



1. Neighbourhood Policing

Sector Commander – Inspector Christian Lange

Team Sgt: Martin Phipps

Tidworth Town

Beat Manager – PC David Griffith

PCSO – Mike Tryhorn

Ludgershall and Rural

Beat Manager – PC Ivor Noyce

PCSO – Maria Downham

PCSO – Philippa Royston

Wellington Academy – Safer Schools Partnership

PCSO – Aaron Heath

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

There will be a few staff changes to the Tidworth area policing team in May and PS Mark Freeman moves to Salisbury to carry out Acting Inspector duties. Mark has been part of the Tidworth team for many years and he will be sadly missed by his team and the community that he has served. Mark will be replaced by PS Martin Phipps who is moving over from Amesbury. Martin is a very experienced neighbourhood policing sergeant.

PCSO Phillippa Royston is also be leaving at the end of May as she has been successful in her application to become a Police Officer. She has worked in the Ludgershall area for several years and is well known by the community. We wish her all the very best for the future.

The crimes levels that have been recorded by Wiltshire Police in the Tidworth area have increased over the past year but crime levels are still lower than those recorded in 2010/11. It is interesting to note that the level of crimes that have been recorded by the MOD police in the area has seen a significant reduction and it is likely that crimes that were being reported to MOD police are now being recorded by Wiltshire Police. I suspect that the crimes taking place in the community area have remained stable over the past year.

Anti-social behaviour has continued to drop with 144 fewer incidents being reported this year compared to the previous year. This represents a reduction of 21%. The Neighbourhood Policing Team has been working hard over the past year to tackle the route causes of anti-social behaviour and this is increasingly meant working with parents of some of the young people to ensure that they take responsibility for the ASB caused by their children.

You may have heard me speak at previous meetings about catalytic converter thefts and also the theft of diesel. These crimes were causing a great deal of problems for this community about 6 months ago. I am pleased to report that, after a great deal of effort by our detective colleagues, a number of offenders will soon be charged with over 70 of these offences which occurred across the whole of the county.

Christian Lange
Sector Commander for Amesbury and Tidworth

CRIME & DETECTIONS (April 2012 to April 2013 compared to previous year)

EL Tidworth NPT	Crime				Detections*	
	12 Months to April 2012	12 Months to April 2013	Volume Change	% Change	12 Months to April 2012	12 Months to April 2013
Victim Based Crime	529	576	+47	+8.9%	26%	22%
Domestic Burglary	15	15	+0	+0.0%	0%	7%
Non Domestic Burglary	54	55	+1	+1.9%	24%	2%
Vehicle Crime	56	53	-3	-5.4%	20%	4%
Criminal Damage & Arson	125	133	+8	+6.4%	30%	21%
Violence Against The Person	144	166	+22	+15.3%	40%	44%
ASB Incidents (YTD)	667	523	-144	-21.6%		

Wiltshire Police are compared against a group of 8 most similar forces.

* Detections include both Sanction Detections and Local Resolution