WILTSHIRE POLICE

Westbury Area Board Update

Warminster Neighbourhood Policing Team June 2024

Proud to serve and protect our communities

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Warminster Westbury Mere Tisbury



<u>Warminster, Westbury, Mere, Tisbury</u>



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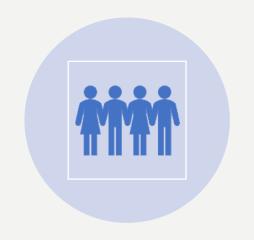








Neighbourhood Policing Pillars







Engaging Communities

Solving Problems

Targeting Activity

Engaging Communities

ENGAGE REGULARLY WITH COMMUNITIES BY HOLDING FACE TO FACE EVENTS

- We will hold at least one public meeting / surgery per month, giving you a chance to meet your local team and find out more information on local policing priorities, crime stats and engagement opportunities
- We will advertise our public meetings and surgeries on the Your Area section of the Wiltshire Police website, on local Neighbourhood Policing Team social media channels and Community Messaging
- Every engagement opportunity will be recorded so we can ensure we are meeting our commitment to you
- We will hold regular face to face meetings and events with a wide range of community groups such as businesses, faith groups, youth groups and residents' associations
- We will bring policing out to your community, through the proactive use of the Neighbourhood Engagement Vehicles.

ENGAGE REGULARLY THROUGH ONLINE CHANNELS

- We will actively use local Neighbourhood Policing Team social media channels to engage with our communities
- Every Neighbourhood Policing Team will host quarterly Facebook Live events
- We will exchange information with those signed up to our Community Messaging alert system via email, text or phone and continue to promote this free service to new members.

INCREASE AND BROADEN OUR ENGAGEMENT ACROSS NEED TO REACH COMMUNITIES

- We will build Community Beat Profiles for each of our Neighbourhood Policing Team to help us better understand the specific communities within our local areas
- We will engage with specific community groups and those living and working in particular geographical areas about those issues that are important or impacts most upon them
- We will work with young people and our partners in education settings to help improve safety, reduce reoffending and, along with relevant other agencies, offer support to those who need it.

PUBLISH INFORMATION ON YOUR LOCAL TEAM, LOCAL PRIORITIES AND UPDATE ON ACTIVITY

- We will provide you with information so you know who your local Neighbourhood Policing Team is by publishing this on the Your Area section of the Wiltshire Police website
- We will publish monthly local priorities on the Your Area section of the Wiltshire Police website and, through our regular engagement with you, we will consult you when we are setting them
- We will provide community updates on activity being carried out to help tackle local priorities
- We will ensure intelligence-led visible patrolling in local communities, at least once a week, responding to local policing issues and concerns
- We will publish local policing updates, wherever possible, in community magazines / newsletters or bulletins.

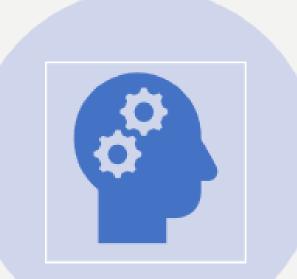
CONSULT AND ENGAGE WITH COMMUNITIES ON KEY DECISIONS

- We will ask the public to take part in questionnaires and surveys to build information and improve our policing service
- We will provide visibility at Parish Council meetings and, in the absence of physical attendance, will provide a written update. We will also support a programme of additional meeting attendance through Area Boards or Community Safety Groups
- We will action feedback, concerns or complaints and tell you what action has been taken. If we cannot help, we will help signpost the public to who can
- We will work closely with our partners, such as local authorities and parish and town councils, and community representatives i.e. businesses, faith groups, schools to tackle community issues
- We will work closely alongside local watch schemes to enable strong partnerships between the police and communities
- We will consult regularly with our Independent Advisory Groups (IAGs) to ensure they have a voice as a critical friend to help shape our policing service.



Solving Problems

- A focus on proactive prevention
- Systematic use of a structured problem-solving process, such as SARA (scanning, analysis, response, assessment)
- Detailed problem specifications based on multiple sources of information
- Involving communities in each stage of the problemsolving process
- Routinely assessing the impact of responses and sharing good practice
- Integration with other parts of the organisation to support its delivery
- Working with partners (eg, by sharing data and analytical resource and delivering responses)



Targeting Activity

- Provide greater focus to community engagement, problem-solving, prevention and early intervention
- Inform resource deployment decisions
- Lead to a more coordinated response with partners
 and reduce demand
- Enforcement tactics



Local Priorities & Updates

Priority	Update			
Farewell to some of the teamfor now.	Since the last Area Board we have had to say farewell to some of the neighbourhood team. Vicky Howick who was covering the Sgt role has moved on to the rural crime team, Tom Newman has stepped up to the acting Sgt role until we appoint a new SGT			
Shoplifting Spike, including Warminster	Warminster - There is an ongoing spike in shoplifting in the surrounding areas, PC HAMEL has taken lead on this and a problem solving approach working with business around shoplifting protocols, prevention and enforcement Days of action and Operations will be taking place in Warminster			
Youth ASB	Warminster - PC Fairley has responsibility and problem solving for Youth ASB – partnership working with youth network and other departments in Wiltshire Council, tackling ASB – Criminal damage, Public order offences and theft Westbury – Tom Newman – long term problem solving approach – CADETS, youth work			
Rural Crime – Burglary and Non dwelling burglaries	Took a spike at the beginning of the year – PC Russell has responsibility and long term problem solving for Dwelling and Non Dwelling burglaries in the rural areas concentrating on Mere and Tisbury – We have seen a significant decrease in the last 6 weeks – Planned Operations have been run to target certain locations and crime prevention advice offered out			
Drugs	We are continuing to work on and gather intelligence around drug use and supply in the area- I have an intelligence officer who assists with this and building any drug intel and warrants to target address , We completed drugs warrants in March on 4 addresses in Westbury – on going investigations – 6 people arrested			

Questions raised at last area board for Warminster around Knife crime statics added for knife crime

Possession of Offensive weapon reports

Warminster sector April 2023 – April 2024

6 reports in the last year - X1 young male seen on train with knife under his belt - Aug 223 - never identified

X1 report male with air rifle shooting out window

X 5 Dv related in private homes – Male charged

We are the lowest in County with Trowbridge, Chippenham, Devizes all being higher between 15 and 35 reports



Working with our Rural Communities /villages

New mobile police stations

To reach our rural communities and villages the team will be out in the New mobile police station when they can – these will be advertised on social media time dates and locations , they will also be at community events .

Parish Councils

We are trying to work more closely with our Parish Councils – Each Parish council should have contact with their Local PCSO who should be offering support – due to the amount of Parish councils its not possible to get out to all meetings face to face

Parish council forum for County Set up by Chief Inspector Brain – via teams for all Parish councils – currently these will be run 4 times a year



Useful Links

For more information on Wiltshire Police's performance please visit:

- PCC's Website <u>https://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk/</u>
- HMICFRS Website <u>https://www.justiceinspectorates.gov.uk/hmicfrs/police-forces/wiltshire/</u>
- Police.uk https://www.police.uk/pu/your-area/wiltshire-police/
- For information on what crimes and incidents have been reported in the Warminster Community Policing Team area, visit <u>https://www.wiltshire.police.uk/police-forces/wiltshire-</u> <u>police/areas/about-us/about-us/cpts/warminster-cpt/</u> to view a crime and incident map and find links to more detailed data

Get Involved

Keep up to date with the latest news and alerts in your area by signing up to our Community Messaging service –

www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk

Follow your CPT on social media

- Warminster Police Facebook
- <u>Warminster Police Twitter</u>
- Westbury Police Facebook
- <u>Mere Police Facebook</u>

Find out more information on your CPT area at: <u>www.wiltshire.police.uk</u> and here <u>www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk</u>



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Warminster CPT

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CPT Warminster covers the areas of Warminster, Westbury, Tisbury, Mere and surrounding areas

To contact your CPT about a community-related matter, such as a school visit, then please email WarminsterAreaCPT@wiltshire.police.uk. Please note that this mailbox is not monitored 24/7.

You are unable to report crimes of any type via email and please do not report any situations that require an urgent response. In the case of an emergency please contact 999 and for nonurgent crimes and incidents, please call 101 or **Report a crime here**

You see a map of crimes in the Warminster area 🖸 by visiting www.police.uk 🗹