



Baydon Parish Council Report

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Hello and welcome to this latest Community Policing report.

Over the last few months Wiltshire Police has rolled out its Community Policing Team (CPT) model across Wiltshire and Swindon.

Any large scale restructuring is naturally likely to have its teething problems but I am delighted to say that so far the response has been positive. I extend my thanks to everybody within the community for their assistance and valuable feedback, which helps us to continuously improve the way we work and ultimately helps us provide the high quality of service you all deserve and expect.

Partnership work has been incredibly important in this process and we are keen to continue, where possible, working in a joined up approach to deliver that high standard of service.

As we head in to the New Year we can look forward to seeing the results of ongoing innovation and investment within Wiltshire Police. Senior leaders within the organisation have made a clear commitment to ensuring the workforce is fit and well for work and have outlined their dedication to embracing innovation and technology so that officers and staff are able to do their jobs serving and protecting the people of Wiltshire and Swindon confidently, effectively and efficiently.

I would like to reassure you that we are working to improve our 101 system. We have made efforts to ensure the service you can expect to receive when calling for non-emergencies is high quality and we are continuing to work to reduce the time it takes to get through to us.

Going forward, as ever, we welcome and encourage your feedback. Wiltshire Police is here to serve you and we always want to know where you think we can improve and of course where you think we have done well. I wish you all a safe and happy 2017.

Our free Community Messaging service will also help keep you updated about policing and crime in your local area <https://www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk/>

Current Priorities Marlborough and surrounding areas.

Dwelling and non-dwelling burglaries.

From a review of the numbers of burglaries in Marlborough and the surrounding area which total twenty nine since the commencement of CPT on 17th October 2016 we have now created this as a priority to allow for targeted patrols, intelligence development and progress in these investigations.

We have experienced a significant reduction in the numbers of burglaries in the Pewsey villages in recent months following our focus upon such a priority; seven burglaries in total reported between 26th October to 28th December 2016 compared with the two months previously which totalled twenty six.

Wiltshire Police will be continuing to limit the number of offences by pro-active policing and ongoing policing operations in these areas.

Community intelligence is crucial for us to achieve this aim so please continue to report incidents, information and any concerns.

Traffic matters.

Officers continue to focus upon this priority which includes speed enforcement. The most recent action in this area was a session in Marlborough by Special Police Sergeant TURNER on 23rd December 2016 as part of a day of speed enforcement throughout the area.

Hare coursing and poaching.

Forty seven targeted patrols completed within this investigation, again to areas where we have experienced coursing activity. Five males were arrested early hours of the 26th November 2016, in the Upavon area, on suspicion of hare coursing and poaching offences, currently bailed pending completion of enquiries.

Closure – Purse thefts.

Our policing priority concerning purse and wallet thefts from Waitrose in the town centre has now been closed, following the identification of two suspects, following circulation of CCTV images. Excellent work conducted by the local officer in partnership with the Town Council. The suspects were from Bedfordshire.

Any Relevant Series for December 2016

Local Crimes

No crimes have been reported to Police for the Month of December 2016, for the Baydon area.

<https://www.police.uk/>

This link will allow you to check stats in more detail for your area, and all surrounding areas.

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