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SUFFOLK
CONSTABULARY

YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM REPORT FELIXSTOWE AND DISTRICT SNT

COVERING THE WARDS OF FELIXSTOWE, THE TRIMLEYS, KIRTON, NACTON AND PURDIS FARM

604 INCIDENTS RECEIVED

224 INVESTIGATIONS RECORDED

YOU SAID...

1. Drugs

2. Seafront Leisure Centre ASB

3. Parking outside schools/
Cycle Road Safety Event

WE DID...

1. Targetting individuals and areas associated with Drug dealing. Police are executing search warrants and stopping vehicles and persons associated with dealing class A drugs.

2. Consulting with youth organisations and Councilors to discuss potential facilities to engage with young people congregating and causing some ASB issues in the area.

3. The council ASB Officer is researching a Junior PCSO scheme involving local schools and children engaging with motorists outside the schools during peak times. Plans to hold meetings with school heads with a view to progress. Cycle coding and road safety event to be arranged with local High School Academy.

STATISTICS

SUFFOLK POLICE AND CRIME PLAN PRIORITIES

FIGURES FOR October 2016

Burglary Dwelling

6

Robbery

1

Violence with Injury

11

Serious Sexual Offences

0

Drug Trafficking

2

Anti-Social Behaviour

58



FUTURE EVENTS

Suffolk Safekey are promoting the scheme in the foyer at Morrisons on Wednesday 23rd of November between 09:30 and 12:30 hrs and also:

Homebase, Warren Heath on Tuesday the 29th of November between 09:30 and 12:30hrs.

Visit <http://www.suffolk.safekey.org.uk> for details of the safekey scheme.



FURTHER INFORMATION

During the month of October 2016 Felixstowe had 173 recorded investigations: (Investigations relate not only to recorded criminal offences, but also investigations into safeguarding individuals)

Included in these investigations was a burglary (dwelling with intent) where forensics identified a suspect who was interviewed and bailed whilst awaiting a charging decision. This same suspect was also linked to an interference with a motor vehicle offence, having possession of Cannabis and has been already charged with being drunk and disorderly in a public place.

Another suspect has been charged with burgling three neighboring properties and an assault after being caught inside one of the houses.

A male was arrested for aggravated vehicle taking, assault and possession of Cannabis following a short pursuit after failing to stop for police.

The Trimleys had 17 recorded investigations:

Includes criminal damage to a building caused by graffiti.

Nacton and Purdis had 29 recorded investigations:

8 theft reports taken from retail outlets in the area with 2 people arrested and charged for 3 of these offences.

There was an attempted burglary to containers and an office on a building site but no entry was gained and nothing was stolen.

Kirton had 5 recorded investigations:

This included criminal damage to windows at 2 properties close by.

For more information on the Police and Crime Plan and up to date performance information, visit www.suffolk-pcc.gov.uk

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FURTHER INFORMATION

Suffolk's PCC and Suffolk County Council's Cabinet Member for Public Protection made a ceremonial start to works on Felixstowe's new joint police and fire station in High Road West in Felixstowe on Monday 24 October.

Tim Passmore and Cllr Matthew Hicks were joined by the Felixstowe Mayor, Jan Garfield; Fire Chief, Mark Hardingham and Chief Constable, Gareth Wilson along with staff from Brooks and Wood, the main contractor for the project and Concertus, the project consultants.

The works involve an extension to the existing fire station in the town. Once the work is completed, police officers, who are at presently based in the Police Station across the road, will move in and vacate the old police building.

Suffolk's Police and Crime Commissioner, Tim Passmore said: "I am absolutely delighted to be involved in the start of the building works on this latest joint police and fire project.

"Working together with the Fire Service is crucial to us meeting the financial and operational challenges we face. I am very pleased with the existing shared stations across the county; they save money and improve the joint working of two key emergency services in the county, which is excellent news for us all."

Cllr Matthew Hicks, Suffolk County Council's Cabinet Member for Environment and Public Protection said: "The benefits of sharing property in this way are already well established in Suffolk following other successful examples in the last couple of years.

"Developing this station in Felixstowe creates a hub that serves the community in an effective way enabling both blue light services to save money in the process."

The £524,000 project which has financial grant support from the Department of Communities and Local Government includes:

- An extension to the rear of the fire station, which would provide new office accommodation for Suffolk Constabulary.
- Internal alterations to some of the existing ground floor offices for Police use
- Provision for additional car parking spaces for Operational police use and cycle parking to the rear of the site.
- An office for the Town Centre CCTV system which is staffed by volunteers
- Much improved facilities for staff with locker and server rooms and shared use of the toilets showers and the existing community room.

Plans for the old police station and the building behind known as Glenfield Court are likely to see it marketed for sale at the end of 2016.

Police and fire already have six shared stations at Woodbridge, Ixworth, Elmswell, Debenham, Clare and Framlingham and these are working well. The work to develop and improve Felixstowe fire station will help both organisations become even more cost effective and will enable police and fire to work much more closely together in Felixstowe.

The work is due to start immediately and will be completed by the spring of 2017. There will be no disruption to fire and police services during the building works with both services remaining fully operational from their respective sites.

THIS SNT COVERS THE PARISHES OF:

Bucklesham, Brightwell, Falkenham, Foxhall, Hemley, Kirton, Levington, Nacton, Newbourne, Purdis Farm, Trimley St Martin, Trimley St Mary, Waldringfield, Felixstowe and Walton