



Your Neighbourhood

South Rural

Fighting Crime with Neighbourhood Watch



Neighbourhood Watch is the largest voluntary organisation in the UK. Over a quarter of homes across Wiltshire are members, and they work with each other, police, council and other agencies to reduce crime, enhance the community and increase the community spirit.

Each Neighbourhood Watch Scheme is different, as it depends on the area and what the people living there want and need. All over Wiltshire communities face different challenges, different levels of anti social behavior and other problems that can affect their community.

It involves the police, community safety officers of local authorities, voluntary organisations and, above all, individuals and families who want to make their neighbourhoods better places to live.

It is established country-wide, in urban and rural areas alike, as local neighbourhood schemes, and town, city and county associations; with representation at police-force area, regional, and national levels.

More and more schemes are broadening their work. Neighbourhood Watch is also about bringing people closer together and involving them in local life. A stronger community spirit grows as people get to know each other and look out for one another. Anyone can join a Neighbourhood Watch Scheme and everyone can play a part in its achievements.

Neighbourhood Watch exists to encourage neighbourliness and community cohesion. Improve the quality of life for local residents and tenants.

Neighbourhood Watch does this by being a part of a community based organisation, involving residents and tenants working together.

These in turn work within a local partnership with the Police, Local Authority, Fire and Rescue Services, the Voluntary Sector and many other Agencies. Sharing information with the police and other agencies concerning matters that affect their every day lives.

In recent months Salisbury has been working on enhancing its Neighbourhood Watch by splitting Salisbury into smaller Areas aiding management of the schemes.

Co-ordinators - will be involved in the distribution of Information sent out by their neighbourhood policing team, news letters etc. to their members and passing on any of their concerns to the Area Co-ordinator or to the Police.

Schemes - are made up of local residents and tenants (*Members*).

We are currently recruiting for more Area Co-ordinator, Scheme Co-ordinators and Members. in your area

Area Co-ordinator – is a person who will organise and manage schemes in their Area, they will be the first point of contact for both the Police and the Scheme Co-ordinators.

Scheme Co-ordinator - will be a first point of contact for the Area Co-ordinators and their members.

For an informal chat about Area/Scheme co-ordinators contact your Neighbourhood Policing Team by filling in the details below and returning by post, E-mail, to a police office, or the police station.

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Name..... Phone Number.....

Address.....

E-mail.....

Please place a tick in the appropriate box.

Interested in becoming Area Co-ordinator Scheme Co-ordinator Member

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