

ALLOA COMMUNITY COUNCIL 29th November 2016

INTRODUCTION

You will all be aware that your ward officers are

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CALLS TO POLICE

During period 25th October to 29th November 2016, PSoS received 1078 calls to incidents in Alloa;

Beat A01 – 97 calls received for area leading from town towards Cambus. Beat A02 – 244 calls received for area behind Tesco out towards Clackmannan Beat A03 – 191 calls for town centre Beat A04 – 132 calls received for area leading out towards Tullibody

Calls range from public looking for advice from Police, member of the public reporting drug related issues, disturbance, road traffic offences and concern for person. Not all calls result in a report(s) having to be submitted.

RECORDED CRIME

During period 28th June to 30th August 2016,

127 crimes recorded 48 undetected 79 detected

Detection rate 62%, with 81% of the undetected incidents marked as having enquiries still ongoing.

- 26th October house in Burgh Mews reported break in with items removed, male responsible identified, traced and charged with offence.
- 1st November male youth committed a homophobic disorderly offence in Whins Road, identified, traced and charged with offence.
- 4th November male committed Robbery in Alloa town centre, quickly identified, traced and charged with offence, victim was not seriously injured.



- On 29/10/16, 30/10/16, 06/11/16, 12/11/16, 13/11/16 and 27/11/16 a number of Assaults were reported in connection with licensed premises in Alloa town centre, all matters are detected with various males and females charged and reported for each matter.
- 16th November house under renovation in Claremont broken into with no items taken, later targeted on 17th November with windows Vandalised, lines of enquiry ongoing to identify suspect(s).
- 18th November Community Team and Pro Active CID colleagues executed MDA warrant in bottom end area of Alloa, positive recovery of controlled drugs and one male reported for same.

ANY OTHER COMMUNITY ISSUES

Facebook and Twitter – Community Messages can be placed on local Police sites via Community Sergeant.

Letter issued to parents and guardians of pupils at Sunnyside Primary School in relation to ongoing parking issues, appears to have been well received and no issues reported to police from the school since the letter was disseminated.

Parking in town centre still continues to be an ongoing issue, although volume of parking tickets issued by police has significantly reduced. Road markings in the town centre around High street and Shillinghill have now been remarked, as of 27/11/16 and are now fully enforceable, however, parking issues has not been made a priority through discussion with local authorities and focus groups.

Skate Park near Bowmar Centre, Alloa has ongoing issues, whereby the lights are not working and as such the local children are not using the park during hours of darkness, this in turn has meant that these youths have been frequenting the town centre and causing issues to retailers and residents.

Shop Safe radio programme has been reintroduced in the town centre area with around 20 premises now using the system, including the major retailers Asda, Tesco, Lidl, Aldi and Morrisons. This should increase the positive communication between the retail outlets with each other and the police. At this time, exact structure of police involvement is being discussed, Iain and I are monitoring the radio as best we can during our shifts, this may vary with the introduction of other policing staff for assistance.

Community Team have arranged an educational ATM to be in Alloa in early December with a view to informing shoppers of methods used during ATM thefts and Frauds, this will likely be utilised at Morrisons and Tesco with the highest level of footfall at both premises.



NB please ensure property is secure and report anything suspicious. Record make, model, serial numbers of property, security mark, register property, and take photographs.

FEEDBACK FROM MEETING