



# Neighbourhood Watch

March 2019.



<b>Andover Rural</b>	
03/03/19	<b>Kings Somborne.</b> Four buildings forced at night - two suspects seen. Also forced entry to another shed, nil stolen.
04/03/19	<b>Tangley.</b> Forced entry to workshop at night, tools stolen, and secured tools stolen from the garden of another property in Tangley.
05-06/03/19	<b>Wherwell.</b> Several garages broken into overnight, property stolen.
05/03/19	<b>Stockbridge Down.</b> Car window smashed while owner walking, car searched but nothing taken.
07/03/19	<b>Weyhill.</b> Two males in van disturbed looking for 'old batteries'. Tools stolen from a locked shed in <b>Clanville</b> at a similar time.
07-08/03/19	<b>Middle Wallop.</b> New caravan stolen.
08/03/19	<b>Broughton.</b> Three males in white tipper van found in farmyard looking for scrap metal. A car was broken into in a car park near <b>Stockbridge</b> and property stolen.
10/03/19	<b>Bossington.</b> Trout and other property stolen.
11-12/03/19	<b>Barton Stacey.</b> Whole rear back panel of van stolen overnight.
16/03/19	<b>Stockbridge Down.</b> Handbag stolen from car. Car window smashed in National Trust car park in <b>Mottisfont</b> at a similar time, nil taken.
17/03/19	<b>Stockbridge Down.</b> Car deliberately damaged.
16-17/03/19	<b>Lopcombe.</b> Forced entry to garage, nil taken. <b>Thruxton.</b> Extensive criminal damage overnight including emptying of council bins, daffodils trampled and uprooted, and signs and speed mirrors knocked over or broken.
21-22/03/19	<b>Kings Somborne.</b> Eggs & egg washer stolen overnight from secure building.
25/03/19	A piglet along with feed & bucket was stolen near <b>Horsebridge</b> . 50 lambs were stolen from a farm near <b>Hursley</b> on 28/03/19.
26/03/19	<b>Grateley.</b> House burglary between 0900-1330. Window smashed and untidy search, jewellery stolen.
28-29/03/19	<b>Penton Mewsey.</b> Storage unit broken into during the evening.
"	<b>Enham Alamein.</b> Gamekeeper's shed broken into overnight, items stolen.

A big welcome to **PCSO Lisa Moore** who has joined the rural policing team. It is great to have another officer working the rural areas and the team now consists of –

PS Gary Lyons  
 PC Tim Allen  
 PCSO Richard Sanders  
 PCSO Lisa Moore

Hampshire Country Council Trading Standards have issued the following bulletin on current scams – click on the link to view the bulletin.

[Click here.](#)

More news on recent scams –

A **TV Licensing phishing campaign** is being reported in large numbers. Fraudsters are sending out fake TV licensing emails designed to steal personal and financial information. In the last year victims have lost £830,000 in this way.

**Action Fraud** is warning of fraudsters posting advertisements for non-existent animals and pet accessories online. They have received thousands of reports with victims reporting a total loss of over £3 million. Further details can be found here -

<https://www.actionfraud.police.uk/news/pawsforthought>



**Is your email under attack?** Fraudsters can spoof email addresses to appear as companies you know and trust and use a combination of personalisation and pressure in an attempt to deceive victims. The 12 key phrases to watch out for are –

Request  
Follow Up  
Urgent/Important  
Are you available/Are you at your desk?  
Payment Status  
Hello  
Purchase  
Invoice Due  
Re:  
Direct Deposit  
Expenses  
Payroll.

Don't click on the links or attachments in suspicious emails and never respond to messages that ask for your personal or financial details.

**Did you know .....**

Recent statistics from Crimestoppers show that 40% of calls to them related to drug trafficking and supply. The next most reported crimes were drink driving and possession of weapons.

If you have any information in relation to any criminal or suspicious activity please report it to the Police on **101** or **www.hampshire.police.uk**, or anonymously via **Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111** or on line at **crimestoppers-uk.org**.