

Update for Malmesbury Area Board

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| Update from | Malmesbury Neighbourhood Policing Team |
| Date of Area Board Meeting | Wednesday, 4th May, 2016 |

Headlines

- **Road Safety**

- **Licensing visits**

- **Drug dealer awaiting sentencing**

- **Horse Tags**

Future Events/Dates for the diary

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Road Safety

Following a number of collisions at the Callow Hill crossroads on the B4042 , local Police were able to work in partnership with Wiltshire Council to ensure that damaged surfaces and worn markings could be repaired and replaced as a priority, this is an excellent example of how we work closely with our partners, sharing information and working together to improve matters of concern in our community.

Licensing Visits

Malmesbury NPT officers recently visited a number of licensed premises in the area on a busy Saturday night with the Wiltshire police Licensing Officer. The purpose of the visits were to reinforce the import role that local Licensees have in working with the Police to reduce alcohol related violent crime and disorder, the visits appeared to be

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well received by the licensees with some useful discussions. It is our intention to continue this useful process, working in partnership with Local stake holders.

Drug Dealer Awaiting Sentencing

A young male, who was targeted by local officers due to his substantial involvement in the supply of drugs in the area, is awaiting sentencing at Crown Court for driving and supply of drugs offences.

Horse Tags

In the last 12 months, approximately 175 calls were made to Wiltshire Police regarding loose horses. Concerned at the amount of Police time spent trying to reunite Horses with their owners, PC Marie Poole and PCSO Lareine of Malmesbury Neighbourhood Policing Team came up with the idea of promoting the use of ID tags being attached to a braid on a horses mane or head collars to help identify the owner if they escaped or were lost. A simple solution that dog owners have been using for years that would help officers or the public reunite horses with their owners.

This idea has been well received by many of the community and was spotted by the local media, who decided to promote the story in the local press.

Signed: Police SGT 1362 Philip Connor

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