

Crime and Community Safety Briefing Paper Marlborough Community Area Board May 2014



1. Neighbourhood Policing

Sector Commander: Insp Mark Thompson

NPT Sgt: Sgt Barry Reed

Marlborough Town Centre Team

Beat Manager – PC Anthony Boardman
PCSO – Mark Braithwaite

Marlborough East Rural villages Team

Beat Manager – PC Jeremy Batchelor
PCSO – Jonathan Mills

Marlborough West Rural villages Team

Beat Manager – PC David Tippetts
PCSO Polly Ritchie

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

Firstly, as of 31st March 2014, the organisation re-structured slightly which means a change of line management for me and the NPT. We now come under the supervision of Superintendent Nick John and his geographical responsibility covers the north and central part of Wiltshire. I know it is his intention to attend the Area Board at some point and he is looking forward to working with partner agencies in his new role.

We are continuing to see a general overall fall in crime and anti social behaviour compared to last year and we are currently showing a reduction of 10% in victim based crime compared to the same period last year. This is excellent news although there has been a recent spate of theft of catalytic converters in the Marlborough Town area. This has been linked by analysts to similar offences in the Devizes and Malmesbury area and travelling criminals are believed to be responsible as neighbouring force have also suffered

It goes without saying that the reductions seen over the past year would not be possible had it not been for the support and engagement we have with our communities, so for that I say a big thank you.

Insp Mark Thompson
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Malmesbury and Marlborough.