

May 2018

SNT Newsletter

Ipswich West

You said...

ASB has increased in the area of Newnham Court and St Catherines Court.

We did...

Street meet has been arranged in the area to gauge the full extent of the problems.

Inspector Kevin Horton



Responding to issues in your community

We have provided some resources to Hadleigh to help with an emerging issue they had there with youths congregating in the park areas and reports of drug use and ASB for which they have been grateful for.

Our Pc's continue to patrol the priority areas on the West of the town to deal with our ongoing issues in parks and open spaces now that the weather has warmed up and the days are longer.

We have been looking at protecting the vulnerable within the community and have been attending multi agency meetings around young people going missing and how they can be protected.

We have been able to liaise with partners to secure a new address for an elderly male that had been the victim of cuckooing protecting him for the long term. Along with partner agencies we have also had a fence erected and windows repaired to another address where there were ASB issues.

Making the community safer

Work is underway to look at preparing this years Operation Parkland to tackle ASB and associated crime during the summer months throughout the Southern area of Suffolk. This will include the use of the Special Constabulary and meetings have already been held with them and the council ASB team.

Work continues with the open spaces in the West of Ipswich which is driven by needle finds. Ipswich parks and the police are in close contact to see where the problem areas are and how it can be reduced. We have made it into the Local wildlife News after the Ipswich Wildlife Group assisted in clearing drug dens at Alderman Rec.

A homeless sweep has been carried out by the SNT and has identified a potential issue around Avalon Court. There is already a tactical action plan in place for the Quay area and work is ongoing.

There has been a positive drugs warrant actioned in Whitton where there was an arrest for possession with intent to supply class A drugs.

Future events

The YMCA youth bus will be visiting Chantry Academy every Thursday night.

Public meeting with the Suffolk PCC and Suffolk's Chief Constable at Nansen Road Baptist Church, Ipswich, IP3 9HN

14/05/18 Street Meet Newnham Court and St Catherines Court.

Alderman Park funfair from the 18/5/18 to 5/6/18 for the half term.



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Preventing, Reducing and Solving Crime and ASB

The constabulary are currently in consultation with the council around the public space protection order that has now come up for review. This gives a multi agency approach to looking at ASB and associated problems around open spaces across the Borough and how it can be tackled.

This is at the stage of evidence gathering and when there is an update around what conditions are to be put forwards we will publish them. Part of the evidence gathering stage will be a public consultation period and it is important if you have a view around open spaces that you take the time have your say. This has been advertised on radio Suffolk and there will be further updates closer to the time.

We continue to work with the CO-OP ASB team to tackle issues around shop areas specifically Hawthorn Drive.

We hope you are all enjoying the good weather but as a reminder when you go out please make sure you leave your house locked and secure. Also if you are a dog owner please do not leave them in a hot a car.

Ipswich West priorities for May are as follows:-

- 1 - Kerry Avenue- Vehicle Damage
- 2 - Ipswich West Parks re Drugs & ASB (inc Whitehouse, Gyppeswyk, Chantry and Alderman)
- 3 - Newnham Court/St Catherines Court - ASB

This SNT covers the following parishes

Bridge, Castle Hill, Gipping, Sprites, Stoke Park, Whitehouse, Whitton



The Parish of
Whitton
with Thurleston & Akenham

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SATURDAY 12th MAY 2018

10 AM – 12noon

ASCENSION HALL, LARCHCROFT ROAD

**BOOKS – TOYS – GAMES – TOMBOLA – PLANTS – CAKES - CARDS AND PAPER –
GRAND DRAW – FUN FOR THE CHILDREN - REFRESHMENTS**

ADMISSION – ADULTS 30P CHILDREN 10P

ALL PROCEEDS TO CHURCH FUNDS

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