1) There continues to be a concern surrounding drug use and supply in the locality, being brought in from out of area via the good public transport links.

2) Anti-social behaviour appears to be on the rise in and around licensed premises, including public houses and hot food outlets.

The Recreation Ground remains a priority for the Safer Neighbourhood Team and foot patrols are set to continue.

Since issuing a Community Protection Notice in December 2017 the amount of alcohol-related incidents and friends.

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identify the offender(s). The Cafe is well appreciated in the town by parents and families whose children enjoy the

which officers are able to present external CCTV footage. The Town Council and Suffolk Police are keen to

cubicles attached to the cafe are the latest to be damaged. This investigation is live. Interviews are underway in

The Cafe located on the Recreation Ground, Stowmarket, continues to be the victim of damage. The toilet

We did...

1) Proactive drugs warrants and patrols have been conducted. Intelligence teams are building evidence packages and the Safer Neighbourhood Team have adopted a number of locations for 'High Visibility Patrols'. These patrols have been designed to act as a deterrent, enhance intelligence and identify crime.

2) PCSO 3210 Brill has been working with the Licensing Teams in Suffolk Constabulary and Mid Suffolk District Council in order to ensure each Licencee is upholding the conditions described in their license. This is having a positive impact on night-time economy and improving the quality of life for local residents.

Making the community safer

WORKING WITH VULNERABLE PERSONS

Vulnerable persons can include individuals with additional learning needs, mental health issues, victim of domestic violence and looked-after children. Suffolk Police have witnessed a number of vulnerable persons fall victim of crime by individuals exploiting their vulnerabilities.

We have been working with victims in order to improve their personal safeguarding and risk awareness and also partner agencies to ensure a victim-focused approach is undertaken designed to provide the best support, advice and guidance for each individual victim.

The partner agencies we routinely work alongside to provide this support include Social Services, Integrated Delivery Teams (Mental Health), Independent Domestic Violence Advisors and Housing Associations.

Preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB

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Since issuing a Community Protection Notice in December 2017 the amount of alcohol-related incidents and reports of litter has declined.

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This SNT covers the following parishes


create a letterbox or email list of all residents in the area.

4) A victim impact statement can be prepared. This allows the victim to view the damage and impact.

5) If the suspect is caught by the police, they can explain the damage and the impact it has on the community.

6) Victims can also be involved in the investigation by participating in interviews with police officers.

7) Victims can also be given the opportunity to view the investigation process and participate in decisions that affect them.

8) Victims can also be given the opportunity to provide support and guidance to other victims.

Future events

Stowmarket Police Cadets - Stowmarket High School - Saturdays 10:00-12:00 during term time.

Public Partnership Meeting - These meetings are open to representatives from Parish / Town Councils, Residential Associations & NHW to discuss ongoing issues. Our next meeting at Stowmarket Police Station is: Tuesday 6th February 2018 at 10am Due to limited space please contact the SNT via email or phone if you wish to attend either.

Police Surgery with Natwest Bank Advisor designed for customers to discuss online safety, fraud prevention and bank security at Stowmarket Library on 23rd January 2018 between 09:30 and 12:30.

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