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ALLOA COMMUNITY COUNCIL 26th January 2016

INTRODUCTION

You will all be aware that your ward officers are

342 Iain Moffat,. 266 Neale Kennedy,

who both pass on their apologise for not being able to attend.

CALLS TO POLICE

During period 24th November 2015, to 21st January 2016, PSoS received 904 calls (in keeping with last period 910 calls) to incidents in Alloa;

Beat A01 – 156 calls received for area leading from town towards Cambus.

Beat A02 – 347 calls received for area behind Tesco out towards Clackmannan

Beat A03 – 251 calls for town centre

Beat A04 – 150 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 call result in a report(s) having to be submitted.

15 calls regarding parking issues around Redwell Primary. Both ward officers, supported by colleagues, when possible have been attending area and carrying out enforcement action. Well aware when Police not there parking by inconsiderate parents/carers on restricted area continues.

20 calls received to Bridge Terrace, regarding noisy music and minor anti-social behaviour. Ochilview/Police have recently conducted joint visits to 2 tenants to warn them regarding conditions of tenancy and further action should behaviour continue.

48 calls received in Alloa regarding noisy music.

90 calls received regarding youths causing anti-social behaviour in Alloa Town Centre. Group of 8 youths identified, visited at various times by Police and warned in presence of parents. Behaviour of some of the group has continued, resulting in them being charged. Directed foot patrols conducted by Police in area. Community Wardens made aware. Social Work and Education made aware and liaison ongoing on further action with these youths.

RECORDED CRIME

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During period 24th November 2015, to 21st January 2016,

194 crimes recorded76 undetected118 detected, including 14 road traffic offences.

Detection rate 61%

18 domestic related incidents.

4 hate related incidents.

On 5th and 12th December 2015, 3 people traced and reported in relation to stealing a 4 figure sum of alcohol from Morrison's supermarket. All 3 wanted in relation to similar crimes in other divisions.

On 18th December 2015, Police investigated a hate related incident after an e-mail received at a local MP's constituency office.

3 drivers traced whilst driving under influence of alcohol. One driver recorded as being 5 times over limit.

13 recorded crimes related to alcohol.

11 drug related crimes recorded. Recovery £50,000 illegal drugs and a local male reported.

ANY OTHER COMMUNITY ISSUES

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

The new Recorded Police Warning Scheme implemented on Monday 11 January 2016. The new scheme allows police officers to use their discretion when dealing with minor crimes.

Parking Alloa Town Centre. Due to Traffic Wardens no longer being employed locally there has been a significate increase in the number of drivers parking (abandoning) their vehicles on double yellow lines, disabled parking bays and taxi ranks around town center. Iain and Neale are more than aware of the issues and when available will conduct enforcement by issuing parking tickets. Consideration for Community Council to maybe raise issue with Council to employ a Traffic Warden.

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

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