

Minutes of Priority Setting Meeting 24 October 2013 7pm

Attending

PCSO Andy Freeman
Sue Sambells, Bramcote NHW
Roger Jones, Bramcote NHW
Gerry Phillips, Stapleford N NHW
Bill Brealey, Stapleford N NHW

Apologies

PC Pete Farrell
PCSO Matt Storer
PCSO Chris Archer
PCSO Alistair Butterfield
PC Karl Barlow
PCSO Dean Bardill
Richard Macrae, Stapleford Community Group
Cllr David Grindell, Broxtowe BC
Cllr Jackie Williams, Broxtowe BC
Cllr Stan Heptinstall, Bramcote
Brian Hughes NHW Oaklands
Peter Hillier Bramcote Conservation Society

NH Policing Team Update

PC Chris Copley no longer works from Stapleford Police Station he is now working temporarily as part of a pro active team at West Bridgford. Pc Farrell will now be the beat manager for the south west beat, taking over from PC Copley. Inspector Craig Berry is no longer the Neighbourhood Policing Inspector for Broxtowe South, he has relocated to Eastwood Police station to fulfill that role for Broxtowe North. Inspector Steve Wragg has taken on the role vacated by this move. Sergeants Steve Robinson and Yvette Saunders have now moved from the Broxtowe South beat team and have been replaced by Sergeant Mark Marriot who joins from Arnold.

Crime review & Update

Offence	15/7/13 – 22/10/13	15/7/12 – 23/10/12	+ or -
Burglary Dwelling	23	15	+6
Burglary Other	18	34	-16
Criminal Damage	25	50	-25
Robbery	5	1	+4
Autocrime	30	36	-6
Theft	68	54	+14

Review of Neighbourhood Priorities

Vehicle Related Nuisance

Since the last PSM meeting officers from the local beat team alongside other officers from Nottinghamshire Police have conducted a number of mornings of action in the local area targeting the 'Fatal 4'. This targets speeding, non-wearing of seatbelts, drink driving and using of mobile phones whilst driving. These operations have targeted the main routes through the county area including Coventry Lane, A52/Derby Road, Toton Lane and Hickings Lane.

Four vehicles were also seized by officers for not having appropriate insurance.

Fear of Crime namely Burglary

Officers from the beat team have been working with officers from CID and other departments within Nottinghamshire Police to target a number of persons suspected of committing Burglary and other acquisitive crimes. These have been done during a number of early morning warrants and arrests at houses all over the city and county. A number of people have been arrested and questioned during these days of action.

A number of Neighbourhood Alerts have been sent out to local residents advising them of recent crimes in the areas they live. This will continue as and when the Police have any information that we feel residents should be aware of.

Richard McCrae was unable to attend but sent the following: On behalf of residents of Stapleford North and mainly around the Top Shops area Stapleford Community Group would like to thank the Police for all the hard work and continued support in the area. We know they are working very hard to rid the estate of the drugs problem and you can tell as slowly its getting better around the area.

PCSO Andy freeman advised Bramcote and Stapleford SW suffered the most, this last quarter, from auto-crime and burglaries. He estimated 90% were down to insecurities. The usual trend was around 30% so this is significantly higher. The Beat Team are happy to visit and offer home security advice. The majority of thefts related to drive offs from local petrol stations and shoplifting from the Co-op and Sainsbury's.

Theft of/from vehicles

Stapleford local beat have been providing crime prevention advice to residents in Stapleford, Bramcote and Trowell regarding vehicle crime. Stapleford beat team have been using a 'capture car' (Car which has CCTV throughout) in repeat locations for offences of theft from/of motor vehicle in the hope of catching offenders. There is no further update re this.

Another unmarked police vehicle has been used in the Stapleford and Bramcote area which is highly visible as it has anti vehicle theft advice printed on the car. This is to raise awareness to members of the public.

Of the 33 vehicles that were stopped, 29 were given verbal warnings and 4 were given tickets.

Identification and agreement of 3 Neighbourhood Priorities

Between Tuesday 2nd July 2013 and Saturday 28th September 2013 a total number of 131 surveys were carried out in the Stapleford and Bramcote areas.

Using the online survey data (this includes all surveys even those not completed online), the results of the Neighbourhood Priority Surveys which have been completed are as follows:

Neighbourhood Priorities	No Issues
There are no problems in this area	61
Vehicle Nuisance (eg Illegal parking / speeding / off road motorbikes / mini motos	25
Environmental Issues (eg dog fouling / litter / fly tipping)	20
Burglary (House / Shed etc)	13
Rowdy, Nuisance Behaviour	8
Other	6
Groups of people hanging around	3
Drinking (on the street or underage)	2
Theft of / from vehicles	2
Drug misuse / supply	2
Criminal Damage / Vandalism / Graffiti	1

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Attendance was at an all time low. Recent low attendance hasn't been helped by the Stapleford North CAT meeting date being the same as the PSM meeting. Future PSM dates have already been set, as below. Broxtowe Council's website does not yet show next year's meetings. <http://www.broxtowe.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=12021>

Action Point – Stapleford North Councillors to take PSM dates into consideration when arranging next year's CAT meetings, to avoid a clash.

SAS referred to a quick **crime survey about street lighting** and perception of crime at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/perceptionofsafety>

Also see <http://www.broxtowe.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=12567> for details of a new mobile app for reporting dog fouling, litter, graffiti, dumped cars and other environmental issues.

101 was discussed. AF advised that some people experienced delays because, rather than listening to all three options, they pressed one which directed calls to Derbyshire police. Option two links to Nottinghamshire police and option three to any other police department in the country.

Finally, concern was expressed that there was no council representation or written account of action taken since the last meeting.

Action Point SAS to write to all councillors in the Stapleford and Bramcote area to ensure they are aware of the meetings and give them the opportunity to contribute in person or by email.

Dates of future meetings

Thursday 16th January 2014

Thursday 17th April 2014