

July 2017



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YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM REPORT

Hadleigh SNT

The wards of Alton, Berners, Bramford and Blakenham, Brook, Claydon and Barham, Dodnash, Hadleigh North, Hadleigh South, Holbrook, Lower Brett, Mid Samford, Nayland, South Cosford.

COVERING

645

INCIDENTS
RECEIVED

315

INVESTIGATIONS
RECORDED

YOU SAID...

Anti-Social Behaviour-Hadleigh
and Claydon

Anti social use of off road bikes
Tattingstone/Bobbits Lane/
Bramford

WE DID...

- The SNT are continually monitoring reports of ASB in the area. A Police operation has now been planned for early July to address the issues in Hadleigh and Claydon.
- Police are working closely with the local farmers, landowners, Brett Aggregates and the council to try and look at ways to reduce access to the sites. Three people have been issued with Section 59 warnings (Police Reform Act).

STATISTICS

SUFFOLK POLICE AND CRIME PLAN PRIORITIES

FIGURES FOR June 2017

Burglary Dwelling

3

Robbery

0

Violence with Injury

23

Serious Sexual Offences

8

Drug Trafficking

1

Anti-Social Behaviour

15



FUTURE EVENTS

5th July at 19:30 - Parish Forum - Chelmondiston

28th July 10:00-13:00 - Chief Constable and Police and Crime Commissioner in Market Place Hadleigh along with the SNT.



FURTHER INFORMATION

Welcome to the Hadleigh SNT

The SNT have had a busy month with community engagements and work surrounding our three current priorities; ASB in Hadleigh, ASB in Claydon and the anti social use of off road bikes in the Tattingstone, Bobbits Lane, Bramford area

The reports of anti social behaviour in the parks in Hadleigh has dropped in the past month and the team have been busy engaging with youths when out on patrol. There will be an operation taking place in the next few weeks and I will update you on the details and results in next months newsletter. I am hopeful that there will be some positive results which should then reduce the number of incidents further. The new pro active team which has been set up to tackle ASB over the summer period has attended the Hadleigh area on a couple of occasions and has spoken to youths in the area who have been happy to engage. The team will be working closely with the SNT over the next few months to focus on any areas which are causing harm and upset to the community. We will be relying on reports from members of the public so that we know where to focus these patrols so please report any incident to police either through the Suffolk constabulary website or by dialling 101.

The SNT have already attended a number of summer fetes with more in the diary. Unfortunately we are unable to commit for the full event and it is dependant on other commitments but if you would like a PCSO present then please get in touch with the team and let us know the details. This is a great opportunity for the team to be visible in the community and available for any questions or concerns to be raised with them.

There has been an increase in calls to police surrounding both youths and adults jumping off of bridges into open water at both Lemons Hill Bridge, Tattingstone, Bramford Bridge and Sproughton Weir. Officers have been giving attention to the area when they can, but we would strongly urge people to heed the warning signs that are in place. The tragic death of Matt Dunnett at Lemons Hill Bridge two years ago graphically illustrated the danger of jumping into the water, and it is very concerning that individuals are ignoring the warnings that are there for a good reason - to prevent further tragedies. We would echo safety advice issued by partner agencies;

Do not jump or dive into rivers. Quick entry into cold water can cause your body to go into shock. Low water temperature can numb limbs and claim lives.

You won't be able to judge the depth of water just by looking and there could be submerged hazards such as weeds, rubbish or pollution.

There may be strong currents, which could pull you downstream or under the surface of the water.

Never go into water if you have been drinking alcohol.

Don't assume because you can swim in a pool that you can deal with the challenges of open water swimming. Swim in safe areas, or where there is supervision and/or a lifeguard.

The team have been working closely with Babergh District Council with regards to the anti-social behaviour in Elmsett and I am pleased to report that there have been no further reports in the past 3 weeks. One resident has moved away from the area and it appears that the problems have now subsided. The team are still monitoring the situation to ensure that it does not start again and would urge residents to report any ASB at the earliest opportunity to prevent it getting worse.

I attended the monthly priority setting meeting at the end of last month and we have now switched our third priority to look at the problem of off road bikes using the land in Tattingstone, Bobbits Lane and Bramford areas. I have allocated this to a police officer on the team who has spent a considerable amount of time looking at the problem and what can be done from a multi agency point of view to reduce the issues and prevent bikes accessing the various locations. The team are working with the land owners, local farmers, Brett Aggregates and the council and attend the sites on a regular basis. This has been a problem for a number of years and although it may take some time to address it, every possibility is being considered. So far three males have been issued with Section 59 warning notices under the Police Reform Act and should they use their bikes in an anti social manner again will then have their vehicles seized from them. One male is also being investigated for a criminal offence and evidence is still being collated in relation to this.

Residential burglaries are still being reported to police and I would like to reiterate the need to secure your house when leaving it unattended. During the hot weather windows and doors are opened but this is the perfect opportunity for someone to access your house so please ensure all windows and doors are closed and locked. If you see anything suspicious at all then please call police immediately.

If you would like to view crimes which may be happening in your area then these figures are available through the Suffolk Constabulary website or Police.uk. You can also follow the team on twitter @HadleighPolice to see what we have been dealing with and upcoming events in your area.

In the meantime I can be contacted via phone on 101 or e-mail the team at HadleighSNT@suffolk.pnn.police.uk

Regards

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FURTHER INFORMATION

THIS SNT COVERS THE PARISHES OF:

Akenham, Aldham, Barham, Belstead, Bentley, Bramford, Brantham, Burstall, Capel St. Mary, Chattisham, Chelmondiston, Claydon, Copdock and Washbrook, East Bergholt, Elmsett, Erwarton, Flowton, Freston, Great Blakenham, Hadleigh, Harkstead, Hemingstone, Henley, Higham, Hintlesham, Holbrook, Holton St. Mary, Kersey, Layham, Little Blakenham, Nayland-with-Wissington, Nedging-with-Naughton, Pinewood, Polstead, Raydon, Semer, Shelley, Shotley, Sproughton, Stoke-by-Nayalnd, Stratford St. Mary, Stutton, Tattingstone, Wenham Magna, Wenham Parva, Whatfield, Wherstead, Woolverstone, Whitton.



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