

**Crime and Community Safety Briefing Paper
Southern Community Area Board**



1. Neighbourhood Policing

Team Sgt: PS Dave Whitby

Alderbury & Laverstock Beat: PC Henry Clissold PCSO Rachel Gunn

Downton Beat: PC Matt Holland PCSO Matt Smith

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.

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3. Performance and Other Local Issues

Crime figures are looking good at the moment with an overall reduction of 26% an actual reduction of 160 crimes on this time last year. Of particular note is the 33% reduction in dwelling burglary, although burglary figures are so low in the area that this large percentage decrease actually equates to only 7 burglaries.

Violent crime is the only area showing an increase as there have been an extra 6 crimes this year. Detections for Violent crimes are currently running at 45%, which is above last year and well above the Force generally. Although, there is no one specific reason for the increase in violent crimes, the Force is currently targeting domestic abuse offenders. This is a particularly horrible and secretive crime and it is really hoped we can have a significant impact through both education and enforcement.

EU Southern Wiltshire NPT	Crime				Detections*	
	12 Months to September 2013	12 Months to September 2014	Volume Change	% Change	12 Months to September 2013	12 Months to September 2014
Victim Based Crime	615	455	-160	-26.0%	18%	13%
Domestic Burglary	21	14	-7	-33.3%	14%	7%
Non Domestic Burglary	85	68	-17	-20.0%	2%	0%
Vehicle Crime	82	64	-18	-22.0%	22%	2%
Criminal Damage & Arson	126	78	-48	-38.1%	16%	8%
Violence Against The Person	87	93	+6	+6.9%	41%	45%
ASB Incidents	352	267	-85	-24.1%		

* Detections include both Sanction Detections and Local Resolutions

Inspector Dave Minty