

NEWSLETTER

November 2015,

St Martins, Hinton & Lower Bullingham & Redhill area.

Newsletter from the St Martins and Hinton Local Policing Team.

About Your Safer Neighbourhood Team. We work from SouthWye Police Station, Goodrich Grove, Hereford. HR2 7DB

Safer Neighbourhood Teams work with local people and partners to identify, tackle and solve issues that matter to the community in which you live.

Making neighbourhoods safer by cutting day to day crime and anti-social behaviour is at the heart of keeping people in West Mercia safe.

Officers will provide support to the local community when they need them, and provide a high quality service however you contact us – either in person, on the street, at community bases or at Partners and Communities Together [PACT] meetings, on the phone or online.

Your Safer Neighbourhood Teams

Insp 795 Nick Semper
Sgt 1348 Emma Freer

PC 397 Brian Hillstead
PCSO 6552 Adam Westlake
PCSO 6480 Christina Howard
PCSO 40259 Hayley Cohen
PCSO 40247 Lowri Anderson

Where we work:
We cover St Martins, Hinton and Lower Bullingham area of Hereford.



Picture of the whole team based at Southwye Police Station.

How to get in touch

-  **101** to talk to your local SNT or report a crime
-  Only call **999** in an emergency
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Here's just some of the Arrests in the area

Drugs.

On 06th October a 23 year old male was arrested at Asda, Hereford on suspicion of supplying class A drugs. He has been remanded and is due to attend court in January.

On 7th October an 18 year old male was arrested in Walnut tree Avenue for possession of a Class C drug.

Assault.

On 09th October, a 20 year old male was arrested and charged for an assault that occurred in Escley Drive.

Criminal Damage.

On 11th October, a 28 year old male was arrested at the Green Croft Centre. He had damaged several vehicles in the area. He climbed onto the Roof of The Green Croft Centre causing further damage. After a 4.5 hour stand off with police, the male was finally arrested.

Breach of restraining order.

On 13th October a 46 year old female was arrested in Laysters Avenue for breaching her restraining order. She is currently on Bail.

Drunk and Disorderly.

On 14th October a 35 year old male was arrested in Dulas Avenue for being Drunk and Disorderly. He was eligible for a caution.

Breach of the Peace.

On 16th October a 46 year old male was arrested in Oak Crescent for Breach of the Peace.

Wanted on Warrant.

On 20th October a 38 year old male who was wanted on warrant was arrested in Web Tree Avenue.

Crime Trends.

72 Crimes recorded for the month of October 2015.

Theft.....	25	Drugs.....	1
Misc.....	9	Damage.....	14
Burglary.....	7	Assaults.....	16

General Policing.

During the month of October 2015 we've had **338** incidents reported to the police for the St Martins, Hinton Red Hill & Lower Bullingham area.

50 of those incidents were what we call "Grade 1", which means a 999 emergency call, which is either something life threatening or a crime in progress.

An average month for incidents, and also crimes, but we have detected a good percentage which were typically the assaults and drug offences.

Where we will be....

3rd November between 11:45 – 13:30 PcsO Howard will be at Hinton Community Centre. Come on down and have a chat.

7th November between 10am - 11am PcsO Anderson will be at Hinton Community Centre with Cllr Hall to discuss any concerns that you may have.

18th November 14:30 -15:30 PcsO Lowri Anderson will be in The Community Room at Riverside Primary School. Feel free to pop on down and discuss any issues that you may have.

22nd November PcsO Hayley Cohen will be at Asda Stores, Hereford. Pop on down to discuss any issues that you may have.

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Pets

Animals do not like bonfires or fireworks. The flames and noise upsets them. They should always be kept safely indoors. Make sure that they cannot get out through open windows and doors. It is best to keep the curtains closed too and it may be necessary to keep them indoors for several nights around November 5th.



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Safety tips for adults

Young people should watch and enjoy fireworks at a safe distance and follow the safety rules for using sparklers. Only adults should deal with firework displays and the lighting of fireworks. They should also take care of the safe disposal of fireworks once they have been used.

1. Plan your firework display to make it safe and enjoyable
2. Keep fireworks in a closed box and use them one at a time
3. Read and follow the instructions on each firework using a torch if necessary
4. Light the firework at arm's length with a taper and stand well back
5. Keep naked flames, including cigarettes, away from fireworks
6. Never return to a firework once it has been lit
7. Don't put fireworks in pockets and never throw them
8. Direct any rocket fireworks well away from spectators
9. Never use paraffin or petrol on a bonfire
10. Make sure that the fire is out and surroundings are made safe before leaving.

The Cold Mornings are coming

Don't become a victim, read the advice below.

Although vehicle crime is low across Warwickshire and West Mercia, cars are stolen from driveways every winter because owners leave them unattended, with the keys in the ignition, while they warm up and the windscreens defrost.

Some vehicle owners nip inside just a few seconds to collect a bag or finish the last mouthful of coffee – but that's all an opportunist thief needs.

Insurance companies may not pay out for cars stolen in this way – and if your house keys are taken as well, you're making your home vulnerable.



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