Warden Monthly Report

Horsham Neighbourhood Wardens Report September 2024

Patrol hours TOTAL:	99.75	ASB incidents reported to us TOTAL:	0
Foot – Denne	63:30	Noise	0
Foot – Forest	18:45	Neighbours	0
Foot - Trafalgar	17:30	Alcohol	0
Admin Hours	23:45	Driving/vehicles	0
Notices/warnings TOTAL:	1	Bicycles	8
Verbal warning	0		
Parking alert	0		
Yellow card warning (ASB)	0		
Community Protection Warning/Notice	1		
Fixed Penalty Notice	0	Clear up/disposal reports TOTAL:	
Reports into Police TOTAL:	34	Fly tipping / flyposting	0
Phone (including 101 and 999)	9	Graffiti	0
Online	3	Dog fouling	0
Intelligence report	1	Litter	1
Verbal	21	Drug litter	0
		Hazards	8
Media Reports TOTAL:	0		
Press release/Community magazines	0		
Social media posts	0	Community events attended	2
Vulnerable people welfare checks	20	School contact	0
Signposting	47	Youth engagement	7
Safeguarding referral	0	Reports to DVLA	0
Other	58	Reports to Operation Crackdown	0

Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB)

As Neighbourhood Wardens (NW) we have regularly patrolled with our PCSOs and continued to share information with them. We completed 21 joint patrols with our local Town Team.

We have shared relevant information with partner agencies to aid in the prevention and reduction of Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) related incidents within the 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. We patrolled with new BID Ambassador supporting local businesses in town centre.

Members of the public should 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/

Community engagement/events/meetings

We held a "Meet the Warden" drop in session at Horsham Matters Food Bank, to meet with those attending and provide information and guidance. https://www.horsham-matters.org.uk/horsham-foodbank



Older residents, vulnerable people and young people

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

We provided a Safety Talk to those attending Friendship Fridays at Lavinia House. An opportunity to share experiences, discuss concerns and signpost to relevant agencies.

We have also supported several vulnerable people this month, this has included delivering food parcels and signposting to the foodbanks and community fridge. 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

This month we have asked 19 cyclists to dismount on West Street, 8 of these dismounted. We continue to educate cyclists and ask them to dismount when observed on pavements and pedestrianised areas. This is predominantly in West Street. We are working with WSCC Highways to address some of these issues. There continues to be a growing number of bike thefts across the town, members of the public can order their own anti-theft stickers from The Bike Register https://www.bikeregister.com/

Sussex Police have also shared information on how to secure your bike appropriately https://www.sussex.police.uk/cp/crime-prevention/keeping-vehicles-safe/how-safe-is-your-bike/