Eastwood for the murder of Liam Dent.

Following a trial at the Old Bailey, Eastwood was found guilty of murdering Liam Dent by hitting him with a car and dragging him for more than half a mile, at speeds of up to 32mph. Eastwood used a stolen Ford S Max to kill Liam Dent in the early hours after a confrontation outside a pub in Chessington, Surrey. Eastwood had denied intending to cause serious harm, claiming it was an accident.

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