

Marlborough Area Board

January 2015



1. Neighbourhood Policing

Team Sgt: Clare Wallace

Town Centre Team

Beat Manager – PC Stan Boardman
PCSO – Mark Braithwaite

Rural West Team

Beat Manager – PC Dave Tippets
PCSO – Pauline Ritchie

Rural South Team

Beat Manager – PC Nick Spargo
PCSO – Vacant

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 website at: www.wiltshire.police.uk

3. Police and Crime Commissioner: Mr Angus Macpherson

PCC website: www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk

4. Local Issues

- In response to community concerns raised around the speed of traffic at many locations a day of action was planned by the Marlborough team and subsequently conducted on the 26th November. Officers from Marlborough and Pewsey NPT, with support from the Tri-force collaboration of Traffic Officers operated at numerous check sites and vehicles were stop for speeding offences or other traffic related matters. As a result of this activity 83 verbal warnings were given, 22 fixed penalty notices issued, 1 vehicle seized and 1 person reported for summons for motoring offences.
- On the 10th December a male from West Overton stopped and found in possession of cannabis. He was subsequently charged to appear in court, was convicted of the offence and fined.
- 19th December male from Marlborough found in possession of cannabis and was summoned to court.
- 28th December male form Aldbourne arrested for criminal damage at a pub in Marlborough. Following the investigation He was dealt with out of court by the issue of an Adult caution.
- The Launch of community messaging in Marlborough was really successful. To date over 200 people have signed up. However with a population of over 8000 we will continue to push the sign up for the scheme.

- Since last area board on the 25th November we have had 6 thefts from motor vehicles at beauty spot / dog walking locations. This offence type will remain a priority for the foreseeable time due to the frequency of the offences. PC David Tippetts is tasked with this priority and is working to reduce offences through prevention, gathering intelligence on offenders and bringing them to justice. Activities will include area patrols, placing posters, delivering leaflets, speaking to those using the areas, and working with partners (Councils and landowners) and the media as prevention is easier than prosecution.
- Other offences - Between Christmas and New Year 3 shoplifting offences were reported. A female has been arrested and remains on Police bail while our enquiries are concluded. A suspect for an assault has been identified and is currently being dealt with by NPT.

We have seen a decrease in local community intelligence recently and would urge members of the community to report incidents/suspects through -tel. 101, email – Marlboroughnpt@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk or Crimestoppers 0800 555 111

CRIME & DETECTIONS (compared to previous rolling 12 months)

EH Marlborough NPT	Crime			
	12 Months to December 2013	12 Months to December 2014	Volume Change	% Change
Victim Based Crime	620	589	-31	-5.0%
Domestic Burglary	23	19	-4	-17.4%
Non Domestic Burglary	93	71	-22	-23.7%
Vehicle Crime	123	113	-10	-8.1%
Criminal Damage & Arson	125	87	-38	-30.4%
Violence Against The Person	94	96	+2	+2.1%
ASB Incidents	299	248	-51	-17.1%

The above figures continue to reflect the low level of incidents in the Marlborough Area.

Matthew Armstrong
Sector Inspector,
Devizes Melksham Pewsey Marlborough