

# Pewsey Area Board Police Report November 2018

## 1. East Community Policing Team

**Sector Head:** Inspector Chris Martin

**Community Coordinator:** PC 2753 Paul WOODBRIDGE

**Pewsey PCSO's:**



PCSO Paul WHITESIDE



PCSO Sam BURNSIDE

Hello and welcome to this Community Policing Team report,

### **Targeted Patrols Devizes and surrounding areas:**

#### **Theft from motor vehicles**

We have unfortunately seen a rise in the number of thefts from parked vehicles within the area. These have primarily been taking place in car parks for beauty spots but there have been a number where people have had tools taken from vehicles near their homes.

We are giving out the following advice to try and reduce the number of incidents:

- *When leaving your vehicle ensure all valuables are taken with you or well hidden*
- *Ensure your vehicle is locked and secure when you leave it.*
- *If possible, park in a well lit area to deter potential criminals*

#### **Media**

Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/wiltshirepolice/>

Or sign up to Community Messaging <https://www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk/>

## Drugs

There have been 6 drugs offences recorded in the Pewsey area between 01/09/2018 and 20/11/18.

These drug offences include any Class of drug.

## Domestic Abuse

Devizes CPT have dealt with 24 domestic incidents in the Pewsey area between 01/09/18 to 20/11/18.

A number of these incidents resulted in criminal action being taken.

## Missing Persons

Devizes CPT have dealt with 8 reports of missing persons between 01/09/18 – 20/08/18

These missing persons can vary between children, young persons, adults and the elderly. Each individual case is graded appropriately to the circumstances.

## Update re Rural Crime Partnership



### Wiltshire Rural Crime Team

8 November at 10:18 · 🌐

Wiltshire East Community Policing Team officers PC Beth Norman and PCSO Kelly Watts are out and about on [#RuralCrime](#) patrol on Salisbury Plain. 🌿

Rural Crime is not welcome in Wiltshire. You can act as our eyes and ears and report rural crime to us on 101 or 999 if a crime is in progress. 📞

[#UKRuralCrimeDayofAction](#)



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## Pewsey This Month



**Pewsey Police**

Published by Paul Whiteside [?] · 15 November at 23:52 · 🌐

PCSO Paul Whiteside was at Pewsey Cubs on the 15th November 2018 talking about Safety and what the Police do. Thank you to the cubs for their welcome.



**1,360**  
People reached

**101**  
Engagements

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👍 Donna Kirby, Catherine Burley and 4 others

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**Pewsey Police**

Published by Paul Whiteside [?] · 11 November at 21:29 · 🌐

PCSO Paul Whiteside was at the World War 1: Beacons of Light at Milk Hill, Alton Barnes on Sunday 11th November 2018, these ceremonies were held across the country and took place to commemorate the end of World War 1.





## Pewsey Police

Published by Paul Whiteside [?] · 10 November at 15:21 · 🌐

Sgt Pete Foster, Pc Paul Woodbridge and PCSO Paul Whiteside attended the remembrance event on Pewsey Hill yesterday. It was a pleasure to help plant the trees and honour those who gave their lives. Great singing from the school children to.



## Good News

As a result of increased powers granted to Police, we have seen several vehicles seized for having no road tax. This is another useful tool to enable us to disrupt criminality and restrict the use of the roads to criminals in the area.

Clearly not all untaxed vehicles are driven by criminals however it is still an invaluable tool.

## Dangerous and Persistent offenders

Work is continuing with our SWITCH nominals, (those who are identified as persistent and prolific offenders), including intelligence gathering and relevant actions following dissemination. We currently have two nominals within the East Policing Area classified as such and we work closely with our SWITCH team members and partner agencies to manage these offenders.

This month we have accumulated one new offender – we see this as a positive move as the SWITCH team can manage this person.

**Inspector Chris Martin**  
Wiltshire East CPT