

# SNT Newsletter

## Felixstowe

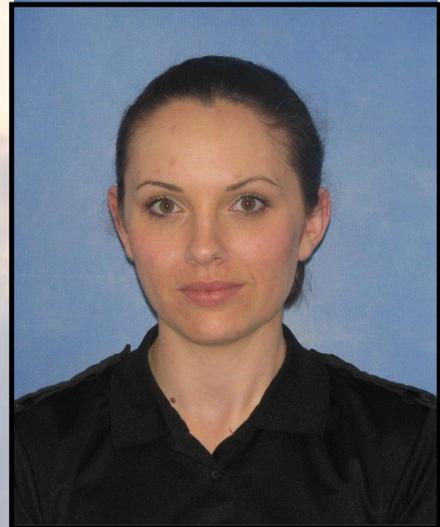
### You said...

1. 'County Lines' Drug trafficking from vulnerable persons homes known as "Cuckooing"
2. Fraud - Crime Prevention First Principal on line advice [www.suffolk.police.uk/1stprinciple](http://www.suffolk.police.uk/1stprinciple)

### We did...

1. Bring together all relevant agencies and contact support groups to work with the new Link Officer and PCSO's to problem solve
4. Use of Police stop search powers to target identified suspects.
5. Intelligence gathering and crime reduction targeting for vulnerable premises.
6. Promote First Principal Crime Reduction advice and on line services [www.actionfraud.police.uk](http://www.actionfraud.police.uk)

### T/Inspector Sally Henderson



### Responding to issues in your community

During the month of December 2018 there was a total of 265 investigations in the Felixstowe and District. (Investigations relate not only to recorded criminal offences, but also safeguarding individuals).

Criminal Offences recorded range from various assaults and public order offences to theft and burglary and drug possession.

### Making the community safer

On 8th December 2018 a member of the public found a vehicle in Kirton with engine running and driver asleep at the wheel. When Police arrived the male driver failed the roadside breath test and was arrested. He was later charged with driving with excess alcohol. Thank you to the member of the public who called this in to Police. On 10th December 2018 a member of the public disturbed a male who was trying to steal a bicycle on Essex Way Purdis Farm. The male was using a pair of wire cutters to cut the lock and had tried to pull the bike around the corner out of view. The male attempted to run but was detained by the brave member of the public who assisted Police. The male offender was searched and found in possession of the wire cutters and following arrest he admitted Criminal Damage and Going Equipped and was charged to court. Thank you to the member of public who prevented property being stolen and assisted Police.

### Preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB

In December 2018 PCSO Ben Sagi started his new fully funded role in Felixstowe. The new role is funded for the next two years by Felixstowe Town Council. Based at Felixstowe Police Station PCSO Ben Sagi will be tasked by the Town Council to undertake visible patrols, tackle illegal parking and low level ASB in Felixstowe. There will be a chance for members of the public to speak to their PCSO during regular Police Surgeries on the first Wednesday of the month between 10am and 12 Noon at the Town Hall.

### This SNT covers the following parishes

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

### Future events

Tasking meeting 29th January 2019 with local authorities and agencies to discuss any emerging issues and ASB in the locality. These are based on reported incidents during the month. If you have any concerns to report for this meeting then please email the SNT on the address shown below.

Happy New Year from the Felixstowe Safer Neighbourhood Team

Did you know that there is a website called "Ask the Police"?

It is a website which provides answers to the most frequently asked Policing questions. It provides links to other relevant national organisations. If you are unsure whether to call the Police and it is not an emergency you may just find the answer without having to call the Police. In an emergency always call 999