Tidworth Area Board Police Report March 2017

1. East Community Policing Team

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Hello and welcome to this Community Policing Team report.

As many of you may have seen in the news over recent months, a number of police services nationwide have invested in body worn video cameras. Wiltshire Police is currently conducting a trial of this technology and will, further to evaluation, look to roll it out to frontline officers and staff over spring and summer.

The technology has had proven benefits in other forces and we are confident that it will help us bring offenders to justice and serve our communities more effectively and efficiently. Body worn cameras are as much about the people behind the lens as they are the people in front of the lens and they will help us to further improve openness and transparency as well as upholding the high standard of service we always aim to deliver.

Throughout March, you may notice Wiltshire Police taking a more in-depth look at equality, diversity and inclusion. At a recent conference for the South West Black Police Association, hosted at Police HQ in Devizes, Chief Constable Mike Veale discussed the importance of recognising and celebrating difference. Having a diverse organisation not only makes the police service more representative of the communities it serves, but also culturally richer and more receptive to different perspectives. We encourage you to keep an eye on our Wiltshire Police social media accounts as we offer an insight about this very important aspect of policing during March.

In addition we will be supporting a national campaign to raise awareness of the dangers of using a mobile phone while driving and to highlight the changes in legislation that come into effect in March.

Thank you for your continued support to Wiltshire Police.

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2. CPTs - Current Priorities & Consultation Opportunities:

- i. Hare Coursing continues as a priority for the whole area. Since the start of this priority In October 2016, there has been 164 actions by the CPT.
- ii. Theft from Motor Vehicles is a priority for the whole area. CPT so far have taken 39 actions since it commenced on 21st January 2017. A lot of media work took place in January. There has been 4 reports in February.

Your local PCSO's have also been carrying out Community Consultations. Consultations are currently taking place at Tesco's, Tidworth. New drop in sessions have commenced with the Welfare Units over the patch. PCSO's also drop into the local restaurants to consult with the Public. Consultations are advertised on Social Media

Local target patrols

Perham Down – Ongoing complaints regarding off road motorbikes and 4x4. Additional patrols have been in place since 20th Jan. 39 additional patrols so far. Warren Hill.

Castle Practice – Complaints of ASB. Patrols commenced on 25th January. 10 patrols so far. Adult male located 22nd February and asked to move on. Male still being monitored by CPT.

Empress Way – Complaints of ASB. Patrol commende on 20th January. 12 patrols so far. Patrol being reviewed as complaints have stopped.

Collingbourne Kingston – Complaints of speeding outside the Old School House. Commend on 20th January. 8 patrols so far, 20th January 1 fixed penalty notice issued. 17th February, 15 people given words of advice and 7 fixed penalty notices issued. Following a recent collision in the village, Inspector Nick Mawson will be attending Collingbourne Kingston next Parish Council meeting on Tuesday 14 March.

Cybercrime

There have been no reported instances of cybercrime since the last meeting.

Domestic Abuse

Amesbury CPT continue to be involved in pro-active engagement. Drop in sessions with the Military have commenced.

High Risk Offenders

The CPT continue to work closely with the Public Protection Department to identify persistent or dangerous offenders, to engage with them and to take positive action where required.

Neighbourhood Tasking Group

3. Wiltshire Police Control strategy

Next meeting takes place on 14th March, 2pm at Ludgershall Council Chambers. We still welcome new members to this group.

Other local crimes

Ludgershall Area-

Drugs – 4 drug incidents in Jan/Feb. Warrants executed 7th & 13th February, both were successful and suspects remain on Police bail.

Tidworth Area -

Drugs – 3 incidents in Jan/Feb. 1 adult caution issued and 2 Cannabis street warnings.

Nick Mawson

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