

SNT Newsletter

Stowmarket

You said...

1. Parking and Speeding across Mid Suffolk.
2. Drug problems in Stowmarket.

We did...

1. The Safecam vans and officers have been and will be targeting speeders. Robust visits to offenders in support of our hardworking Community Speedwatch teams. Our new MSDC funded PCSO (Bill), has been issuing parking tickets across the whole of Mid Suffolk, in particular where there may be issues at schools. Currently, there is only Bill, and he has a bit of a mammoth task ahead, so please bear with us.
2. We will continue with our enforcement (Warrants, searches etc), and will issue further section 8 warnings (warning we know they are involved and will take action). We will work with partner agencies to ensure protection for vulnerable people, who may be at risk.

Inspector Shawn Wakeling



Responding to issues in your community

We have conducted two premises searches under Misuse of Drugs Act this week following information from partner agencies.

We have carried out further assemblies and talks to schools around Thurston in a bid to discourage ASB caused by young people in the area. Assemblies have also included inputs on road safety.

We are pleased to say that work has commenced at the play area in Cedars Park, to target harden the area against ASB/criminality.

Making the community safer

Throughout the month, and in particular the festive period, we have visited our licensed premises to ensure that they comply with their obligations with regards crime, the public and adhere to their license conditions.

Work carried out with various housing providers to protect vulnerable adults from "cuckooing" via warning notices and regular unannounced welfare visits.

Preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB

On 15th December and again 12th January, we have had a stall at the Market's in Stowmarket. At these surgeries we aim to promote crime prevention, and engage with all members of our communities. The Town council have provided us with a pitch in Stowmarket, on several dates over the coming months. These are 2nd Feb, 16th March, 6th April 18th May, 8th June and 13th July, and we are there between 9am to 2pm.

This SNT covers the following parishes

Ashbocking, Bacton, Badley, Badwell Ash, Barking, Battisford, Baylham, Beyton, Botesdale, Burgate, Buxhall, Coddenham, Combs, Cotton, Creeting St Mary, Creeting St Peter, Crowfield, Darmsden, Drinkstone, Elmswell, Felsham, Finningham, Framdsden, Gedding, Gipping, Gislegham, Gosbeck, Great Ashfield, Great Bricett, Great Finborough, Harleston, Haughley, helmingham, Hessett, Hinderclay, Hunston, Langham, Little Finborough, Mellis, Mendlesham, Needham Market, Nettstedd, Norton, Offton, Old Newton with Dagworth, Onehouse, Pettough, Rattlesden, Redgrave, Rickinghall Inferior, Rickinghall Superior, Ringshall, Shelland, Somersham, Stonham Aspell, Stonham Earl, Stonham Parva, Stowlangtoft, Stowmarket, Stowupland, Thornham Magna, Thornham Parva, Thurston, Tostock, Walsham-le-Willows, Wattisfield, Westhorpe, Wetherden, Wickham Skeith, Willisham, Woolpit, Wortham, Wyverstone.

Future events

28th January 19 - Meet up Monday, Stowmarket and at Beyton.

2nd February - Police surgery at the market in Stowmarket.

4th February - Woodley Primary School.

12th February - Gislegham Playgroup.

13th February - Beaver scouts input.

15th March - Quarterly meeting between Parish/Town councillors & clerks, and Stowmarket SNT.