

# Trowbridge Area Board November 2013

### **Neighbourhood Policing**

#### **Current NPT Priorities:**

Up-to-date information about Neighbourhood Policing Teams (NPTs) including profiles, priorities and forthcoming community consultation events can be found on the Wiltshire Police website <a href="https://www.wiltshire.police.uk">www.wiltshire.police.uk</a>

#### **Team News:**

The NPT continues to tackle crime and local community priorities. The NPT remains under the supervision of PS James Brain and PS Jim Suter.

There are a few changes amongst the team for Trowbridge as shown below:

PC Alison Davies, PCSO Phil Greenaway, PCSO Jo Matthews & PCSO Debbie Robbins – Trowbridge Town

PC Jamie Darvill PCSO Nina Marsh & PCSO James Bates— Adcroft & Paxcroft

PC Sonya Stockhill, PCSO Matt Till & PCSO Laura Humphreys – Trowbridge Park

PC Helen Daveridge & PCSO Vicky Huntley- Drynham & Grove

PC Jade Coupland & PCSO Ben Brown – Lambrok

PC Mark Hough & PCSO Maria Badder – Trowbridge Rural

PC Jodie Price continues to provide a support function although she is soon to commence maternity leave.

#### **Overview**

At the foot of this report the performance data is available which covers a 12 month period to September 2013.

I have drawn out key aspects to add some context:

Performance is good across all beats however one crime stands out which continues, at this time, to be the primary focus of activity. That is burglary dwelling.

Although since these figures were published, a number of key arrests have been made and the number of such crimes in decreasing, it remains a priority. Operation Magpie continues across the Sector and brings together various teams within the Force to tackle burglary.

There is 24/7 commitment to offer reassurance and crime prevention within the community as well as disruption of those where intelligence is available for committing crime.

Community intelligence is vital is combating crime and criminals, so any information (or suspicions) needs to be shared with the police.

Key prevention messages remain as:

- Secure your property
- Mark your property
- Record details of identifiable property and/or take photos of your belongings.

This gives the police more of a chance to identify stolen property.

The website <a href="www.immobilise.com">www.immobilise.com</a> can be used to record these details and may

even prevent offenders taking the item in the first place.

Operation Exit continues within the town at weekends. Reported crime indicates that the town remains a safe place for those enjoying the night-time economy. The perception to the contrary needs to be eliminated so that people are encouraged to visit the entertainment.

The town centre team has been increased by one PCSO (Phil Greenaway). This addition is based on the fact that the town is a key attraction for people and as such this allows a greater spread of a visible presence. This is not an increase in PCSO numbers across the Sector but a careful consideration for the need is at this time.

- The review of the team is of constant discussion between the supervisors and I to ensure the right skilled people are in the best place to ensure the best quality service. I mention this as I am currently considering some change with a view to minimal impact locally however of greater benefit to the community engagement on some beats.
- 4 Please don't forget the Twitter addresses that you are welcome to follow to get updates on local policing:
  - @LisetteHarvey
  - @SgtJimSuter
  - @Sgt2517Brain
- Finally, I wish to thank the community for its interaction with the team and Wiltshire Police. We are all part of the community and we need to work together to prevent crime and disorder. The continued support is greatly appreciated.

## Lisette Harvey Sector Commander 25 October 2013

	Crime						
	12 Months	12 Months					
ET Trowbridge NPT	to	to	Volume	%			
	September	September	Change	Change			
	2012	2013					
Victim Based Crime	2729	2422	-307	-11.2%			
Domestic Burglary	138	141	+3	+2.2%			
Non Domestic Burglary	218	200	-18	-8.3%			
Vehicle Crime	303	224	-79	-26.1%			
Criminal Damage & Arson	525	455	-70	-13.3%			
Violence Against The Person	610	577	-33	-5.4%			
ASB Incidents (YTD)	1135	1157	+22	+1.9%			
* Detections include both Counties Detections and Local Desclutions							

Detections*				
12 Months 12 Months				
to	to			
September	September			
2012	2013			
26%	25%			
17%	6%			
2%	4%			
12%	11%			
17%	17%			
44%	35%			

<sup>\*</sup> Detections include both Sanction Detections and Local Resolutions

	Crime				Detections*		
ET11 Trowbridge Central	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	Volume Change	% Change	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	
Victim Based Crime	978	840	-138	-14.1%	33%	33%	
Domestic Burglary	29	28	-1	-3.4%	14%	4%	
Non Domestic Burglary	63	52	-11	-17.5%	3%	4%	
Vehicle Crime	57	55	-2	-3.5%	23%	16%	
Criminal Damage & Arson	171	132	-39	-22.8%	22%	25%	
Violence Against The Person	248	232	-16	-6.5%	45%	40%	
ASB Incidents (YTD)	376	384	+8	+2.1%			
	Crime				Detections*		
ET12 Adcroft & Paxcroft	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	Volume Change	% Change	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	
Victim Based Crime	415	392	-23	-5.5%	21%	21%	
Domestic Burglary	23	16	-7	-30.4%	26%	0%	
Non Domestic Burglary	32	35	+3	+9.4%	3%	3%	
Vehicle Crime	60	50	-10	-16.7%	7%	4%	
Criminal Damage & Arson	92	77	-15	-16.3%	11%	14%	
Violence Against The Person	85	97	+12	+14.1%	48%	34%	
ASB Incidents (YTD)	152	228	+76	+50.0%			
	Crime				Detections*		
ET13 Trowbridge Park	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	Volume Change	% Change	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	
Victim Based Crime	361	314	-47	-13.0%	30%	25%	
Domestic Burglary	21	28	+7	+33.3%	14%	7%	
Non Domestic Burglary	18	17	-1	-5.6%	0%	0%	
Vehicle Crime	34	34	+0	+0.0%	24%	9%	
Criminal Damage & Arson	81	54	-27	-33.3%	17%	24%	
Violence Against The Person	80	64	-16	-20.0%	43%	36%	
ASB Incidents (YTD)	148	185	+37	+25.0%			
	Crime				Detections*		
ET14 Drynham & Grove	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	Volume Change	% Change	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	
Victim Based Crime	402	355	-47	-11.7%	18%	25%	
Domestic Burglary	38	31	-7	-18.4%	18%	13%	
Non Domestic Burglary	40	32	-8	-20.0%	0%	6%	
Vehicle Crime	49	30	-19	-38.8%	8%	13%	
Criminal Damage & Arson	72	60	-12	-16.7%	10%	10%	
Violence Against The Person	61	74	+13	+21.3%	39%	26%	
ASB Incidents (YTD)	191	140	-51	-26.7%			

	Crime					Detections*		
ET15 Lambrok	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	Volume Change	% Change		12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	
Victim Based Crime	187	191	+4	+2.1%	-	21%	14%	
Domestic Burglary	5	17	+12	+240.0%		20%	6%	
Non Domestic Burglary	11	15	+4	+36.4%		0%	0%	
Vehicle Crime	35	17	-18	-51.4%		6%	6%	
Criminal Damage & Arson	37	49	+12	+32.4%		24%	8%	
Violence Against The Person	56	54	-2	-3.6%		32%	26%	
ASB Incidents (YTD)	102	90	-12	-11.8%				
ET16 Trowbridge Rural	Crime					Detections*		
	12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	Volume Change	% Change		12 Months to September 2012	12 Months to September 2013	
Victim Based Crime	386	330	-56	-14.5%		18%	18%	
Domestic Burglary	22	21	-1	-4.5%		9%	5%	
Non Domestic Burglary	54	49	-5	-9.3%		4%	6%	
Vehicle Crime	68	38	-30	-44.1%		6%	13%	
Criminal Damage & Arson	72	83	+11	+15.3%		18%	14%	
Violence Against The Person	80	56	-24	-30.0%		50%	38%	
ASB Incidents (YTD)	165	129	-36	-21.8%				