

Your Policing Team

I am delighted to be able to welcome 2 new police officers to the team.

Sgt Becky Stokes has joined us from Widnes NPU on a 3 month attachment. Becky will be useful addition to the team and will be able to tackle some of our longer term issues by looking at some longer term problem solving approaches and by working with our partners.

PC Paul Matthews has joined us from our Custody Investigation Unit. Paul has requested to come and work on Warrington East and we are very happy to have him. Paul will be joining our Poulton Team.

Drug Dealer Charged

Following a warrant executed by the team in September 2009 and a subsequent investigation a male has now been charged with 3 charges including possession of class A drugs with intent to supply. The address in question was also a hotspot for reports of anti social behaviour. I am pleased that by acting on Community Intelligence we have been able to effectively stop the activities of people who were bringing misery on the local neighbourhood and bring offenders to justice.

Community Engagement

We have now been to several parish council meetings where we held our monthly pledge meeting and have delivered our monthly report. These reports inform the public about what we have done against local priorities, what we are currently working on and most importantly ask people what they think we should be concentrating on next. I have attended several of these meeting personally and I have been really pleased with the feedback that I have received. We are also in the middle of a number of Community Engagement Meetings held on behalf of The Warrington East Neighbourhood Board. Full details of all future meetings and events can be found on the website.

Facts and Figures

Total Crime	Recorded Crime	Target	Detections	% Target	% Detected
Feb 09	198	264	63	29.6%	31.8%
Mar 09	241	293	86	29.6%	35.7%
April 09	208	217	67		30.8%
May 09	191	224	55		28.7%
June 09	182	218	58		33%
July 09	167	210	66		39.5%
Aug 09	198	224	83		41.9%
Sept 09	192	218	67		34.9%
Oct 09	201	224	51		25.4%
Nov 09	183	218	48		26.2%
Dec 09	175	224	66		37.7%
Jan 10	173	224	45		26.0%
Feb 10	219	202	73		33.3%

The above figures for January include the use of Restorative Justice as a means of providing a positive outcome for people who have been the victims of crime.

There was a significant rise in reported crime for the first time this year. The majority of the increase appears to be attributable to a rise in theft from stores and theft in petrol service stations. We are continuously working with individual premises in order to make them less likely to be a victim of crime. A number of the detections for February were as a result shoplifters being quickly identified by local officers.

We have recently seen an increasing trend of theft from motor vehicles particularly those parked on pub and hotel car parks. We are looking to target these locations with increased police activity. I would once again like to take this opportunity to ask you all to ensure that your vehicles are always left secure and any valuable property

is kept out of sight.

Your Local Officers

The Sergeants have now been given responsibility for overseeing activity on particular Beats and they are ultimately responsible to the Community to ensure that we deliver on the local issues.

Culcheth / Croft / Glazebury

Beat Sgt – Lee Cooper.

Beat Constables –, PC Jon Tetlow, PC Melissa Croft.

PCSO's Stephen Dodd, Maurizio Lucchesi, Sarah Bradburne.

Woolston / Rixton / Glazebrook

Beat Sgt – Graham Robinson.

Beat Constables –, PC Natalie Whitehead, PC Darren Burns.

PCSO's Roger Stevens, Bethan Roberts, Jon Williams.

Birchwood

Beat Sgt - Steve Hilton-Smith.

Beat Constables – PC Gareth Yates, PC Kurt Sixsmith, PC Lyndsey Topping

PCSO's Phil Pickering, Alison Davies, Gina Jones

Poulton

Beat Sgt – Steve Hilton-Smith.

Beat Constables – PC Paul Jukes, PC Jordan Trentini, PC Paul Matthews.

PCSO's Alison Shacklock, Steve Bingham, Mark Culleton.

Dates for your Diary

Monthly Pledge Meetings

Culcheth Parish Council – 16th March, 7.30pm, Age Concern, Jackson Avenue Culcheth.

Croft Parish Council – 16th March, The Village Hall, Mustard Lane, Croft.

Birchwood Town Council – 23rd March 2010, 7pm, Parkers Farm Community Centre, Delenty Drive, Birchwood.

Padgate With Fearnhead Parish Council (Poulton) - 15th March 2010, 7.30pm, Fearnhead Cross Community Centre, Insall Road, Padgate.

Woolston Parish Council – 31st March 2010, 7.30pm Woolston High School.

Rixton with Glazebrook Parish Council – 18th March 2010, 7.45pm, Community Hall, Hollins Green.

Community Engagement Meetings

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Poulton - 11th March 2010, 7pm Fearnhead Cross Community Centre.

Rixton with Glazebrook - 18th March 2010, 7pm St Helens School.

Croft - 23rd March 2010, 7pm Memorial Hall.

Woolston - 31st March 2010, 7pm Woolston Mission, Warren Lane.

Police Surgeries

Woolston - Surgery every 1st Saturday in the month 10 - 11am, Woolston Library, Holes Lane.

Padgate (Poulton) - Surgery every 3rd Saturday in the month 10.30 - 11.30am, Padgate Library, Insall Road.

Birchwood - Surgery every 3rd Saturday in the month 10.30 - 12.00 noon, Birchwood Community Church, behind Birchwood Mall.

Culcheth - Surgery every 3rd Saturday 10.30 - 11.30am, Age Concern, Jackson Avenue.

Poulton – Drop in clinic Hawthorne Centre 25th March 10 – 11am.

Culcheth Bobby in the Lobby every 3rd Tuesday in the month 10 – 10.30am, Sainsburys, Common Lane.

Rixton Surgery 10th April 10.30am School House St Helens Church

Contact numbers

999 - All emergency cases where there is a real threat of harm or damage happening or possibly going to happen or if a crime is being committed. An example is you hear a noise in your garden which cannot be explained away and you fear intruders - then 999

0845 458 0000 this is the main number for Cheshire Police and is staffed 24/7 to report incidents where something has happened but is not an emergency - an example you found some damage to your property and are perhaps unsure of when it occurred.

0845 458 6390 - this is the Warrington East Community Action Team number and is a voicemail. If you leave any messages they are answered daily but may not be dealt with that day due to the work patterns. We will get back to you if you leave your name and contact address/phone number. An example of use for this number is for you to ask for a visit, advice, reporting matters of concern etc.

We also have an email address at warrington.east.npt@cheshire.pnn.police.uk which is answered and actioned like the above telephone number.

You can also find a lot of information on the Cheshire Police website on www.cheshire.police.uk

This will tell you all about the various roles and departments and local policing issues, crime reduction advice and much more.



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