

Your Local parish Monthly Update

November 2020

Sevenoaks Town and St Johns / Sevenoaks Eastern / Sevenoaks Kippington / Seal & Weald / Kemsing / Dunton Green / Riverhead, Halstead / Knockholt / Badgers Mount, Brasted / Chevening / Sundridge

Dear Parishes

Welcome to this month's Newsletter

This has been another busy month, and we have been doing a lot of work dealing with the Anti-Social Behaviour. We have a special Operation in progress where PCs, PCSOs and the Community Safety Unit work together to target all the recognised hot spots. Please remember that as the nights are drawing in, it maybe time to sort out any light timers and check any outside security.

Sevenoaks Town and St Johns

We have had a few reports of fraud this month, due to the current situation, there are a few people out there that will do anything to earn / steal money by fraudulent means. Please may we remind residents to always think before agreeing to or giving any bank details. The police, banks and many more organisations will NEVER ask for money / bank details

The Town PC has been working hard again this month, there has been several shoplifters arrested and dealt with, plus on-going work with the town CCTV to recognise potential offenders from other areas.

PSCOs are still paying particular attention to the car parks as well as other areas in the town, targeting drugs, underage drinking and ASB in these areas, this has reduced since the darker nights and the 2nd lockdown. We will continue to monitor the area

Sevenoaks Eastern

This month has been fairly active for this area. We have had reports of nuisance youths, obstructions and Covid breeches. Nuisance youths have been spoken to given strong words of advice, and any who have been involved with drugs have been dealt with accordingly. The obstructions have been dealt with and drivers have been given words of advice, please can we remind you to be mindful where you park, or to be patient if it is a trade / delivery driver.

We are now out of the 2nd national lockdown, but please be aware Kent is in tier 3 and still has several restrictions we all need to abide by.

Sevenoaks Kippington.

We have had a few reports of drugs and drug dealing in the area, these are still being investigated and offenders will be dealt with accordingly.

The other main issue that has been reported is obstructions, please may we remind residents to be mindful where they park and observe any parking signs in the area,

Kemsing

Several young people have been spoken to / dealt with in relation to drugs / drug dealing. PCSOs will continue to target anyone associated with drugs.

This has been another area where we have had calls reporting Covid breeches, these calls are always taken seriously and strong words of advice given on the first occasion, but further action will be taken for those who continue to break regulations

Seal and Weald

Seal and the Weald is one of our quieter areas, but we have still managed to patrol the villages and the outer hamlets. We have received some good information from residents, which is being investigated and intel reports have been submitted.

There has been a small increase in vehicle crime, especially around the back of Knole park, please may we remind people not to leave any valuables in your vehicles at any time, or to lock them in the boot or somewhere where an opportunist will not be tempted

Dunton Green and Riverhead

PCSOs have been out patrolling this area and dealing with ASB. We have attended the local school and given a talk on ASB and we had some good interaction with the pupils at the time. The youth engagement officer was also in attendance and gave an insight of how ASB can affect young people in later life.

There has been a couple of burglaries in the area this month, so we would like to remind residents to check any security they have and report any suspicious behaviour they see in the area. The dark evenings are upon us and it essential we do what we can to protect our property.

Halstead, Knockholt & Badgers Mount

Crime has been quite low this month in Knockholt, Halstead and Badgers Mount, but PCSOs are still patrolling around Broke hill and the surrounding lanes, this has reduced the calls for

nuisance bikes in the area, we will continue to monitor the area and any offenders will be dealt with robustly

Vehicle crime has been reported and is being investigated, please may we remind residents to lock vehicles and keep valuables out of sight. If any suspicious behaviour is seen, please report it to the police via 101.

Brasted, Chevening, and Sundridge

We are still looking into the reports of drugs in the area and would like to ask residents to report anything they see including descriptions of any offenders.

There has been an increase in reports for poaching in the rural part of the area, PCSOs will continue to patrol these areas and take appropriate action if anyone is seen committing rural crime.

Vehicle crime has risen slightly, mainly in car parks such as Toys Hill, please be mindful of where you leave your valuables while you are away from your vehicle and report and suspicious activity.

Kind Regards

PCSOs Sue, Tim and George

Please remember, although we are now out of the 2nd national lockdown, we still need to follow government guidelines **HANDS FACE SPACE**



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