

Broseley and Much Wenlock Safer Neighbourhood Team (SNT)

Update to Much Wenlock Town Council: From 01/08/2021 – 29/08/2021

Update on Police and SNT activity since the last report to the Council. In addition to the Officers in the Safer Neighbourhood Team, there is a team of Response Officers based in Bridgnorth Police Station who attend incidents in the area.

Neighbourhood Matters. Neighbourhood Matters is a new online messaging service operated by West Mercia Police. SNT Officers are sending Crime Alerts and other locally relevant information out to all those who join the service. Please encourage everyone to check out what is available by following the link - <https://www.neighbourhoodmatters.co.uk/>

Coronavirus Regulations. The national lockdown measures all ended on 19/07/2021, although there is still legislation in place that covers travel and self-isolation. There were no reports regarding any breaches of the remaining legislation.

Burglary. There was one report of a burglary from a residential property and one report of a burglary from outbuildings.

Anti-social behaviour (ASB). Patrols have been conducted in a number of locations where there have been previous reports of anti-social behaviour. There have been two reports of anti-social behaviour.

Safeguarding. With the lockdown over the Police have been able to work even more closely with our partner agencies. There have been seven reports to the Police regarding concerns for the safety of people within our communities. Each has been dealt with in an appropriate manner and most involved working with our partner agencies, such as the Ambulance Service or the Local Council.

Road Traffic Issues. There have been a number of incidents regarding incidents on the roads, including:

- Two reports of Road Traffic Collisions.

- One report of a person driving without the correct documentation.

- Two reports of poor driving.

- One report of a group of unidentified pedal cycle riders on the A458 after dark with no lights.

Suspicious Circumstances. Three incidents where suspicious activity was witnessed have been reported to the Police. When Officers were available they have attended and dealt with the matter. In some cases, information passed to the Police has been used to target Police patrols and other Police activity.

Dog Incident. There was an incident in which a dog bit a member of the public.

Theft. There have been two reports of theft, one of which was from a motor vehicle overnight. In addition, there were two reports of drivers making off without payment for fuel.

Neighbour Disputes. There has been two reports of a dispute between neighbours. SNT Officers are working with the housing association responsible for all of those involved to try and resolve the dispute.

999 Calls made in error. There were two incidents in which members of the public accidentally rang 999, mostly through "pocket dialling" errors.

Engagement. Following the end of the lockdown measures, SNT Officers are now able to engage in person and are hoping to increase their level of interaction. A meeting between Councillors and local residents was attended by a PCSO.