

November 2018

# SNT Newsletter

## Hadleigh

### You said...

Anti-social behaviour and drug use in Hadleigh

Anti social behaviour in Stoke By Nayland

Anti social behaviour in Barham

### We did...

On going patrols of local parks and identified hot spots in each of the areas. Liaising with local residents and councillors.

### Inspector Kevin Horton



### Responding to issues in your community

There have been a number of changes within the SNT since the last newsletter and I thought this would be a good way to introduce the new members and inform you on what work we are now doing. We no longer have any police community support officers working out of Hadleigh Police station, there are still three who are based at Landmark House in Ipswich and can come across to assist if and when required but the majority of their work will be Ipswich based. We now have an additional 4 police officers on the team who have come from a number of different departments and who have a lot of skills and experience. Pc Simon Lant has previously worked on an SNT in Felixstowe but more recently has been on the neighbourhood support team in Ipswich dealing with volume crime. Simon has also previously worked in Essex police and City of London so has a huge amount of experience. Pc Denby Ablard has also joined the team and has come from a neighbourhood response team in Ipswich. Before joining as a police officer, Denby was a PCSO in Ipswich West SNT and has a good knowledge of the work the SNT do. Pc Phill Lee has spent a number of years policing rural areas and more recently has been in Ipswich as a temporary Sergeant on the Ipswich West SNT. Phill has a lot of experience working with partner agencies and addressing long term problems in the community. Also joining us in December will be Pc Emma Adams who was previously on a neighbourhood response team in the East of Ipswich also covering Woodbridge and Felixstowe. We still have Pc Sarah George, Pc Niall Johnson and Pc Diane Porter on the team.

The team will continue to look at community problems and concerns and look at the best way to address these issues. The speeding days of action will continue every 4-6 weeks and results will be published on the newsletter and our twitter account @HadleighPolice. The team are now dealing with volume crime in our SNT area and will therefore be carrying out a lot more investigative work than we did previously.

### Making the community safer

We have continued to receive reports of anti social behaviour in Hadleigh, Barham and Hadleigh although I am pleased to report that this has improved in the key hotspot areas. We are keen to continue our patrols and to deal with ASB robustly to ensure there are not further problems when the weather improves again. There are a number of individuals that the police are working with and we are speaking with the youth offending team on the best way in which to deal with their behaviour to try and prevent future offending. Please continue to report any incident to police with online or through 101 and this will be sent to the team and we can assess and review where our patrols need to be focusing on.

### Preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB

As you will see we no longer have the issue of off road motorbikes around Bobbits as a priority. We are still patrolling the area but the calls have gone down and it appears that the hard work by the police, residents and other agencies has paid off and people are not using the area as regularly as they were before. I appreciate that the weather also assists with this issue. It will be continually monitored to ensure that the problem does not start again and to try and prevent the volume of riders that come to the area when the weather improves again next year.

There have been a number of burglaries in the rural area in recent weeks and I would urge you to sign up for Police Connect in your area so that you are made aware of issues that may be happening in your community. There is a large amount of crime prevention advice which is available to you on the Suffolk Constabulary website. Please search for First Principle and follow the tips online. Now the evenings are darker a lot earlier it is really important to protect your home and there is a lot of advice and tips on ways you can do this online.

### This SNT covers the following parishes

Alton, Berners, Brook, Dodnash, Hadleigh North, Hadleigh South, Holbrook, Lower Brett, Mid Samford, Nayland, Pinewood, South Cosford

### Future events

Police and Parish Forum -  
Brantham Leisure centre -  
19:30 19th December - This is open to all members of the public and not just parish councillors. It is your chance to come and speak with your local Sergeant and Inspector about any issues which you or your community are experiencing.