

Crime and Community Safety Briefing Paper
Calne Community Area Board
24th August 2010



1. Neighbourhood Policing

Team Sgt: PS Phil Connor

Town Centre Team

Beat Manager – PC Hans Monahan

Patrol Officer – PC Emma Reed

PCSO – Barry Mussard

PCSO – Shelley Gray

PCSO – Gaynor Bennett

Rural Team

Beat Manager – PC Alan Blake

PCSO – Sarah Hardwidge

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. Police Authority Representative: Cllr Chris CASWILL

Please contact via Wiltshire Police Authority Tel. 01380 734022 or <http://www.wiltshire-pa.gov.uk/feedback.asp>

4. Performance and Other Local Issues.

There has been a reported increase in burglaries over the past months. Officers from the Calne NPT team identified possible suspects which resulted in several arrests being made last month. Following these arrests and working closely with the Priority crime team, I am pleased to report that a male has admitted most of the burglaries and has been charged accordingly.

In recent months the NPT Team at Calne identified an increase in reported violent crime, data clearly links some of these assaults as alcohol related, and in particular violent crime in the Town Centre associated with the late night economy. We shared this information with licensees at a recent pub watch meeting and agreed we should work together in tackling the issue and taking a robust stance against those who engage in conduct linked to violent crime.

Police Officers have increased patrols of relevant licensed premises and PC Reed has made significant changes to the Calne Pub Watch scheme to ensure those persons who are banned by the scheme, can be quickly identified by all police Officers via our internal database. The hard work of Police Officers working in partnership has shown a significant reduction in reported violent crime.

A member of our community has been responsible for a significant rise in anti social behaviour and criminal activity over several years. The known individual has been the subject of Anti Social Behaviour meetings with Wiltshire council for some time and several months ago all partners agreed the Police would seek a post conviction ASBO application. This has been a huge amount of work for all concerned and I am pleased to report that in June this year Judge Simon Cooper granted an interim ASBO against the individual concerned with significant conditions.

CRIME & DETECTIONS FOR CALNE NPT

(AUG 2009 to JULY 2010 compared to previous year)

CALNE	CRIME				DETECTIONS	
	AUG 2008 - JUL 2010				AUG 2008 - JUL 2010	
	2008/09	2009/10	+ / -	% Change	2008/09	2009/10
Violence Against the Person	207	245	38	18.4%	58.0%	46.5%
Dwelling Burglary	42	53	11	26.2%	11.9%	32.1%
Criminal Damage	261	226	-35	-13.4%	19.2%	9.7%
Non Dwelling Burglary	98	107	9	9.2%	2.0%	10.3%
Theft from Motor Vehicle	26	64	38	146.2%	0.0%	1.6%
Theft of Motor Vehicle	8	13	5	62.5%	12.5%	15.4%
Total Crime	918	1046	128	13.9%	30.0%	25.3%
County Division is compared with 15 most similar divisions in other Forces. Currently County Division is performing very well and is ranked 1st (out of 15) for our overall crime and 5th (out of 15) for our overall detection levels						

Anti-Social-Behaviour – reported incidents (Over the last 12 months)

JULY-SEPT 2009	OCT-DEC 2009	JAN-MAR 2010	APRIL-JUNE 2010	MONTHLY AVE (09/10)
362	268	279	276	296