

# Bedingfeld & Forest

Date: July 2019

Encompassing: Cockley Cley, Foulton, Oxborough, Gooderstone, Didlington, Ickburgh, Cranwich, Mundford, Tottington, Sturston, Stanford, Lynford, Weeting & Broomhill, Bretttenham, Croxton, Kilverstone

## Message from Inspector Jo Walmsley



I am very pleased to be able to introduce our new Safer Neighbourhood Sergeant, Simon Jones. Simon brings with him a wealth of experience with over 17 years service, firstly as a Special before joining as a regular officer in 2004. Starting his career in Thetford, Simon has also served at King's Lynn, being involved in the pilot for the Op Moonshot team and Downham Market in the Neighbourhood Policing Team. On 4th July Simon attended the Safer Thetford Action Group (STAG) open meeting where he was able to give a positive update on our policing priorities including one male being charged and remanded for breaching his Community Protection Notice in respect of Street Drinking. While I am pleased to be able to report that reports of youth related anti-social behaviour had decreased, we are not complacent and continue to work with a group of youths and regularly liaise with our partners in the Operational Partnership Team.

## What is Happening In Your Area

Its been all go for both Thetford Safer Neighbourhood and Response Officers in June. Following the seizure of illegal Tobacco in April a Thetford Off-licence has had its alcohol licence revoked. And while PC Norton visited some mini-cops at Tranquinas pre-school, PC Harris has been proactively policing our roadways, seizing two cars in one night for having no insurance and carrying out speed enforcement on the Brandon Road, issuing 5 tickets and giving stern words of advice to 10 other drivers in relation to their speed. PC Wicks and PC Maguire have been actively patrolling both our urban and rural estates on the Quads following reports of anti-social vehicle use.



## Neighbourhood Priorities

### Thetford Stag:

Next Open STAG meeting **Thursday 3rd October 2019**  
**7pm Methodist Church Thetford (opposite Specsavers)**

Current Projects:

- 1) Street Drinking, ASB & Drug Misuse in Thetford Town Centre PSPO area..
- (2) Vehicle ASB including Cycling on Pavement and Mobility Scooter misuse and Speeding.

## Beat Managers



Your Beat Managers are here to engage with the local communities & work to solve local issues & priorities within your neighbourhood. The Beat Manager's aim is keep your neighbourhood as a safe place to live, work and visit.



Your local Beat Managers are **PC Leah Norton, PC Caroline Whatmore** and **PC Les Maguire**. You can contact them via **101** or email **SNTTheford@norfolk.pnn.police.uk**



Your Engagement Officer is here to provide communications & updates regarding your neighbourhood as well as co-ordinating Community Engagements, Volunteers, Police Cadets, Special Constabulary, Neighbourhood Watch & Community Speed Watch. You can contact the Breckland Community Engagement Officer via 101 ext 2132, mobile 07766990802 or email at Paula.Gilluley@norfolk.pnn.police.uk.



### Message from your Engagement Officer, Pc Paula Gilluley

Now that the warm weather seems to have finally arrived and the nights are lighter we are starting to receive reports of anti-social behaviour (ASB). ASB is any kind of activity which causes harm to an individual, community or environment. Examples can include nuisance or inconsiderate neighbours, vandalism, street drinking, inconsiderate or inappropriate use of vehicles. Norfolk Constabulary is committed to tackling and not tolerating such behaviour and we work closely with partner agencies to help people suffering from ASB. If you are experiencing problems with ASB report this on 101, 999 (in an emergency) or via our website.

*Paula*

### Crime Update (June 2019)

Crime Statistics are provided for the preceding month. The data relates to the cluster of Parishes as detailed overleaf. Further statistical data (including offences & location detail) can be obtained from [www.police.co.uk](http://www.police.co.uk)

Offence	Numbers	What This Could Entail
Arson	0	Damage caused as a result of fire.
Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB)	0	Harassment, alarm or distress is caused in a non-crime incident.
Burglary Residential	1	Residential Burglary will encompass entry to any building within the curtilage/ boundary of a residence, e.g. garden sheds and garages
Burglary Business and Community	0	Business and community Burglaries will include shops, businesses and other property. In general, the purpose for which a building is designed will determine whether it should be classified as 'Residential' or 'Business and Community'.
Criminal Damage	4	A person destroys or damages property belonging to someone else.
Domestic	1	Domestic incidents where a crime has not occurred. Parties are aged 16 or over and have been intimate partners or family members regardless of sexuality.
Hate Incident	0	Any incident where a crime has not occurred which the victim, or anyone else, thinks is based on someone's prejudice towards them because of their race, religion, sexual orientation, disability or because they are transgender.
Race or Religious aggravated public fear	0	Any crime determined to have a hate element as per above.
Possession of controlled substance	2	Unlawful possession of a drug classified in class A, B or C.
Possession of weapons	0	Unlawful possession of an article used as a weapon.
Public fear, alarm or distress	1	Public order offences e.g. from a verbal altercation to offences just short of violence.
Robbery	0	Includes a range of offences where force is used, threatened or the victim is put in fear.
Theft from a motor vehicle	1	Any item stolen that was in, on or attached to a motor vehicle.
Theft or unauthorised taking of a motor vehicle	0	Any motor vehicle including those abandoned.
Theft of pedal cycle	0	From a public place, if stolen from a shed or garage this would be a BOTD.
Theft from a person	0	Purse being taken from a handbag, or a mobile phone from a shopping basket.



### Point of Contact

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### Partner Contacts



Environmental Health

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County Council

District Council