

Minutes of Priority Setting Meeting 14 January 2015

Attending

PCSO Ed Roberts
SAS Sue Sambells, Bramcote RVR NHW
RJ Roger Jones, Bramcote RVR NHW
GP Gerry Phillips, Stapleford N NHW
BB Bill Brealey, Stapleford N NHW
PS Paul Stain, Lime Grove NHW
GW Gary Wilkinson, Lime Grove NHW
SW Sue Wheatly, Pippins NHW
JR Julian Rosser, Pippins NHW
LM Laurie Mason, Bramcote Hills NHW
JW Cllr Jackie Williams, Broxtowe BC

Apologies/Absences

PCSO Alistair Butterfield
PCSO Dean Bardill
PCSO Andy Freeman
PCSO Chris Archer
PC Pete Farrell
PC Sarah Warren
Richard Macrae, Stapleford Community Group
Cllr Helen Grindell, Stapleford SE
Cllr David Pearson, Stapleford SE
Cllr Ian Tyler, Bramcote
Cllr David Watts, Bramcote
Cllr Stan Heptinstall, Bramcote
Cllr Ray Darby, Stapleford SW
Cllr John McGrath, Stapleford SW
Cllr David Grindell, Broxtowe BC
SA Steve Austin, Bramcote Moor NHW
Peter Hillier, Bramcote Conservation Society
Adrian Manhire, Bramcote NHW

NH Policing Team Update

There have been some changes to the Stapleford beat team. PC 2882 Karl Barlow has left the beat team and is now working on response.

PC 5 Sarah Warren has joined the beat team and has taken over Stapleford SE and Bramcote beats. PC 5 Sarah Warren is no stranger to the beat team. Sarah was a beat manager for two years between 2005 and 2007.

PCSO 4662 Chris Archer has returned to the Stapleford beat team covering Bramcote and PCSO 4987 Ed Roberts is remaining at Stapleford covering Stapleford South West.

The team at Stapleford have gained an extra PCSO; the team now consist of two Beat Managers and five PCSOs.

Crime review & Update

Offence	29/07/2014-08/10/2014	29/07/2013-08/10/2013	+ or -
Burglary Dwelling	8	34	-26
Burglary Other *	19	20	-1
Criminal Damage	41	34	+7
Robbery	3	2	+1
Autocrime	40	31	+9
Theft *	45	53	-8
ASB	114	111	+3

Review of Neighbourhood Priorities

Drug supply/misuse – Remains of a cannabis grow have been found at a house on Albert street – no plants recovered. Action NHW to promote: ER asked that residents advise police of supposedly empty properties, where lights are observed and vehicles come and go.

Speeding – Speed camera checks have been completed on Nottingham road, Coventry lane and Hickings lane. During December 2014 Nottinghamshire Polices Fatal 4 operation has been ran on various days, the operations looks to deal with speeding, not wearing seat belts, mobile phone use and drink driving). November 2014 the beat team conducted a bus lane operation on Derby Road, Bramcote

Off-road/mini motos – no reports of off-road/mini moto use since last meeting.

Robbery - Following the cigarette robbery at Dip News, Hickings Lane, two suspects were arrested following a large deployment of officers. A third suspect was arrested the following day. All stolen goods were returned.

Burglaries – Several suspects have been arrested on suspicion of burglary over recent weeks and have been released pending further enquiries. Recent months have seen hotspot areas across Stapleford and Bramcote targeted for high visibility burglary patrols from NPT and Pro-active team.

Burglary other – Two sheds were broken into at Rockford Court. Two males were arrested at scene for the shed breaks. Failed attempts have been made on garages at Eyam Close and the garages on Ewe Lamb Lane and a shed on Marshall Drive, Bramcote.

Autocrime – Of vehicles being attacked, the vast majority were left insecure and offences happened overnight. There has been an increase in vans being broken into for tools; (both secure and insecure vans). **Action NHW: Continue spreading awareness/advice on keeping vehicles secure and safe.**

ASB – Anti-social behaviour has remained at a consistent level roughly and includes neighbour disputes which continue to make up a proportion of total figures. Since the introduction of new ASB legislation in October 2014, many residents have been provided with details of new tools the police possess to tackle ASB and what they can do, as residents, to tackle noise pollution and landlord issues. Hickings Lane remains relatively quiet, as does Archers Field. ASB issues of groups of children hanging around stores on Pasture Road have been dealt with through speaking with parents and strong advice given to shop keepers. Additional efforts from local council has also made a big impact.

Cycling on pavement – PCSO Butterfield is currently liaising with RideWise. He has been given safe cycling leaflets and will be issuing them for extra cycle training by pitching up High Street and Hickings Lane area and distributing them.

Illegal Parking – following parking complaints on Washington Drive, Bessell Lane and Braddon Avenue, eight vehicles have been removed by the NPT. Further vehicles have been removed from Eatons Road and Tevery Close, for no tax or insurance. JW advised there is currently a consultation period re yellow line enforcement for the Washington Drive area. **Action JW to review if yellow lines enforcement procedure is also in place for West Avenue, by Andy's Fish & Chip Shop and the corner of Brookhill Street and Lime Grove. Action ER to send SAS notice for public use re illegal parking. It was felt that reduced parking costs had helped but there are insufficient car spaces in Stapleford. Action taken: As there are no current parking restrictions on West Avenue and Lime Grove JW has asked that these areas be looked at, along with various other locations currently under consideration. She also asked the County to take a more comprehensive approach to parking across Stapleford and to work with the Borough Council.**

Dog fouling - As usual, environmental issues scored relatively highly in the last survey. These fall under the council's remit and not that of the police. Residents encouraged to report issues, with as much evidence as possible, to the council. There is a "[Love Broxtowe](#)" app for smart phones, to enable photographic evidence to be reported, in addition to an on line form.

Identification and agreement of three Neighbourhood Priorities

Between Thursday the 9th October 2014 and Monday the 15th December 2014 a total number of 91 surveys were carried out in the Stapleford and Bramcote areas.

Using the survey data (this includes all surveys completed in paper form and online), the results of the completed Neighbourhood Priority Surveys are as follows:

Neighbourhood Priorities	No Issues
There are no problems in this area	7
Vehicle Nuisance (eg Illegal parking / speeding / off road motorbikes / mini motos)	27 Speeding Off road bikes
Burglary (House / Shed etc.)	8
Groups of people hanging around	5
Other	7
Drug misuse / supply	10
Theft of / from vehicles	4
Rowdy, Nuisance Behaviour	3
Environmental Issues (e.g. dog fouling / litter / fly tipping)	16
Drinking (on the street or underage)	3
Criminal Damage / Vandalism / Graffiti	1

From the surveys the next three priorities will be:

- 1 - Vehicle Nuisance (e.g. Illegal parking / speeding / off road motorbikes / mini motos)
- 2 – Drug misuse/supply
- 3 – Burglary (House/shed)

Low attendance was discussed. Tonight's meeting overlapped the Development Control (planning) meeting at which many of the councillors attended. JW advised council meetings are listed on the Broxtowe website. The next meeting in April has been set to avoid a clash with any Broxtowe [council meetings](#) also Stapleford [Town Council meetings](#).

Date of next meeting - Tuesday 14 April 2015