

July 2016



SUFFOLK
CONSTABULARY

YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM REPORT BECCLES & BUNGAY SNT

COVERING The wards of Beccles North, Beccles South, Bungay, Wainford & Worlingham.

281

INCIDENTS
RECEIVED

100

INVESTIGATIONS
RECORDED

YOU SAID...

1. Wheelie bins being pushed over and contents strewn over the road in Gaol Lane, Beccles
2. Unauthorised encampment in Ilketshall St. Andrew, Bungay

WE DID...

1. The Safer Neighbourhood Team targeted the area at the relevant time on Sunday, June 3rd and were present, keeping observations. Fortunately, nothing occurred on this occasion, but Gaol Lane will be patrolled at appropriate times in an effort to deter any further incidents.
2. The Safer Neighbourhood Team attended a location in Ilketshall St. Andrew, Bungay following a report of a single caravan & motor vehicle camped on private land. This was linked to a single family and no indication this would lead to a larger encampment as seen in Halesworth town centre earlier this year. No other problems raised.

STATISTICS

SUFFOLK POLICE AND CRIME PLAN PRIORITIES

FIGURES FOR May 2016

Burglary Dwelling

0

Robbery

0

Violence with Injury

5

Serious Sexual Offences

0

Drug Trafficking

3

Anti-Social Behaviour

44



FUTURE EVENTS

Monday, 11th July - Specials Recruitment Event - Conference Room, Riverside, 4 Canning Road, Lowestoft 7pm.

Wednesday, 27th July - Inaugural 'Community Liaison Meeting' between the Beccles & Bungay Safer Neighbourhood Team and representatives of Town and Parish Councils.



FURTHER INFORMATION

Feedback!

"The police were very good and acted very fast to the call. We have had forensics and the police have told me everything they can. The police have caught the culprit from cctv footage as he was trying to sell my items."

"The police explained everything to me clearly and made me feel secure and able to sleep on that night. The police spoke to me about securing the house more in the future."

Raising Community concerns

There are a number of ways you can get in touch with Suffolk Constabulary depending on the urgency and type of request.

By telephone in an emergency always dial 999. Dialing 999 is a must if you are facing an incident or crime right now and you need police help immediately. The Suffolk Constabulary non-emergency number 101 is the number to call when you want to contact police when it is less urgent than 999. The non-emergency number is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Alternatively you can report a crime online.

If you want to speak to your local Safer Neighbourhood Team and it's not urgent using email will be quickest and if you want any member of the team will get back to you within 24hrs. The SNT email address is: becclesbungay.snt@suffolk.pnn.police.uk

If you have an issue with how the police have handled a local community matter, such as dealing with an incident of ASB, or if you have an issue relating to something like a series of crimes occurring in your area, we advise that you speak to your locality Inspector Richard Hill, to highlight your concerns. Inspector Hill will be able to review the circumstances of the incident/matter and our response and make an assessment about how it is handled.

If the nature of your concern is more serious, we have a formal complaints process and details for this can be found at: <http://www.suffolk.police.uk/contactus/complaintsandcompliments.aspx>.

Crime Data.

We are no longer in a position to provide specific crime information for every parish in advance of your meetings. The information that is provided in our newsletters will be across the locality, broken down across each SNT. I appreciate that this will not be at parish level. However, you will see from the format of the newsletter that if we are concerned about some specific crimes in local areas, we will be able to raise this and give further information in the free-text section. Also, if you have concerns regarding crimes in your parish that you are aware of, please contact your local SNT in advance of your meeting and discuss it with them.

Additionally please consider usage of Crime Map Police.uk

POINT OF CONTACT

YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM

 **Sergeant 971 Simon PRICE**

 **101**

 **becclesbungay.SNT@suffolk.pnn.police.uk**

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FURTHER INFORMATION

1) Appeal for information after man in his 40s is sexually assaulted in Beccles.

Police are appealing for help to trace a man who was riding a mountain bike in Beccles after a man in his 40s was sexually assaulted. The incident happened on Saturday, June 11, at around 11pm as the man in his 40s walked home along Kemps Lane. He stopped to look at his phone and when he looked up he saw the man just in front of him standing astride the bike. The man is described as white, in his 30s to 40s, around 5ft 9ins to 5ft 10ins tall, with short dark receding hair that was brushed forward, wearing shorts and a light coloured T-shirt and trainers.

The offender then made a grab for the man's groin area, making contact before cycling away. Moments later the offender returned on his bike and made a second grab and again made contact.

Police are asking anyone who may have any information about the incident or the man involved to call Suffolk Police on 101, quoting crime number 40133/16.

2) Appeal for information after a woman in her 40s was accosted by a man in Beccles.

The woman was walking home along St Mary's Road at around 10.15pm on Tuesday, June 7, and was near the hospital when she heard a male voice calling out to her. She then saw a car had approached from behind and the man driving matched the speed of the vehicle to her walking pace and continued to watch her. She became unnerved by his behaviour and went into the driveway of a property to get away from him. When she emerged she saw he had stopped his car and had started to walk towards her. The woman concealed herself again and the man remained in the area for several minutes, walking around his car, before getting back in and driving away.

The woman then called a relative to collect her as she did not want to continue walking on her own.

Police need to trace the man and are asking anyone who may have information about who he is to come forward. He is described as black, in his late 30s to early 50s, around 5ft 10ins to 6ft tall, of medium build, with short dark hair. He was wearing a yellow high visibility jacket - possibly a waistcoat type.

Anyone with information about the man or the incident is asked to call Suffolk Police on 101, quoting crime number 37617/16.

3) Arson At Bungay Industrial estate

An incident where a bin was set alight on a Bungay industrial estate is being treated as arson. The industrial-sized bin was severely damaged when it was set on fire next to a unit on the Southend Road Industrial Estate. It is believed a resident intervened and pushed the bin away from the building, which was not damaged. It happened on June 14 between 10.15 and 10.40pm and police now believe the fire was started deliberately.

Anyone with any information should call Suffolk Police on 101, quoting crime reference number 37/38784/16.

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BARNBY, BARSHAM, BECCLES, BUNGAY, ELLOUGH, METTINGHAM, MUTFORD, NORTH COVE, REDISHAM, RINGSFIELD, SHADINGFIELD, SHIPMEADOW, SOTTERLEY, WESTON, WILLINGHAM ST MARY & WORLINGHAM.