

Staffing

PS 1719 Rob Merrall
PC 425 Ben Orton
PC 4458 Sarah George
PCSO 6513 Georgina Cook
PCSO 6078 Mike Smith-Curtis

PCSO Smith Curtis leaves in December and will be replaced.

Current beat priorities

- To tackle anti-social behaviour outside the CO-OP superstore and children playing in the stairwells and communal areas of Willowbrook view.
- Motorists parking on street junctions and pavements causing unnecessary congestion, obstructing the highways and school areas.

We are requesting all road users park their vehicles with consideration and common courtesy i.e. not to block driveways, junctions and pavements. Thank you.

Crime Statistics for the last 3 months.

- 1) Burglary other than dwelling – 2 -both were community buildings
- 2) Burglary dwelling - 13.
- 3) Robbery – 1
- 4) Vehicle Crime –
 - Theft from Motor vehicle – 6 (3 were theft of registration plates)
 - Theft of Motor vehicle – 4 (1 was motor bike)
 - Damage to Motor vehicle – 0
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 - Burglaries are a big problem over all the local neighbourhoods currently and we have dedicated officers patrolling every day (day and night) to try and tackle the issue. We see an increase in burglaries at this time every year due to Diwali, Bonfire Night, Christmas and darker nights.
 - We urge everybody to keep doors and windows locked and to close curtains and blinds if going out at night and to leave a light on so it looks like someone is in.

- If you are going away over the festive period tell a neighbour or friends so that they can keep an eye on your property and if you trust them give them a key so they can close the curtains and take the post in . You can also buy a timer switch so you can time a lamp to come on at certain times so it looks like you are in.

During these cold mornings DON'T leave your vehicle unattended with the engine running!

Police Beat surgeries at the Co-op Thurncourt road

- . 28th November 11am – 12pm
- . 19th December 6pm- 7pm