

MAY 2016



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YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM REPORT STOWMARKET SNT

COVERING

The wards of Badwell Ash, Barking and Somersham, Elmswell and Norton, Gislingham, Haughley and Wetherden, Helmingham and Coddendam, Mendlesham, Needham Market, Onehouse, Rattlesden, Rickingham and Walsham, Ringshall, Stowmarket Central, Stowmarket North, Stowmarket South, Stowupland, The Stonhams, Thurston and Hessel, Woolpit, Bacton and Old Newton

N/A INCIDENTS RECEIVED

N/A INVESTIGATIONS RECORDED

YOU SAID...

1. Work with vulnerable persons to minimise exposure to criminality .
2. Reduce ASB at public facilities & on school grounds.
3. Reduce the risk of Child Sexual Exploitation.

WE DID...

1. Identified vulnerable communities relating to cold calling, and potential connected offences. Engaged with residents and provided crime prevention advice and tools.
2. Issued 9 advisory notices to offenders of Vehicle ASB, secured a conviction for 4 ASB offences on school premises and businesses connected to a repeat offender and worked with facilities around crime prevention.
3. Engaged in early intervention with persons identified as at risk, increased partnership working to ensure regular communication and reduced repeat missing persons. Raised awareness with school pupils around the misuse of social media and safeguarding relating to 'sexting'.

STATISTICS

SUFFOLK POLICE AND CRIME PLAN PRIORITIES

FIGURES FOR Not Available

Burglary Dwelling

Serious Sexual Offences

Robbery

Drug Trafficking

Violence with Injury

Anti-Social Behaviour



FUTURE EVENTS

Stowmarket Police Cadets - May 21st 2016 1000am @ Stowmarket High School



FURTHER INFORMATION

Crime Statistics -

A new process is currently being put in place in order to ensure the most accurate crime information for the area is provided. Unfortunately this was not available at the time of producing this newsletter. We hope to get this information to you starting next month. In the meantime you can visit www.police.uk and utilise their crime mapper to view statistics on your area.

Police Cadets -

The launch date for the police cadets has changed to the preceding weekend, following feedback from across the area, and will take place on Saturdays during term time. The deadline for applications to join is Monday 9th May for the initial intake, however there will be an ongoing recruitment program to fill vacancies as they arise. There will be 16 places in total.

SNT Update -

The new SNT structure has now been in place for a month and we have already begun to see strong progress and positive work in the different areas the team now cover. The team has been undertaking specific training relating to their individual responsibilities, and developing even closer links within the organisation and our partners.

We have endeavored to attend as many Parish AGMs as possible so far, and will continue to do so over the coming months. Due to the number of meetings we will be asking for next years dates to be provided as soon as possible, in order that we can better facilitate our attendance.

POINT OF CONTACT

YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM

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FURTHER INFORMATION

Priorities -

Our new priorities are set around threat, harm and risk, in co-ordination with our partners, the public and our own internal assessment. This is to ensure that we are truly addressing the issues that most impact our local communities. Each month we will provide an update on how we have been progressing these.

1. Work with vulnerable persons to minimise exposure to criminality -

The importance of this ongoing work was highlighted early in the month when we identified a number of areas which were being targeted by cold callers, who appeared to be connected to criminality. The team responded by engaging with residents early on, providing crime reduction advice and tools, as well as identifying potential offenders. We continue to remind residents not to buy or sell at the door and report any suspicious activity to police on 101, or 999 in an emergency. The SNT will continue to engage with vulnerable areas, and would ask that should you identify anyone who may benefit from our interaction, to contact our Vulnerable Communities & ASB officers.

2. Reduce ASB at public facilities & on school grounds.

The SNT has been working closely with our colleges to identify potential offenders, and has taken preemptive action by issuing advisory letters around Community Protection Notices. This legislation allows us to deal with Anti-Social Behavior by highlighting it to potential offenders, and taking action if their behavior continues. As a result of this ASB involving the use of vehicles has seen a marked reduction so far, and we will continue to take action where necessary. We have also been successful in securing convictions against a number of offenders, as well as out-of-court intervention, in relation to ongoing ASB on our school premises. This has seen offences reduce across the locality, and brought them to an end at one facility.

3. Reduce the risk of Child Sexual Exploitation -

Our youth officers have been working closely with our partners to identify those at risk of child exploitation, and early intervention has seen a reduction in that risk to a number of young people. We have also undertaken work around the issue of 'sexting' providing 1 on 1 education to those involved in order to highlight the potential impact and consequences. The youth team will continue working closely with schools and youth facilities to raise awareness.

Should you wish to contact any of the SNT, you can find their contact details and roles on the Suffolk Police Website under the Stowmarket Neighborhood.

THIS SNT COVERS THE PARISHES OF:

Ashbocking, Bacton, Badley, Badwell Ash, barking, Batisford, Baylham, Beyton, Botesdale, Burgate, Buxhall, Coddendam, Combs, Cotton, Creeting St Mary, Creeting St Peter, Crowfield, Darmsden, Drinkstone, Elmswell, Felsham, Finningham, Framsdan, Gedding, Gipping, Gislingham, Gosbeck, Great Ashfield, Great Bricett, Great Finborough, Harleston, Haughley, helmingham, Hessett, Hinderclay, Hunston, Langham, Little Finborough, Mellis, Mendlesham, Needham Market, Nettlestead, Norton, Offton, Old Newton with Dagworth, Onehouse, Pettaugh, Rattlesden, Redgrave, Rickinghall Inferior, Rickinghall Superior, Ringshall, Shelland, Somersham, Stonham Aspell, Stonham Earl, Stonham Parva, Stowlangtoft, Stowmarket, Stowupland, Thornham Magna, Thornham Parva, Thurston, Tostock, Walsham-le-Willows, Wattisfield, Westhorpe, Wetherden, Wickham Skeith, Willisham, Woolpit, Wortham, Wyverstone.



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