

Crime and Community Safety Briefing Paper Malmesbury Community Area Board July 2014



1. Neighbourhood Policing

Sector Commander: Insp Mark Thompson

NPT Sgt: Martin Alvis

Town Centre Team

Beat Manager – PC Rachel Webb

PCSO – Dee Curran

Malmesbury Rural Team

Beat Manager – PC Mike Tripp

PCSO – Durry Maule

Ashton Keynes & Minety Team

Beat Manager – PC Steve Harvey

2. NPTs - Current Priorities & Consultation Opportunities:

Up-to-date details about Neighbourhood Policing Teams including team membership, current priorities and forthcoming community consultation events can be found on our Wiltshire Police Website.

□ Visit our website at: www.wiltshire.police.uk

3. Performance and Other Local Issues

EY Malmesbury NPT	Crime				Detections*	
	12 Months to May 2013	12 Months to May 2014	Volume Change	% Change	12 Months to May 2013	12 Months to May 2014
Victim Based Crime	452	445	-7	● -1.5%	21%	13%
Domestic Burglary	29	35	+6	● +20.7%	14%	0%
Non Domestic Burglary	64	80	+16	● +25.0%	0%	1%
Vehicle Crime	41	51	+10	● +24.4%	2%	6%
Criminal Damage & Arson	88	64	-24	● -27.3%	23%	23%
Violence Against The Person	87	75	-12	● -13.8%	54%	37%
ASB Incidents (YTD)	270	182	-88	● -32.6%		

I am really pleased to report a fall in violent crime and criminal damage with 46 fewer offences reported in the rolling 12 months. ASB has seen a huge drop of just over 32% that is 88 less incidents in our community.

As you can see and as expected we have had a rise in some crime over the rolling 12 months. We have reported on this in previous reports concerning burglaries from sheds and farm buildings.

The team continues to work with the priority crime team and our neighbouring forces to target offenders and recent arrest have been made. Only a few weeks ago we were able to recover some stolen plant equipment to the value of £7,500. These increases relate to 32 extra crimes however overall crime continues to fall and is down on the previous 12 months.

Finally, this will be my last report as Sector Head and by the time of the meeting, a change to our operating model will have been put in place. This means the new Sector Head is Inspector Dave Hobman who works from Monkton Park in Chippenham and he will continue to be supported by Sgt Alvis who you already know. My time working with yourselves has been interesting and I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the hard work that all have shown in making partnership working the success that it is in this Area Board.

Best wishes,

Insp Mark Thompson
Sector Head