

September



SUFFOLK
CONSTABULARY

YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM REPORT

Woodbridge SNT

COVERING

Alderton, Bawdsey, Blaxhall, Boulge, Boyton, Bredfield, Bromeswell, Burgh, Butley, Campsey Ash, Capel St. Andrew, Charsfield, Chillesford, Clopton, Culpho, Dallinghoo, Debach, Eyke, Gedgrave, Great Bealings, Grundisburgh, Hasketon, Hollesley, Iken, Little Bealings, Martlesham, Melton, Orford, Otley, Pettistree, Playford, Ramsholt, Rendlesham, Rushmere St. Andrew (Village), Shottisham, Sudbourne, Sutton, Sutton

492

INCIDENTS
RECEIVED

192

INVESTIGATIONS
RECORDED

YOU SAID...

Speeding
Parking
ASB...

...Remained a problem

WE DID...

Carried out speed monitoring in variety of locations using both speed camera and speed indicating device. Worked with and supported Community Speed Watch schemes in operation on the district.

Carried out as often as possible patrols of hotspots for parking offences giving advice or issuing fixed penalty notices.

Continued to work with partners to address concerns of ASB around youth clubs, and locations in Wickham Market, Rendlesham, Martlesham and Woodbridge using patrols and ASB legislation.

STATISTICS

SUFFOLK POLICE AND CRIME PLAN PRIORITIES

FIGURES FOR July 2016

Burglary Dwelling

3

Robbery

0

Violence with Injury

12

Serious Sexual Offences

2

Drug Trafficking

0

Anti-Social Behaviour

14



FUTURE EVENTS

| | | | |
|------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Mobile Police Station: | 1000-1130 | 1200-1330 | 1400-1530 |
| 5th Sept. | Campsea Ashe, Train Stn | Eyke, High Street | Bawdsey, Main Rd |
| 6th Sept. | Witnesham, Weyland Rd | Otley, Village Hall | Wickham Mkt, The Hill |
| 7th Sept. | Sutton Heath, Mace | Woodbridge, Thoroughfare | Martlesham, Nr Black Tiles |
| Sergeant Surgeries: | 0900-1000 | 1100-1200 | 1400-1500 |
| 23rd Sept: | Runway Coffee, Martlesham | All Saints, Wickham Mkt | Costa, Woodbridge |

For your information, the next District Tasking meeting will take place on THURSDAY 13TH OCTOBER 2016 at the Community Fire and Police station, Theatre Street, Woodbridge. Please pass any concerns or issues to your parish councillor or ourselves at the SNT.



FURTHER INFORMATION

CORPORATE MESSAGES

LEAD & METAL THEFT

Schools and places of worship are often targeted for lead theft. This can be due to their busy locations, where passers-by may think it's workmen or in isolated places where no-one may be present for long periods of time. Members of the public are asked to report any suspicious activity they see immediately on 101. If you think a crime is in progress, please call 999. Stealing a large amount of lead takes time and a reasonably large vehicle to transport it, so any early reports will assist police in locating offenders.

Chief Inspector Matt Rose said "We are asking local people to be aware of this type of crime and to take an interest in their local school or church whilst they are out and about. If you take the dog out for a walk, or go for a stroll, don't ignore anything that you think looks out of place - report anything you think may be suspicious to the police. Communities can act as our eyes and ears, and by pulling together to note suspicious activity, we can deter thieves and help keep these historic buildings safe".

NEVER LEAVE AN OPEN INVITE

Residents are being advised to "Close it, Lock it, Check it" and be vigilant with their home security to help keep burglars at bay.

During the past month there have been incidents of access being gained via open windows.

The warmer months often bring with them a rise in burglaries due to insecurities, as people have more windows and doors open and forget to close them. Be aware that open windows can be seen as an opportunity for burglars. Please make sure you remain vigilant with your home security:

- Keep your doors locked at all times, even when you are in the house
- Keep windows locked especially at night and when you go out, especially vulnerable windows such as those down stairs
- Do not leave any keys in locks or close to doors or windows. Make sure you have a fire plan so you can get out in the case of a fire
- Check your garden to ensure there is nothing that could be used to force entry with
- Keep back gates locked and make sure that there is nothing that could be used to climb over with, such as a wheelie bin
- Register your valuables for free at www.immobilise.com. If recovered by police they can be returned to you and registration may assist in a prosecution and deterring crime
- Report anything suspicious immediately on 101 or 999 in an emergency

Remember, Close it, Lock it, Check it

Further home security information can be found under the 'Safety Advice' section on the Suffolk Police website www.suffolk.police.uk

Vehicle Crime – Remove valuables and lock vehicles

Police are once again appealing to car owners to always lock their vehicles and remove valuable items.

During the past month there have been several incidents where entry was gained to unlocked vehicles. Some residents are leaving cars unlocked even when the vehicles are parked on driveways.

Police are encouraging car owners to get into the habit of locking vehicles where ever the vehicles are parked and for any length of time. Check that the lock has engaged. Setting an alarm or immobiliser will make it more difficult for a thief. Make use of a garage to make your vehicle more secure.

By doing this, it could make the area less appealing to offenders and discourage them to commit crime.

Suffolk is a safe County, but everyone has a responsibility to help make it even safer.

***You are always welcome to come and meet us at the venues in the events section. Good advice is also available at the following: www.suffolk.police.uk/safetyadvice.aspx and <https://www.askthe.police.uk/content/@1.htm>

Our noticeboard at the police office contains information and advice. Currently it concerns burglary prevention. This information mirrors that available at the above link. Advice and crime reduction items (alarms, light timers etc) are available from the team at the office. Please contact us below.

There are a number of ways you can get in touch with Suffolk Constabulary depending on the urgency and type of request.

By telephone in an emergency always dial 999. Dialing 999 is a must if you are facing an incident or crime right now and you need police help immediately.

The Suffolk Constabulary non-emergency number 101 is the number to call when you want to contact police when it is less urgent than 999.

The non-emergency number is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Alternatively you can report a crime online.

If you want to speak to your local Safer Neighbourhood Team and it's not urgent using email will be quickest and if you want any member of the team will get back to you within 24hrs. The SNT email address is: woodbridge.snt@suffolk.pnn.police.uk

If you have an issue with how the police have handled a local community matter, such as dealing with an incident of ASB, or if you have an issue relating to something like a series of crimes occurring in your area, we advise that you

speak to your locality Inspector Roger Salmon, to highlight your concerns. Inspector Salmon will be able to review the circumstances of the incident/matter and our response and make an assessment about how it is handled.

If the nature of your concern is more serious, we have a formal complaints process and details for this can be found at: <http://www.suffolk.police.uk/contactus/complaintsandcompliments.aspx>

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH SCHEME

There are a number of established Neighbourhood Watch Schemes across the 3 Ward areas. For information on local schemes & to find out how to set up a Scheme, please visit the below Suffolk Neighbourhood Watch Website www.suffolknwa.co.uk

POINT OF CONTACT

YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM

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FURTHER INFORMATION

LOCAL INFORMATION PRODUCED BY YOUR SNT WHO HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF YOUR AREA.

Our priorities changed at the last ASB/ Tasking meeting 1st September 16. See future events for date of next meeting.

1. TO INVESTIGATE CONCERNS AND PROBLEM SOLVE WITH PARTNERS, ISSUES OF ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR AROUND LOCATIONS IN MARTLESHAM HEATH.
2. TO INVESTIGATE CONCERNS AND PROBLEM SOLVE WITH PARTNERS, ISSUES OF ANTI SOCIAL VEHICLES AROUND WOODBRIDGE TOWN CENTRE

WHATS HAPPENING ON YOUR WARD...

WOODBRIDGE

67 Investigations, including 1 DWELLING BURGLARY, 2 BURGLARIES OF OTHER BUILDINGS (SHEDS, GARAGES ETC), 1 THEFT FROM BOAT ON RIVER, 4 OFFENCES OF THEFT FROM OR CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO VEHICLES, 1 THEFT OF A MOTOR VEHICLE, 9 OFFENCES OF CRIMINAL DAMAGE (PERSONAL PROPERTY/ BUILDINGS/ GRAFFITI ETC) AND NO REPORTS OF ASB ON THE WARD.

MELTON

16 Investigations, including 1 BURGLARY OF OTHER BUILDINGS, 1 OFFENCE OF DAMAGE, 1 REPORT OF ASB.

WICKHAM MARKET

6 Investigations, inc. 1 OFFENCE OF DAMAGE, THERE WERE NO REPORTS OF ASB.

RENDLESHAM

8 Investigations, inc. 1 OFFENCE OF BURGLARY (BUSINESS PARK), 1 EXPOSURE (YOUTHS APPEARING TO PRANK PASSING YOUNGER CHILDREN), AND 2 REPORTS OF ASB

DEBEN

17 Investigations, inc. 1 THEFT OF A MOTOR VEHICLE, 1 OFFENCE OF DAMAGE AND 2 REPORTS OF ASB

MARTLESHAM

31 Investigations, inc. 1 BURGLARY OF OTHER BUILDING, 1 OFFENCE OF THEFT FROM OR DAMAGE TO A MOTOR VEHICLE, 3 OFFENCES OF CRIMINAL DAMAGE, 9 REPORTS OF ASB ACROSS THE WARD THAT INCLUDE BOTH VEHICLES AT STORES AND ASB AROUND PLAY EQUIPMENT.

GRUNDISBURGH

14 Investigations, inc. 1 OFFENCE OF A BURGLARY OTHER BUILDING, NO REPORTS OF ASB

FYNN VALLEY

23 Investigations inc. 1 DWELLING BURGLARY, 14 OTHER BUILDING BURGLARIES (APPEARS CRIME SPREE IN ONE GO, NAMELY SHEDS ON ALLOTMENTS), 1 OFFENCE OF CRIMINAL DAMAGE AND NO REPORTS OF ASB.

ORFORD & EYKE

10 Investigations inc. 1 OFFENCE OF THEFT OF / CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO A MOTOR VEHICLE. NO REPORTS OF ASB.

THE DISPARITY IN NUMBERS OF INVESTIGATIONS WILL BE MADE UP OF AGENCY REFERRALS, REPORTING OF HISTORICAL MATTERS AND SUCH CALLS AS DOMESTIC INCIDENTS. ALL INVESTIGATIONS OF NOTE REQUIRING THE COMMUNITIES ATTENTION OR HELP WILL BE BROUGHT TO THEIR ATTENTION THROUGH MANY MEDIUMS. THE TOTALS IN THE STATISTICS BOX ABOVE ARE FOLLOWING A TRAWL BY A COMPUTER CENTRALLY, NOT COMPILED BY A LOCAL OFFICER. THEY MAY INCLUDE OFFENCES FROM SITUATIONS MENTIONED ABOVE AND MANY OTHER SITUATIONS NOT MENTIONED. REPORTS ARE NOW BACK DATED TO ENSURE DATA ACCURACY. THE WOODBRIDGE SNT COVERS POLICE HEADQUARTERS, THAT WILL INEVITABLY LEAD TO A HIGH NUMBER OF INCIDENTS RECEIVED AS COMPLAINTS, REQUESTS FROM OTHER POLICE FORCES AND MATTERS ARISING FROM POLICE CUSTODY WILL ALL BE LOGGED ON THIS AREA.

For more information on the Police and Crime Plan and up to date performance information, visit www.suffolk-pcc.gov.uk

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