Update for Malmesbury Area Board

Update from Malmesbury Neighbourhood Policing Team

Date of Area Board Meeting

Headlines

- Drugs
- Safe Drive-Stay Alive
- Cyber Bullying
- Malmesbury Pub Watch Scheme.

Future Events/Dates for the diary

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- Drugs

The Malmesbury NPT Teams have been working closely with our plain clothes colleagues in Local Priority Team, to target a suspected drug dealer. As a direct result of our proactive work a male was recently arrested. At the time of his arrested the male was found to have a quantity of controlled drugs on his person, and a large amount of cash, the investigation is still ongoing and the male is currently on Police bail with robust bail conditions.

Safe Drive- Stay Alive

Malmesbury NPT officers recently attended a powerful presentation supporting the Fire Brigade and other agencies about the dangers of poor driving decisions and the awful consequences for those affected by serious collisions. This presentation is a hard hitting graphic multi agency approach aimed at young drivers to reduce serious and fatal injuries on our roads. The safe Drive App can be downloaded from Apple and Android stores.


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**Cyber Bullying**

Malmesbury NPT officers have been in local primary schools delivering lessons in regard to cyber-bullying in line with Wiltshire Police's Operation POLITE. They have been very impressed with the knowledge of the year 5 and 6 groups and actually learnt a thing or two themselves from the children!

Malmesbury Police Station has also been supporting Malmesbury School as they took the lead with an excellent presentation to a select group of pupils who were identified as being involved in poor behaviour at the school. It was good to see their realisation of what they had done and how their behaviour may have had an impact on others.

Useful information aimed at young persons can be found at the following web site:  
http://www.bullying.co.uk

**Malmesbury Pub Watch Scheme.**

The Malmesbury NPT team have been looking at ways to improve the already successful Malmesbury Pub watch scheme.

A meeting was arranged earlier this month where most the town Licensees attended. PCSO Lareine will be representing the Police, and we have agreed to improve the information sharing protocol to ensure those who engage in violent/ disorderly behaviour and or drug abuse in Licence premises, will be managed robustly.

The Police have now set up a data base that can be used to gather proportionate and relevant information, in future any person who is found to have been involved in disorderly behaviour within and or associated with a Licenced premise will be referred to the Malmesbury Pub watch scheme.

If a decision is made for that individual to be banned from all Licenced premises (who are part of the scheme) the individual will be given the opportunity to sign up and agree to certain conditions (including having their photograph taken). Full cooperation with the scheme will result in a reduction of the time an individual is banned from licenced premises. This is an excellent example of the Police working with local stakeholders, to ensure there is a partnership approach in maintaining the high standards and quality of life in the town for all to enjoy.
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