Neighbourhood Policing newsletter

HUGHENDEN January **2012**

Welcome to the 25th newsletter from the HUGHENDEN PARISH NAG.

The Neighbourhood priorities have been set following the completion of the Consultation period, they are:-

1) SPEEDING. 2) LITTER. 3) ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR

Hughenden Neighbourhood. January 2012

Hello from the **Hughenden**, Hazlemere & Chepping Wycombe Neighbourhood Police Team (HNPT) and welcome to the August edition of the Newsletter for the **HUGHENDEN PARISH**.

If you need to contact the Neighbourhood Team then please dial the Thames Valley Police on the **NEW** non-emergency number, **101**, and ask the police operator to put you through to the Hazlemere Police Office or e-mail us. lee.turnham@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk daton.beckford@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk

The team would also love to hear from the community regarding any positive or negative feedback that you may have or any issues or concerns that you may wish to raise.

SPEEDING:

The Speed Indication Device (SID) and residents using the Community Speed Watch (CSW) has been deployed.

Thursday 1st December 2011 Valley Road Hughenden Valley. 1450pm to 1530pm 19 vehicles over threshold, 19 to receive letters.

The registered keepers of the vehicles will receive letters under the Community Speed Watch Scheme.

Please bear in mind that persons who receive Speed Watch letters are NOT given the speed that initiated the letter. There is a threshold which is strictly adhered to. When the device is activated the initial speed is the speed recorded by the operators and <u>not</u> the speed as the vehicle passes the device. The speed captured is that of at least 70 metres prior to the device.

Dates have been set for the January period, the locations are yet to be established but each ward will have at least 1 SID deployment over the period. If you are interested in seeing how the device works or you are interested in becoming involved in the process, please contact Natalie Hall or Lee Turnham at the above address or e-mail. We will then be able to inform you of the location and time that is appropriate to your ward.

Hughenden Community Speed Watch (CSW) has now produced 640 letters in 2011. Motorists are getting the message that it is unacceptable to exceed the speed limit, but the minority still break the law. In 2012 the neighbourhood team along with volunteers will hopefully enforce the use of CSW and make the roads within the Parish safer.

Road Related Deaths:

On the BBC News website there is a link enabling you to view the number of road related deaths that have occurred in Great Britain since 1999 – 2010. The website allows you to view the data by entering your postcode. If you then zoom in and click on the orange circles you can obtain more specific data, e.g. time, date, location of incident: http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-15975720

LITTER:

With the bank holidays now over there may be areas that have received reduced waste collections from the local authority. This may cause extra litter to be around. Please help with the collection of small pieces and place them in bins etc. Alternatively please contact the local council and report such matters.

The parish is still having problems with litter being thrown from moving vehicles. Please supply details of the vehicle to the police team. Action will be taken. If you see any large amounts of litter or waste, please call either the Neighbourhood team or Trading Standards at Aylesbury.

ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR;

Information is still being received that individuals from High Wycombe are attending the car park at Hughenden Manor. They are using the car park to wheel spin and race their vehicles around. There has been a decrease in this activity due to targeted patrols from the Neighbourhood team. Two individuals have been arrested following an incident within the lower car park area. The local operation will continue to run.

On Wednesday the 14th December while patrolling 2130hrs two male where parked up in the lower car park at Hughenden Manor. A very strong smell of Cannabis was coming from the vehicle the driver was found in possession of a small bag of Cannabis and given a £80 ticket.

OTHER MATTERS;

Thames Valley Police went live on 14th November 2011 with 101 - the new police national single non emergency number which will replace the 0845 8 505 505 number. Calls to 101, from landlines or mobiles, will cost 15 pence per call, no matter the time of day or the duration of the call. Everyone calling the new non-emergency number will know exactly how much a call will cost, and can be assured of equal access whether they are on a pay-as-you-go mobile or a home landline. Calls will be routed to the Force in the same way as 999 calls. If a caller is using a landline the routeing will be based on the caller's postcode and the call will be directed to the local police force. If a caller is using a mobile telephone, the call will be routed according to the location of the mast from which the call is being transmitted. Calls made to 101 from another police force area that has yet to 'go live' with the new number, will hear a recorded message telling them to redial using the relevant non emergency number.

As you are aware, Natalie has now left the neighbourhood team for pastures new. You will see the new posters around the parish with the photograph of the new Community officer, Daton Beckford. He has joined us from the Chepping Wycombe area. Daton has been a community officer for around 4 years.



HAVE YOUR SAY.

This has been implemented by the local Neighbourhood team; enabling members of the public to come and meet the team. The location for the **January** meeting will be at Hughenden Valley Community Shop. The Local Neighbourhood Police Team will be available to address any concerns and that may affect you on a daily basis.

This will take place on Tuesday 25th January 2012. Between1000hrs and 1130hrs.

Alternatively please use the link below. www.thamesvalley.police.uk/haveyoursay

Crime figures for the area can be accessed via the National Crime website. www.police.uk

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