

This month's Princes Risborough update is given by PC Andy Ralph:

Speeding: We are continuing to assess speeding traffic at locations brought to our attention by local residents in Bledlow, Longwick and Bledlow Ridge by using the speed indication device to assess whether the problem is genuine or perceived. Further enforcement is planned at locations where speeding has proven to be a persistent problem.

Parking: We haven't received any complaints of inconsiderate parking in the rural area during September however we are continuing to monitor parking near the schools in the areas where it can be problematic. The commendable attitude of most residents is that this problem is inevitable at certain times of the day and can lead to positive factors such as reducing speeding traffic.

Anti-social behaviour (ASB): We have received a couple of complaints around children gathering in both Ellesborough and Longwick. Police attended to assess what they were up to, details taken and group dispersed and moved on. Anti-social behaviour covers a wide range of incidents for example, erratic driving, noisy groups gathering, public order offences and arson. If you witness anything that you deem to cause alarm, harassment or distress please contact the police enquiry centre on 08458 505 505.

Area crime: There have been 18 reported crimes in the month of September, which is the same as last month's figures. Please see below for a break down of these crimes:

- 3 Thefts from a car
- 4 Non-dwelling burglaries including attempts
- 1 Criminal damage to a vehicle
- 2 Other thefts
- 3 Burglaries in dwellings
- 4 Assaults
- 1 Robbery

Partnership activity: There are some planned speeding operations organised with Thames Valley Safer Roads Partnership to warn drivers who are slightly over the speed limit and prosecute speeders who are driving at sufficiently above the speed limit. Several locations will be targeted in and around the town.

Offenders brought to justice: A 16 year old youth was charged with a burglary in Speen committed during August. Two men aged 21 and 17 were charged with theft of a vehicle from Loosley row in August.

Future meetings: The next Neighbourhood Action Group meeting is Wednesday the 16th of November at Longwick CofE School, the meeting will start at 7.30pm

We have scheduled Have your say meetings in the month of September, please note the below dates and times have been amended since the last monthly update:

- Monday 10th October: Longwick CofE School 0845-0915
Lacey Green CofE School 1500-1530
- Tuesday 11th October- Bledlow Ridge County Stores 0845-0915
Great Kimble CofE School 1500-1530
- Wednesday 12th October- Speen Post Office 0845-0915

We are always looking for ways to improve our service to the people in our neighbourhood. If you have any concerns or comments on how we can improve your neighbourhood, or to find out more about the team, please contact us at Princes Risborough police station or via the non-emergency number on 0845 8 505 505 or visit www.thamesvalley.police.uk