

Crime and Community Safety Briefing Paper
Southern Community Area Board
31st January Winterslow Village Hall



1. Neighbourhood Policing

Team Sgt: PS Dave Lennane

Alderbury & Laverstock Beat: PC Henry Clissold PCSO Stephanie Dutton PCSO Rachel Gunn

Downton Beat: PC Matt Holland PCSO Luke Taylor

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 the new and improved website at: www.wiltshire.police.uk

3. Performance and Other Local Issues

The overall crime position is healthy and stable with most areas comparable to last year or reduced; the exception being offences of Criminal Damage. This is consistent with the wider Salisbury Sector in that both Salisbury & South West Community Areas reflect this same trend. There is no specific pattern to this offending and it appears to be random in terms of location and type of offender. The two areas we can usefully tackle are those offences that are alcohol related and specific to antisocial behaviour hotspots. In South Wiltshire this has meant some very specific work at Spider's Island Alderbury which has reduced antisocial behaviour and linked crimes recently and the recent investigation into damage to bus shelters. The bus shelter damage was linked to a 'one-off' domestic incident. Our team will continue to keep a watchful eye on this issue.

This week has seen a tragic road traffic collision involving a pedestrian on the A36 Whiteparish. I have updated the local Parish Council around this incident and will deal with any questions related to this incident at the Area Board Meeting. The investigation is ongoing with our Serious Collision Investigation Team.

CRIME & DETECTIONS (Jan 2012 – Dec 2012) compared to previous year

EU Southern Wiltshire	Crime				Detections	
	January 2011 - December 2011	January 2012 - December 2012	Volume Change	% Change	January 2011 - December 2011	January 2012 - December 2012
Victim Based Crime	686	640	-46	-7%	13%	14%
Domestic Burglary	38	27	-11	-29%	13%	26%
Non Domestic Burglary	119	119	0	0%	3%	5%
Vehicle Crime	97	83	-14	-14%	4%	8%
Criminal Damage & Arson	120	164	44	37%	7%	12%
Violence Against The Person	106	70	-36	-34%	53%	46%
ASB Incidents (Year to Date)	345	277	-68	-20%		
Wiltshire Police are compared against a group of 8 most similar forces. Wiltshire Police have performed in line with peers and better than average for Victim Based Crime and Domestic Burglary in the previous 12 month period (December 2011 - November 2012).						
* Detections include both Sanction Detections and Local Resolution						

**Andrew Noble
Inspector**