

Warden Monthly Report

Horsham Neighbourhood Wardens Report April 2024

Patrol hours TOTAL:	108:00	ASB incidents TOTAL:	12
Foot (high visibility) – Denne	72:45	Noise ASB	0
Foot (high visibility) – Forest	17:00	Neighbours ASB	0
Foot (high visibility) – Trafalgar	17:30	Driving/vehicles	0
Notices/warnings TOTAL:	0	Bikes	6
Fixed Penalty Notice	0	Alcohol/drugs	0
Yellow card warning	0	Breaches of UK Laws	6
Community Protection Warning/Notice	0		
Parking alert	0	Clear up/disposal reports TOTAL:	9
Police reports TOTAL:	35	Fly tipping / flyposting	0
Phone (including 101 and 999)	10	Graffiti	0
Email	5	Dog fouling	0
E-CINS (multi-agency reporting)	0	Litter	3
Verbal / Intelligence report	20	Drug litter	1
Media reports TOTAL:	2	Hazards	5
Promotion (Leaflet drop/flyer)	0	Community events attended	2
Social Media, Press Release	2	Reports to Operation Crackdown	0
Other (Patrol/Engagement/correspondence)	86	Safeguarding referral	1
Admin (total number of hours)	16:15	School contact	1
Visits to vulnerable people (all ages)	22	Youth engagement	12
Signposting	32	Reports to DVLA	0

ASB/Crime/Criminal Damage

As Neighbourhood Wardens (NW) we have regularly patrolled with our PCSOs and continued to share information with them.

We have shared relevant information with partner agencies to aid in the prevention and reduction of Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) related incidents within town centre. We have supported a few residents with advice and guidance for those having difficulties with their neighbours and community around them. We continue to encourage members of the public to report all incidents to Sussex Police's website: - <https://www.sussex.police.uk/ro/report/>

We continue to encourage the use of the DISC app which allows businesses to report any ASB or theft in their stores. They then also report to the police. This has been very successful in getting businesses to communicate with each other and creating Police reports.

Community engagement/events/meetings

We visited the Silver Bullet club, an AGE UK group with about 8-15 regular members, we facilitated a visit from West Sussex Fire and Rescue Service (WSFRS). WSFRS offered 'Safe and Well' visits and

several the group signed up. Our visit was cut slightly short when the Fire Fighters had to rush off on blue lights!

This month we visited the Phoenix Stroke Club and provided a personal Safety talk and re-introduced our role. We took part in their quiz and discussed local news and events such as Rishi Sunak's visit to Horsham and the market on the Carfax.

Millais School got in contact and invited us to visit. We are hoping to set up a regular visit where we can make ourselves known among the pupils. This will involve walking around the school grounds during lunch time and providing an opportunity for then pupils to reach out to us.

The Multi-Agency 'Turning Tides' meeting took place at Parkside building. This provided an opportunity for Horsham District Council's Housing team, West Sussex County Council's Adult Services, Turning Tides Outreach workers and Sussex Police to come together and formulate plans regarding individuals of concern. The NW provide a summary of what is seen 'on the ground level'.

Older, Vulnerable People and Young People

AGE UK continue to provide activities and support for our older populations. Please see April's activities and join in!! <https://www.ageuk.org.uk/westsussexbrightonhove/about-us/contact-us/>

We encourage members of the public to support local charities such as Horsham Matters <https://www.horsham-matters.org.uk/> and Turning Tides <https://www.turning-tides.org.uk/> should they wish to donate to support anyone they believe to be homeless.

Cycling

We have asked several cyclists to dismount on West Street. Members of the public also share their concerns and worries. Comments, suggestions, compliments and complaints to West Sussex County Council using this link <https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/about-the-council/have-your-say/>

It was lovely to have some sun and warmer weather. A nice change from the rain.

