# Warden Monthly Report

Horsham Neighbourhood Resources January 2023



If you witness acts of violence, verbal abuse, drug taking, irresponsible alcohol use or damage to property please report it to Sussex Police via the methods above or anonymously to Crime Stoppers on 0800 555 111 or visit their website: <a href="https://crimestoppers-uk.org/">https://crimestoppers-uk.org/</a>

#### ASB/Crime/Criminal Damage

#### Parking/vehicles

Operation Crackdown reports: Joint initiative with Sussex Safer Roads Partnership and Sussex Police to report abandoned vehicles or anti-social driving: <a href="http://www.operationcrackdown.org/">http://www.operationcrackdown.org/</a>. Did you know Horsham District Council Parking Services offer Shop Mobility <a href="https://www.horsham.gov.uk/parking/shopmobility">https://www.horsham.gov.uk/parking/shopmobility</a> this is a free service and easy to obtain visit Level 2 parking services for more details.

#### Fly tipping/littering/graffiti

If you would like to collect litter in your local area at a time which suits you, Horsham District Council will support you with appropriate equipment through the Adopt a Street Scheme: https://www.horsham.gov.uk/waste-recycling-and-bins/litter-and-street-cleaning/adopt-a-street

Report an abandoned trolley https://www.wanzl.com/en GB/360-degree-service/TrolleyWise

Spotted a problem? Whether it is an abandoned car, dog fouling, fly tipping, or litter and graffiti, you can report it online. It is fast and easy and can be reported at any time, day, or night <a href="https://www.horsham.gov.uk/report">https://www.horsham.gov.uk/report</a>

It is even more important than ever to look out for others be it neighbours, relatives, or friends. If you have concerns about anyone in Horsham who is experiencing hardship, please follow the links below

Concerns regarding Children to West Sussex County Council Children's Safeguarding: <a href="https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/education-children-and-families/keeping-children-safe/raise-a-concern-about-a-child/">https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/education-children-and-families/keeping-children-safe/raise-a-concern-about-a-child/</a>

Concerns regarding adults to West Sussex County Council Adult Safeguarding: <a href="https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/social-care-and-health/social-care-support/adults/raise-a-concern-about-an-adult/">https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/social-care-and-health/social-care-support/adults/raise-a-concern-about-an-adult/</a>

Alternative support: Age UK is an independent local charity working in the local community to help older people their families and carers, providing services to the over 50s. <a href="https://www.ageuk.org.uk/westsussexbrightonhove/activities-and-events/horsham-district/">https://www.ageuk.org.uk/westsussexbrightonhove/activities-and-events/horsham-district/</a>

A Safe and Well Visit is a free service carried out by West Sussex Fire & Rescue Service. It involves a prearranged visit to your home to offer advice on how to make it safer and, where appropriate, fit smoke alarms or other specialist fire detection equipment free of charge. <a href="https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/fire-emergencies-and-crime/west-sussex-fire-and-rescue-service/home-fire-safety/safe-and-well-visit/">https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/fire-emergencies-and-crime/west-sussex-fire-and-rescue-service/home-fire-safety/safe-and-well-visit/</a>

If you are concerned about someone over the age of 18 that you have seen sleeping rough in England or Wales, you can use this website to send an alert to StreetLink. The details you provide are sent to the local authority or outreach service for the area in which you have seen the person, to help them find the individual and connect them to support. It is important to note that if you think the person you are concerned about is under 18 please do not contact StreetLink but instead call the police. https://www.streetlink.org.uk/

Time to Talk - Are you feeling sad, lost or anxious? At Time to Talk, we offer a range of talking therapies that can help you feel better. Our friendly therapists can help you work through your problems and support you to live life to the fullest again. <a href="https://www.sussexcommunity.nhs.uk/services/time-to-talk-nhs-talking-therapies-in-west-sussex/109066">https://www.sussexcommunity.nhs.uk/services/time-to-talk-nhs-talking-therapies-in-west-sussex/109066</a>

#### Abbreviations:

- CBO Community Behaviour Order.
- NW Neighbourhood Warden.
- PCSO Police Community Support Officer.
- ASB Anti-Social Behaviour.
- WSCC West Sussex County Council.
- ECINS Multi agency information sharing database around ASB.
- HASBRAC Multi agency Sussex Police led information meeting around ASB.
- PSPO Public Spaces Protection Order.
- RVS Royal Voluntary Service.
- HDC Horsham District Council.
- WSFRS West Sussex Fire and Rescue Service.
- MUGA Multi Use Games Area.
- MISPER Missing Person.
- MOP Member of The Public.
- WOA Words of Advice.
- FPN Fixed Penalty Notice.
- CSAS Community Safety Accreditation Scheme.





# Your Neighbourhood Wardens



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## IN AN EMERGENCY ALWAYS DIAL 999

### What we can do to assist the community:

- Provide a reassuring, uniformed patrolling presence.
- Provide an efficient eyes and ears service aimed at reducing fear of crime and improving the quality of life.
- Deal with environmental crime issues, notably dog fouling and littering, and help to preserve the environment.
- Reduce incidents of criminal damage and anti-social behaviour by taking enforcement action where necessary, including issuing Fixed Penalty Notices, or referring to the police.
- Support the community by encouraging the establishment of activities for young people.
- Support vulnerable members of the community by preventing isolation.
- Offer advice on crime prevention and fire safety in the home.
- Work in partnership with other agencies to help benefit the community.
- Act as professional witnesses.

### What we don't do:

- We are not a replacement for the police.
- We are not an emergency service or response team. Crime and anti-social behaviour should be reported to the police directly.
- As we do not work 24/7 there will be times when neither warden is on duty.
- When dealing with the elderly and vulnerable, we are not there to provide a care service but we are able to signpost to the relevant agencies.
- We are not parking wardens and cannot issue parking tickets.

If you wish to speak to us in confidence, please give us a call or email Horsham.NeighbourhoodWardens@horsham.gov.uk



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