

Harleston, Earsham and Beck Vale

Date: December, 2018



Message from Inspector Selvarajah

We have witnessed a spike in thefts from unattended vehicles in the Pulham's and I am pleased to report that one man has been arrested and remains under investigation. Thieves appear to be targeting tools so we are asking that all valuables are removed when vehicles are left unattended. We still experience problems with acquisitive crime in the Carleton Rode and Bunwell area and patrols have been increased. Please remain vigilant and always report suspicious activity. Local officers took part in a joint operation targeting road users in Diss and the results of this have been published on social media. Officers will be focusing on road safety in particular those that drink and drug drive over the festive period. This is part of a national campaign and on the first day a man was arrested in Hempnall. I would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Crime Updates

Offence	Numbers	What could this 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 - Business and community	0	Thefts committed in shops, businesses and other property
Burglary - Residential	0	Entry to any building within the curtilage/boundary of a residence, e.g. garden sheds and garages
Criminal Damage	0	A person destroys or damages property belonging to someone else.
Domestic	5	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	1	Unlawful possession of a drug classified in class A, B or C.
Possession of weapons	1	Unlawful possession of an article used as a weapon.
Public fear, alarm or distress	2	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	1	Any motor vehicle including those abandoned.
Theft of pedal cycle	0	From a public place.
Theft from a person	0	Purse being taken from a handbag, or a mobile phone from a shopping basket.



Message from your Engagement Officer

May I take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry Christmas and all the very best for the New Year.

Our next public meeting which gives you the opportunity to be updated on what we are doing on the eight policing areas within the district, to hear what issues have been raised at our most recent street surgeries and for you to raise any issues or concerns with the local policing Inspector and his team is being held on

Tuesday 8th January 2019, 7pm-9pm at Long Stratton Village Hall.

We hope you can join us.

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What is happening in your area

Message from your Beat Manager Pc Richards

Since my last update in November, the local issues remain the same. These are still ASB driving, Speeding and Drug Supply. Calls to police about ASB driving are almost non-existent now. I have spoken to seven young drivers who are all known locally to cause issues from time to time. Advice has been passed to them and this seems to have worked.

The issue of speeding has also dramatically reduced and again I believe that the proactive enforcement by the Special Constabulary has really helped.

I have been working hard to continue building on the current intelligence around drug supply in Harleston and surrounding areas. I have made specific visits to people known to be linked to drugs in the area and this has clearly had an impact. A marked improvement has been shown, by the fact that local residents have personally told me that there is almost no drug activity in those areas as previously reported. I will continue to keep the pressure on.

Other than the above, I am currently investigating a series of recent thefts from motor vehicles. So far, one person has been arrested and interviewed. He remains under investigation as enquiries are ongoing.

Two historic thefts from a local shop in Harleston have been detected by myself and the offender has paid compensation to those victims.

We also had several successful Remembrance Services in November.

Neighbourhood Priorities

Currently the team are working on -

Speeding, Drugs and Vehicle ASB

Next Street Surgery-

To be confirmed

Point of contact

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