



Welcome to my monthly Partnership Funded PCSO report for May 2019

UPDATES:

RUSHMERE HEATH –

This Location continues to remain on my radar and I patrol the area regularly. In the spirit of crime prevention I am gathering intelligence to ascertain who is attending the site and taking steps to establish if any offences are occurring. I will continue to update you on this matter.

ANIT SOCIAL USE OF MOPEDS IN THE KESGRAVE AREA. –

Over the last two weeks we have received an increase of reports of mopeds driving irresponsibly along footpaths in the Kesgrave area, in particular Pontins Walk near to Cedarwood Primary School.

An investigation has been recorded and I have managed to ascertain some registration marks of vehicles and drivers have been given suitable words of advice. I also engaged with some riders that were parked up in the area of The Community Centre on 06/06/2019 who were also warned about any potential involvement in this matter. Along with this I have requested that patrols are conducted in the area (along with my own patrols) in order to catch them in the act. Again this will continue to be monitored and any vehicles caught acting in an Anti – Social manner may receive a Section 59 notice which can lead to the seizure of a vehicle.

THEFTS -

Figures for Motor Vehicle thefts have remained low over the past few months following the large spate at the beginning of the year however numbers have slightly increased again, some being motor vehicle thefts and also a small increase of thefts from front gardens and driveways.

In regards to thefts from front gardens and driveways, these are often occurring when residents may have left an item unattended on the driveway. Often these may be items in a skip, charity bags or items that a resident is planning to dispose of. Whilst offenders have no right to remove and appropriate these items an assumption is made that when put out on a driveway they are fair game to take. Therefore my advice to residents is to please be aware what you leave outside the front of your property, in particular pedal cycles and items of value.

POLICE ADVICE AND GUIDANCE

As you know I am always happy to give advice and guidance where I can. If it is something that I cannot give an immediate answer too, then I am obviously ideally placed to seek advice from other professionals. Members of the public wanting advice on many police-related matters can be signposted to the Suffolk Constabulary website advice page at <https://www.suffolk.police.uk/advice>

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