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Information and advice

Can You Help? Trying to trace a woman called A. Bevan

The Littlewick Green Show Society which is in the Maidenhead area of Berkshire is desperately trying to trace a lady called **A. Bevan** who is in possession of one of their Show cups which is presented on an annual basis to the winner of a specific class. The winner retains the cup for 12 months and then should return it to the Show Society so it can be presented to the next year's winner.

The class the cup was presented for was Best Veteran (Horse)

Sadly, A. Bevan never returned the cup! The cup should have been returned in 2010.

All that is known about A. Bevan is that she is a youngish woman, possibly with a young child or children and she owned horses. She was living in rented accommodation in the Woodley area of Berkshire. All show/class records have been deleted so any other information is not forthcoming..

The cup in question is known as the Gilby Cup. Its description is Silver two handled cup, scrolls, gryphon and acanthus handles. Reed rim to bowl, stepped trumpet foot on a black plinth. It is engraved "Sir Walter Gilbey Memorial Cup". It is 23 cms overall. It has a Birmingham Assay 1923, weight 22ozs. The cup also has further engraving of "Royal East Berks Agricultural Association"

The matter has been reported to the Thames Valley Police and the crime reference number is EB/3835157/11.

If you can offer any information to trace A. Bevan and the cup, please contact the Show Secretary Valerie Boseley on Valerie@vbosley.plus.com or **Thames Valley Police** and quote the above reference number.

Alternatively contact

 Hampshire Horsewatch co-ordinator and Force Equine Liaison Officer

 101 Int: 605 x 178

 Mob: 07867 972868

 david.collings@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

 equine@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

Address: Fleet Police Station, 13 Crookham Road, Fleet, Hampshire. GU51 5QQ

The Show Committee will be grateful for any assistance in getting their property back.

Stolen – Driving Cart – Doncaster Area

Crime Ref: A/1214/2012

A driving cart has been stolen from Doncaster on 3 January. It is black in colour with build number 10514.

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Warning for 4x4 owners – brought to us by Sussex Police

Catalytic Converter Thefts . there has been a sharp increase in thefts of catalytic converters across the county in the past week. Sussex Police recommend catalytic converter marking for all 4x4 and commercial type vehicles as well as the following steps to keep your vehicle safe .

- Private vehicles should be kept in a well-secured garage where possible, and if no garage is available, in a well-lit, public area.
 - Vehicles can be parked in such a way as to make access to the catalytic converter difficult or parallel with another vehicle if you own one.
 - Commercial vehicles should be kept in a locked building or compound.
 - Use appropriate alarms, lighting and CCTV to deter thieves.
 - Remove items of value from your vehicle whilst unattended and keep it secure at all times
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Crime prevention

Recently there has been a number of thefts in the New Forest area from rural sheds which are equine related, where horse rugs, equipment and hay has been stolen. The following standard crime prevention methods are once again repeated for your consideration. These suggestions are circulated to the New Forest equine community but are relevant to all.

- Do not leave any items of value within these isolated buildings.
 - Either place a security lock (where bolt croppers cannot be inserted) or alarm lock on the shed. Alarm locks will be available from all information offices of New Forest District Council within the New Forest ie, Hythe, Lymington, Ringwood, Fordingbridge, New Milton.
 - If hay is to be kept in sheds a suggestion is to cut the strings to make removal more difficult.
 - Make sure all rugs , whether stable or turnout, are clearly marked with the owners postcode.
 - Postcode any other large items such as trailers and wheelbarrows.
 - Report any suspicious vehicles at the time they are seen.
 - Report any incident to the police, however small or unimportant you believe it to be.
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Recovered equine property

Thames Valley Police have made arrests in Banbury.

Two men and a woman were arrested in the Grimsby area of Banbury for saddlery and rug thefts. Large quantities of equipment have been recovered after links were made with stolen tack being sold on eBay. The recovered saddlery will be on display at the Banbury Police Station and invited persons, who have had tack items stolen in the area, are being invited to attend to view the property. In time if there is still property unidentified the officers dealing with the enquiry will seek to invite others to come and view the remaining items

The recovery of stolen property is very much a matter in your hands. If you have had property stolen make the time to search on social web sites where property is offered for sale or any other outlet where items are advertised. You know your property, what it looks like. When it comes to tracing your stolen property you are the best investigators. Take time, make the time

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to research and look. Get family and friends to help you. If you have suspicions about a seller or site tell the police. Thieves and handlers have to advertise property in their possession in order to sell it. They will use media sites such as Ebay as the Banbury arrests indicate.

HGV speed increase

Info received from The Trails Trust - Online consultation well worthwhile giving your views on increasing HGV speed limits on single carriage roads

The Trials Trust (South Central)

Proposal to increase HGV speed limit on single carriageway road

A generally unknown proposal by government which could impact on our safe riding of the country roads has appeared, as follows:

The DfT has opened a consultation on increasing the speed limit for HGVs on single carriageway roads. The consequences to horse riders, cyclists and other vulnerable road users is obvious and we only have until 1 Feb to fill in the on-line consultation at: <https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/examining-the-speed-limit-for-heavy-goods-vehicles-over-7-5-tonnes-on-single-carriageway-roads>

The questionnaire is mainly aimed at haulage contractors, but it is still possible to make your views known about safety issues.

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Stolen

(CTRL + Click to go straight to details of these thefts)

No Information Received

Note: This bulletin is organised under the existing police regions for England, Wales & Scotland. There can be more than one Horsewatch scheme within each police region. Information contained in this bulletin has been received from police sources and Horsewatch schemes.

South East Region covering:

Hampshire Constabulary, Thames Valley Police, Surrey Police, Hertfordshire Constabulary, Essex Police, Kent Police, Sussex Police, Bedfordshire Police and The Metropolitan Police Service

Hampshire Constabulary

Telephone: 101

Hampshire Horsewatch Mobile 07762 754788 or 07790 440478

David Collings (Hampshire Horsewatch co-ordinator and Force Equine Liaison Officer) 07867 972868

Hampshire Horsewatch, Fleet Police Station, Fleet, Hampshire

Email: equine@hampshire.pnn.police.uk www.hampshire.police.uk

Northern Country Watch Weekly – 9 January 2013

Happy new year to all our CW members, partners and colleagues. I hope you find this week's circulation useful. My team have worked hard to ensure the information is current and accurate. Please read in conjunction with information available on crimereports.co.uk. In this way you will be able to get updates on crime relevant to you.

Theft of dogs

I am sure you are all aware of the reported dog thefts in the media recently. It has been identified that the common factor in the thefts or attempted thefts appears to be as follows:-

- Gun dog breeds but particularly Springer and Cocker Spaniels
- Kennelled externally
- Associated with shooting activity

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Some of the incidents reported suspicious vehicles prior to the theft/attempt. Please remain vigilant, record details of anything that seems unusual and let the Police know. We are currently trying to identify our vulnerable locations. If you meet the above criteria or if you are just concerned about your dogs, please email us with the location of your kennels and a contact phone number. We are also collating all locations to include them within our patrol strategy resulting in a more visible Police presence around vulnerable areas. Dog theft is a highly emotive issue with devastating impact when it occurs. Please check the security of your kennels.

Please circulate this message to anyone you know who may be a possible target.

With your help

Officers from the Roads Policing Unit assisted by targeted patrol officers from East Hants have arrested a male on suspicion of committing several non dwelling burglaries in the Liss area. Enquiries are ongoing.

Vehicles of interest

Winchester & Surround Area

- 8 Jan . Alresford . Green Subaru, no registration known . seen stopped in a layby on the A31 with dog cages in the rear.
- 8 Jan . Micheldever . White Ford Transit Y423 UOF . touting for scrap metal in the area.

Basingstoke & Surrounding Area

- 2 Jan . Bramley . White Ford Transit EJ51 FBC . seen taking scrap metal from a skip.
- 7 Jan . Silchester . Black Ford Ranger RV09 YRJ . seen with two male occupants acting suspiciously around curb stones.
- 8 Jan . Bramley . Black Saloon Vehicle Park Registration *MFM* - seen on farm yard supposedly looking for barn space.

East Hants & Surrounding Area

- 2 Jan . Colemore . White Ford Transit Flatbed S260 XOL . touting for scrap on a farm yard.

Hart & Surrounding Area

- 5 Jan . Blouce . White Vauxhall Insignia DE62 EKN . male occupant cold calling on addresses offering driveway maintenance.

Warning from Hampshire Trading Standards

Rogue traders are currently calling in the Fareham and surrounding area of Hampshire offering to tarmac driveways. During a recent incident the trader allegedly made a false claim that he worked for Hampshire County Council Highways. He said he was working nearby and had some left over tarmac available if the householder wanted their driveway resurfaced at a discounted price.

Trading Standards would advise consumers not to agree to work that is instigated as a result of a cold call or via a leaflet drop. Consumers should obtain at least 3 written quotes from reputable businesses or traders who are either members of the Hampshire County Council Trading Standards Buy With Confidence Scheme or a recognised trade association.

Members of the Buy With Confidence Scheme are fully audited to ensure their trading practices are legal, honest and fair. All members have been checked for trustworthiness and compliance with consumer protection laws. Details can be obtained by telephoning 01962 833620, emailing buy.with.confidence@hants.gov.uk or via the website www.buywithconfidence.gov.uk.

Traders who agree work at the home of an individual or at a place other than their usual business premises are required by law to provide consumers with a Notice of Right to Cancel, which gives consumers a 7 day cooling off period. Work should not commence until this period has ended, unless written agreement is obtained from that consumer beforehand.

If any has any information about traders who are cold calling or requires any advice on doorstep crime they can contact Hampshire County Council

Quick Response Team on 01962 833666

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where specially trained officers are on hand to provide advice. If assistance is required outside of these hours please contact Hampshire Police on their **non urgent number 101** or dial **999** if you feel threatened or intimidated.

NORTHERN COUNTRY WATCH WEEKLY 16 January 2013

Dear CW members, partners and colleagues.

I recently attended a meeting with Sergeant Mark Lamper, the Alresford Safer Neighbourhoods Sergeant and a large number of concerned Gamekeepers. The meeting was in response to the theft of working dogs. It is always a shame when a crime causes so much concern in any community but it is also heartening to see so many of that community come forward to discuss the issue and for them to want to support the action being taken to find the offenders and stop the crimes being committed. I would like to thank the organisers and the people that made the venue available for hosting the event and for giving us the opportunity to speak to such a large group.

Regards

Ps 1900 Stuart Tripp

GOOD NEWS STORIES

Three males were arrested by Targeted patrol officers in the early hours of the 10 January on suspicion of going equipped to steal and for the theft of dogs. Enquiries are currently ongoing.

A male has been reported for summons by a country watch officer for licensing offences in respect of the sale of Barn owl chicks.

A person who was caught fly tipping has been dealt with by Country Watch and local safer neighbourhood officers. The offender was reported for the offence and given a community resolution which required the offender to pay for the clear up costs.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Theft of Land Rovers

We are receiving reports of theft of older style Land Rover Defenders and Discoverys. If you own similar vehicles, please consider your security, do not leave keys with the vehicle, if possible, lock your vehicle away in a secure garage out of sight. Report any suspicious activity to the police on 101.

Theft of plant equipment

Theft of plant machinery is an ongoing issue. Please consider security devices, such as CESAR marking. If possible do not leave machinery in vulnerable locations, and lock

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away out of sight in a secure location. Identifiable property can be registered with Immobilise.com. Report any suspicious activity to the Police via 101.

Warning from Trading Standards

Rogue traders are currently cold calling in the Church Crookham and surrounding area of Hampshire offering free loft and cavity wall insulation.

Also:

Rogue Traders are currently cold calling in the Bordon, Whitehill and surrounding area of Hampshire offering to clear moss from roof tiles. The traders are not providing the appropriate Notice of Right to Cancel and Cancellation Form as required by law, and additional work is often found which may be unnecessary.

Trading Standards would advise consumers not to agree to work instigated as a result of a cold call or via a leaflet drop. Consumers should obtain at least 3 written quotes from reputable businesses or traders who are either members of the Hampshire County Council Trading Standards Buy With Confidence Scheme or a recognised trade association.

Members of the Buy With Confidence scheme are fully audited to ensure their trading practices are legal, honest and fair. All members have been checked for trustworthiness and compliance with consumer protection laws. Details can be obtained by telephoning 01962 833620, emailing buy.with.confidence@hants.gov.uk or via the website www.buywithconfidence.gov.uk

Traders who agree work at the home of an individual or at a place other than their usual business premises are required by law to provide consumers with a Notice of Right to Cancel, which gives consumers a 7 day cooling off period. Work should not commence until this period has ended, unless written agreement is obtained from that consumer beforehand.

Further information about the eligibility criteria for assistance with funding for loft and/or cavity wall insulation can be obtained from the Energy Saving Trust on 0300 123 1234.

If anyone has any information about traders who are cold calling or requires any advice on doorstep crime they can contact Hampshire County Council's

Quick Response Team on 01962 833666

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where specially trained officers are on hand to provide advice.

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Reported Rural Crime



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www.immobilise.com register your property free, it only takes a couple of minutes.

Crime reports UK. All reported crime can be viewed by logging on to the Crime reports website where any crime reported in Hampshire will be shown. This is good news as it gives you the freedom to check on reported crime at any time to suit you.

If you require any help or advice on how to access the information on this web site please contact the Country Watch Team.

Hampshire Police UK is the official Hampshire Constabulary web site. Details of your local Safer Neighbourhood Teams (SNT) can be found on this, along with other information in relation to Hampshire Constabulary.

If you wish to contact the **Hampshire Horse Watch** regarding any Equine related crime prevention advice or to request tack marking you can email them at equine@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

www.dogwatchalert.com Thames Valley Police website for lost or stolen dogs.

(N.B. The links to the web addresses have been removed as some people experienced problems when accessing the links via this message.)

VEHICLES OF INTEREST

****NB: Please bear in mind that although the vehicle details given below have been reported by members of the public as being seen in suspicious circumstances, it may be that they are going about their lawful business and/or may not have been taken correctly by the person reporting the incident.****

Winchester and surrounding area

10/01/13: 1819hrs: Bishops Waltham: **White Ford Transit V696DTN:** seen acting suspiciously on a rural road, possibly looking to fly tip.

11/01/13: 1045hrs: Axford: **Grey Peugeot registration similar to AD54 PAC:** seen acting suspiciously in the area.

11/01/13: 2030hrs: Owslebury: **Blue Subaru Partial index only T44*:** seen driving around the Owslebury area.

12/01/13: 2101hrs: Swanmore: **Dark Red Saloon T286 HCW:** vehicle seen with one male occupant, stopped in entrance of a residential driveway. Drove off when occupant returned home.

Basingstoke and surrounding area

10/01/13: 1200hrs: Brimpton Common: **Blue & Silver Mitsubishi Shogun M792 NCG:** seen with 3 male occupants and two Lurcher type dogs acting suspiciously near to a farm yard.

12/01/13: 1215hrs: Monk Sherborne: **Silver Transit VO61 BVR:** one male occupant, going door to door offering pots for sale. Van sign written with 'Heritage Landscapes'.

East Hants and surrounding area

12/01/13:1910hrs: East Meon: **Red 4X4, Partial index E* DFG:** seen acting

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suspiciously in the East Meon area.

14/01/13: 1154hrs: East Worldham: **White Ford Transit YY05 SVZ**: seen with three males on board looking around farm yard.

14/01/13: 1400hrs: Liss: **White Ford Transit AK56 AOJ**: occupants seen in the area touting for scrap.

Hart and surrounding area

16/01/13: 1430hrs: Hartley Wintney: **Black VW Hatchback YX10 XBN**: seen acting suspiciously in a rural area.

Andover and surrounding area

15/01/13: 1240hrs: Stockbridge: **White Ford Tipper BK06 XYD**: seen driving around farm yard, occupant asking about vehicles on site.

Waterlooville and surrounding area

12/01/13: 1138hrs: Hambledon: **White Ford Transit DS57 OJU**: seen acting suspiciously around a rural property, paying attention to items in the garden.

Hayling Island area

No vehicles of interest reported.

Fareham and surrounding area

No vehicles of interest reported.

Gosport and surrounding area

No vehicles of interest reported.

Park Gate and surrounding area

No vehicles of interest reported.

AND FINALLY

Please keep reporting to help us help you.

Please remember to update us of any change to your contact details so we can keep our records up to date.

countrywatch@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

Tel: 01962 841534 or DDI: 101

Northern Country Watch team:

Petersfield Police Station

Andover Police Station

PS 1900 Stuart Tripp

PC 3961 Brian Pittman

PC 631 Elaine Skittlethorpe

PC 24208 Jon Radcliffe

Waterlooville Police Station

Alresford Police Station

PC 912 Lynn Owen

Hook Police Station

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PCSO 14212 Mel Rowell

PC 1536 Mick Ames

PCSO 13627 Becky Veal

PCSO 11357 Tria Gibbs

Hayling Island Police Station

Park Gate Police Station

Gosport Police Station

PCSO 12626 Jane Peacock

PC 3753 James Heath

PC 1882 Joseph Sankey

PCSO14474 Tammi Ley

Whitchurch Police Station

PC 20084 Steve Rogerson

Suspicious/criminal activity – Livery Yard, Ropley/Four Marks
Crime Ref: 44130014584

On Friday 11 January 2013 between 0900 - 1830 hours a stable block/livery yard in the Ropley/Four Marks area was the subject of criminal activity. Electric fencing was up-rooted and horses have been let out of their stables allowing them to escape the security of their field/stable which could have lead to all manner of accidents.

Please report to the police any unusual activity in an around your stable areas or fields. All crimes, no matter how trivial, must be reported to the police. This allows the police to see how many crimes are being committed, where the crimes are being committed to evaluate crime trends and see if there is linkage. If you don't report crime then you are enabling the criminal to get away with it!!

At present the reported incident appears directed to the one yard albeit there have been several incidents there over the past three months but only the most recent has been reported. The regular request to get your property post coded is repeated. This form of crime prevention and crime deterrent remains a Hampshire Horsewatch priority for 2013.

Burglary Non Dwelling – Hedge End, Southampton

Between 1600 06/01/13 & 1655 07/01/20 1315 x assorted rugs of varying styles, makes and colours were stolen.

Please note that this type of theft is prevalent in this area. Post code your rugs!

Thames Valley Police

Telephone: 101

Thames Valley Mounted Section 01908 686075

Watch Administrator . Thames Valley Police 0118 9181644

Christine.seal@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk

www.thamesvalleyhorsewatch.org.uk tvhorsewatch@btinternet.com

Horse blanket theft - Chalfont St Giles : 14/01/2013 [32068]

Over the last two weeks, horse blankets have been taken from horses in a field in Chalfont St. Giles. The blankets were padlocked in place; however the offenders have nearly injured the animals by attempting to remove the blankets.

Can all stables, farms and individuals check their horses on a regular basis and if there are any

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incidents please report them via the Thames Valley Police on the non emergency number 101.

Dogwatch No. 871

Police Recover Saddlery

Two men and a woman have been arrested in the Grimsby area of Banbury for saddlery and rug thefts. Large quantities of equipment have been recovered after links were made with stolen tack being sold on eBay. **The recovered saddlery will be on display at the Banbury Police Station on Tuesday 15th January from 9.00 am to 4.00 pm for people who have registered an equine related theft to reclaim their equipment.**

Suspicious Suzuki

A suspicious red Suzuki Swift was seen driving around Toad Hall near Henley on 9 January. The male driver was aged about 30 to 40 and bald; the front passenger was slim, clean shaven and the rear passenger was in his 50s and overweight. They are believed to have %Scouse+ accents.

Saluki Recovered

The Saluki that went missing from Blewbury on 8 January (Dogwatch 870) has returned home, safe and well.

Dogwatch No. 872

Rural Crime Meeting

Thames Valley Police are inviting all farmers, landowners, rural businesses, gamekeepers and estate managers in the Princes Risborough, Hazlemere and Flackwell areas to a %Rural Matters+ meeting to be held at the Clare Foundation, Saunderton on Tuesday, 5 February between 6.45 & 8.45. The Police; NFU; Leader Project; Horsewatch and Firearms Licensing will all be present, discussing crime and initiatives. For more information or to RSVP please contact WPC Claire Marchant on 07971 965409 or email claire.marchant@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk

Theft of Takeuchi – Farm in Arborfield

Crime Reference: EF4186510/13

A grey and red 3 Tonne 360 Takeuchi Digger, was stolen from a farm at Arborfield near Reading on 11 January. Fortunately, by using its tracker, police recovered it from a container at a traveller's site at Mortimer later the same day.

White Defender charges horses – Uffington, Nr Wantage

On Sunday 13 January at approx 1215hrs a member and companion were riding on the road at Sower Hill, Uffington, near Wantage. A white Land Rover Defender fitted with a roof cage deliberately drove at the pair at a speed estimated to be 40-45 mph. The rider signalled to the driver to slow down but he took no notice and came within inches of the two horses causing one of them to %spook+. The registration number could not be read because of the speed of the vehicle, but it had a cover on its spare wheel marked %James French+. Similar incidents have occurred several times in the area. Be sure to report any similar happenings to the police.

Incidents Involving RTCs and horses – December

- Racehorse put down after falling on the road in Newbury . unknown if veh involved. Jockey OK.
- Stray horse hit by car and killed in Kidlington. Driver of vehicle escaped with cuts and bruises despite horse going through the windscreen. Owner found.
- Driver possibly under the influence of alcohol hit 3 x ridden horses near Windsor. Two horses killed or put down at the scene . one horse injured and two riders hospitalised with serious injuries.

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Theft of rugs – Chalfont, Bucks

Crime Ref: GA4180807/12

Shetland pony rugs stolen one day, were replace by the owner only to have the new, made to measure ones stolen the following night! They are black and purple and one is described as camouflaged.

There have been many reports of stolen rugs. Please mark your rugs. Do not padlock the straps/buckles as it could be dangerous if your horse became entangled in the rug.

Surrey Police

Telephone: 101

SAFE - Surrey Action for Equines (Surrey Horsewatch) Tel: 01420 487625

www.surrey-action-for-equine.co.uk

No Information Received

Hertfordshire Constabulary

Telephone: 101

Email: eastherhorsewatch@hotmail.com Jill.dockley@herts.pnn.police.uk 01992 533043

The scheme is running in the Eastern area and will be rolled out across the county later.

No Information Received

Essex Police

Telephone: 101

Valerie.crawford@essex.pnn.police.uk www.essexhorsewatch.org.uk

No Information Received

Kent Police

Telephone: 101

Co-ordinator Diane Leslie Veal - Email - diane.leslieveal@btinternet.com

No Information Received

Sussex Police

Telephone: 101

Contact: Phil Ball

www.sussexhorsewatch.webs.com/ sussexhorsewatch@googlemail.com.

Main plaiting incident – Berwick

Crime Refs: 844/1912 and 12572212

There has been 2 recent reports of horsesqmanes being plaited in Berwick (near Lewes).

Theft of paddock gates – Ifield, Nr Crawley

Crime Ref: 0728 of 07/12

It is believed the gates were stolen sometime between 1200 hours on Sunday 6 January and 1300 hours on Monday 7 January. It is also believed the offender/s may have parked on Charlwood Road and walked up. The gates are described at 6ft, wooden, arched and worth approx £300 - £400. Police are appealing for any witnesses or anyone with information to call 101 quoting the above crime reference no.

Bedfordshire Police

Telephone: 101

Police Contact: Claire Ackerman . Claire.ackerman@bedfordshire.pnn.police.uk

Tel: 01234 842220

Ringmasters: Sarah Stevens: sarah.stevens@safer-beds.org and Dean Doyle:

dean.doyle@safer-beds.org

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Rowena James Rowena-james@supadooper.com
Kerry Willis-Jones: Kerry.Willis-Jones@Bedfordshire.pnn.Police.uk
David Layton: David.Layton@bedfordshire.pnn.police.uk

Criminal damage to stable - Stanbridge, Leighton Buzzard

Crime Ref: JD1099/2013

Overnight on 8/9 January an offender gained access to the location. The door to a stable was damaged, but no entry gained. No property taken. The horses at the location were not harmed.

Be aware of any suspicious vehicles and people in yards and around horses. Keep valuables secure. Avoid leaving tack or equipment yards where they can be seen from the road. Property mark all valuables. Use a visible marking for machinery and equipment, such as etching or engraving. Secure all vehicles in the yard. Do not leave keys with vehicles.

Stable Burglary – Potton

Crime Ref: JD/1709/2013

Overnight on 13/14 January an offender approached a barn at the location. The padlock was cut and several bales of hay were taken.

Be aware of any suspicious vehicles and people in yards and fields. Check the security of all out-buildings, consider fitting security lighting and alarms. Keep valuables secure. Avoid leaving equipment in yards or fields where they can be seen from the road. Property mark all valuables. Use a visible marking for machinery and equipment, such as etching or engraving. Secure all vehicles in the yard. Do not leave keys with vehicles

Stables Burglary – Lidington

Crime Ref: JD/512/2013

Overnight on 4 to 5 January offender/s gained access to the location. The door to a tack room was forced open and a search took place. No property taken.

London
The Metropolitan Police Service
Telephone 101

No Information Received

South West
Wiltshire Constabulary, Devon & Cornwall Constabulary, Gloucestershire Constabulary,
Dorset Police, Avon & Somerset Constabulary

Wiltshire Police

Wiltshire Horsewatch Police Co-ordinator: PCSO John Bordiss
Non emergency Tel: 101 ext 739817 or mobile: 07968942116

john.bordiss@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk
ruralcrimeteam@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk

Wiltshire Horsewatch - Civilian Co-ordinator: Tracy Barthram
Email: tbarthram@hotmail.com
www.wiltshirehorsewatch.co.uk

No Information Received

Devon and Cornwall Constabulary
Phone 101

Cornwall Horsewatch

The organiser is Bernadette Marsh on thegrazelivery@sky.com. Telephone number 07855
705892

The Horse Watch is focused on Golant, Lanlivery, Fowey, Lostwithiel, Par and St Blazey,

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Tywardreath, Polkerris and Luxulyan, but does not exclude surrounding areas.
Devon Horsewatch
Georgina Dale
georginadale@hotmail.com

No Information Received

Dorset Police
Telephone: 101

HorseWatch Co-ordinator jane.brittain@dorset.pnn.police.uk
Dorset Police Tel: 01202 220804 - wildlife-crime@dorset.pnn.police.uk

Thefts of fencing units and batteries – Lytchett Minster

Since Saturday 6 Jan 2013 there have been three reported thefts of electric fencing units and batteries stolen from farmland in the area of Lytchett Minster, Upton. A Peugeot 306 colour green, P registration, was seen in the area under suspicious circumstances, which could be linked to the thefts (?) If you see any suspicious activity or vehicles please contact Dorset Police on 101 or 999 if an emergency.

Theft of fuel incidents

The Potterne & Three Legged Cross Safer Neighbourhood Team would like to make people aware of two thefts of fuel in the area recently. The fuel was taken from horse lorries while owners were riding their horses. The team would like to ask owners to consider this when leaving their vehicles in secluded areas, and should they require any security advice please on 101 or our SNT mobile 07825 521765.

Avon & Somerset Constabulary
Telephone: 101

Lindsey Stone, Watch Scheme Administrator, Somerset West Police District. Tel 01823-363348 (direct line) or Email lindsey.stone@avonandsomerset.police.uk
PCSO Elaine Seaward elaine.seaward@avonandsomerset.police.uk 0845 456 7000 extension number 62029
Carol Barnett : chathamrow@ukonline.co.uk
<http://www.somersethorsewatch.co.uk> info@somersethorsewatch.co.uk
Tel: 0777 5856247

No Information Received

Gloucestershire Constabulary
Telephone: 101

The below named officer is the Horsewatch Co-ordinator at Gloucestershire Constabulary.
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North East Region

Yorkshire is policed by the following police forces: North Yorkshire Police, South Yorkshire Police, West Yorkshire Police, Northumbria Police, Durham Constabulary, Cleveland Police, Humberside Police (made up of East Yorkshire, North East Lincolnshire North Lincolnshire and Kingston-upon-Hull)

South Yorkshire Police

Telephone: 101

Contact: Donna Fry - PCSO 8242

Doncaster East Country Crimewatch Officer

Telephone: 01302 385502

BLACKBERRY 07789926325

Email: donna.fry@southyorks.pnn.police.uk

Stolen – Driving Cart – Doncaster Area

Crime Ref: A/1214/2012

A driving cart was stolen from Doncaster on 3 January. It is black in colour with build number 10514.



North Yorkshire Police

Telephone: 101

Scarborough & District Country Watch

www.countrysidewatch.org.uk countrysidewatch@hotmail.com

No Information Received

Northumbria Police

Telephone: 101

No Information Received

West Yorkshire Police

Telephone: 101

fiona.pearson@westyorkshire.pnn.police.uk

No Information Received

Durham Constabulary

Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Cleveland Police

Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Humberside Police including

East Yorkshire, North East Lincolnshire, North Lincolnshire and Kingston upon Hull

Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Eastern Region

Cambridgeshire Constabulary, Derbyshire Constabulary, Lincolnshire Police, Nottinghamshire Police, Norfolk Constabulary, Suffolk Constabulary

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Cambridgeshire Constabulary

Telephone: 101

Cambridgeshire Horsewatch: Gemma Dear (PCSO Cambridgeshire Constabulary)

Tel: 07850 142630 email: horsewatch@camb.s.pnn.police.uk

Theft of hay – High Road, Little Downham, Ely

Crime Ref: CF0014430113 : 05-12/01

Theft of 6 x hay bales wrapped in white plastic.

Theft of tack and equipment - Earith Road, Colne, St Ives

Crime Ref: CF0013380113 : 10-11/01

Offenders gained access from a paddock at the rear of the location then forced a padlock off the tack room door. A wheelbarrow and items including 6 x head collars, 6 x lead ropes, a Machine Mart wood burning stove, 15 x electric fence posts, 1 pair of riding gloves, 100 sachets of BUTE horse pain relief drug Phenbutazone, Champion riding hat with a navy silk cover and a set of lifting springs for a Land Rover were taken.

Theft of rugs - Floods Ferry, March

Crime Ref: CF0016480113 : 13-14/01

Offender/s stole 3 horse rugs from the horses backs and a wheelbarrow.

Theft of tack - Earith Road, Colne, St Ives

Crime Ref: CF0015700113 : 11/01

Theft of a Harry Dabbs 17.5+black saddle, a brown GFS 17+saddle, Heineger horse clippers, a red and black battery charger, nylon head collar in blue and 1 in green.

CF0020180113 16-17/01

Weirs Drove, Burwell, Cambridge

Theft of approx 10 bags of horse feed and 3 bins containing more feed.

CF0019630113 15-16/01

Alconbury, Huntingdon

Theft of 3 Rutland electric fence units, 2 x green and 1 black, all 9+x 12+

CF0019030113 15-16/01

High Street, Toseland, St Neots

Offenders gained entry into stable/tack room and stole an opened 20kg sack of pony cubes feed.

CF0018060113 15/01

Linton, Cambridge

Offender/s smashed through the locks to the tack room and stole a Hayter green lawn mower, a Stihl orange hedge trimmer, and 4 saddles, awaiting further details about the saddles

Lincolnshire Police

Non Emergency Number 101

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Derbyshire Constabulary
Telephone: 101
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31/12/2012	108	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	2 HORSES RUNNING UP THE ROAD TOWARDS RIPLEY
31/12/2012	118	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	LOOSE HORSE OUTSIDE MY ADDRESS ON THE LAWNS. NEEDS TO BE CAUGHT QUITE QUICKLY AS ITS CAUSING DAMAGE TO THE LAWNS
31/12/2012	127	BOLSOVER	OTHER THEFT *C*	I RUN A BUSINESS WITH MY BUSINESS PARTNER. IT IS CALLED "THE WESTERN SHOP". WE SELL SADDLES. WE WERE STOCKTAKING YESTERDAY, AS THE BUSINESS IS ABOUT TO SPLIT. WE ARE A SADDLE MISSING - APPROX £1920.00. I THINK IT HAS GONE WITHIN THE LAST FORTNIGHT.
31/12/2012	129	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	2 HORSES ON OUR CAR PARK MUNCHING ON A GRASS VERGE, THEY CAN EASILY GET ON THE ROAD . NO IDEA WHESE THEY ARE. ONE WHITE WITH BLACK AND WHITE WITH BROWN. CHUNKY LITTLE THINGS. IM NOT GOIG NEAR THEM BUT THERES A WOMAN HERE TRYING TO KEEP THEM HERE AND OFF THE ROAD
31/12/2012	154	AMBER VALLEY	POLICE GENERATED RESOURCE ACTIVITY	CALLER REPORTING THAT HE IS BEING INTIMIDATED IN HIS OWN HOME AND IS FRIGHTENED TO GO OUT OF HIS HOME - THEY HAVE PUT A HORSE ON HIS FIELD WITHOUT HIS PERMISSION - ONE OF THE OFFENDERS ARE ON HIS FRONT ROOF AND ANOTHER TWO ON THE BACK GARDEN
31/12/2012	325	DERBY SOUTH	SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES/INSECURE PREMISES OR VEHICLES	IN THE MIDDLE OF THE FOOTPATH THERE IS BLACK PLASTIC DISC, FROM CLAY PIGEONS ALL SMASHED UP AND THE WADDING FROM THE 12 BORE CARTRIDGES AS THOUGH SOMEONE HAS BEEN SHOOTING IN THE MIDDLE OF THE FOOTPATH. THEY WERE THERE YESTERDAY AND TODAY. THIS IS IN THE NATIONAL FOREST AT THE BACK OF HARTSHORNE. THERE ARE FIELDS OF HORSES ROUND ABOUT. THE LOCATION IS IT IS TO THE SOUTH SIDE OF FOREMARK RES AND NEAR FAIRVIEW FARM.
01/01/2013	68	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	TAXI DRIVER HAS STOPPED ME ADVISING ME THAT THERE ARE FOUR HORSES OUT ON THE ROAD , TAXI DRIVER ALSO MENTIONED HIGHHOLBOURNE ROAD.
01/01/2013	567	OUT OF FORCE SECTORS	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	CALLER REPORTING 7 HORSES RUNNING ALONG THE ROAD. ALMOST CRASHED INTO THEM
01/01/2013	610	OUT OF FORCE SECTORS	POLICE GENERATED RESOURCE ACTIVITY	CALLER REPORTING BETWEEN 10-12 HORSES HAVE ESCAPED - THEYVE RUN RIGHT DOWN SAWLY RD AND ARE HEADING TWDS CASTLE DONNINGTON. THEY ARE ALL TOGETHER RUNNING IN A HERD. MOST HAVE HEAD COLLARS. CALLER IS ON THE BRIDLEPATH ALONG THE M1 SLIP TO J24A, SHE WILL GET TO THE ROAD AND MAKE HERSELF KNOWN TO POLICE. CALLER HAS BEEN RUNNING AFTER THEM AND CANT DO ANYMORE, NEEDS HELP TO CATCH THEM SOMEHOW.

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01/01/2013	696	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	MESSAGES	WE ARE GOING TO BE TRAIL HUNTING, WITH HOUNDS AND HORSES. STARTING AT 11.00AM UNTIL ABOUT 15.30PM. STARTING AT THE GATE INN, THEN GOING BACK TOWARDS BARLOW, CORDWELL VALLEY, THEN BACK TO GATE INN. WILL RING WHEN WE HAVE FINISHED.
02/01/2013	35	OUT OF FORCE SECTORS	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	TWO HORSES OPP THE ROYAL OAK JUST BEFORE TURNING FOR MARPOOL -
02/01/2013	144	B NORTH	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	2 HORSES ON THE ROAD. YOUNG GIRL RUNNING AFTER THEM ON HER MOBILE SAYING SOMEONE LEFT THE STABLE GATE OPEN.
02/01/2013	263	CHESTERFIELD	NUISANCE	AGAIN THERE ARE MOTORBIKES BEING RIDDEN IN THE WOODS NEAR TO THE HORSES AT OUR LIVERY. I CALLED YOU ABOUT THIS 2 WEEKS AGO AS I ALSO HAD RACIST REGARDS MADE TO ME WHEN I ASKED THEM TO LEAVE BUT NO ONE CAME OUT. CAN AN OFFICER COME OUT TODAY PLEASE AS I HAVE BEEN TOLD TO RING YOU EACH TIME THEY ARE HERE.
02/01/2013	292	AMBER VALLEY	PERSONAL	MY BLUE NISSAN MICRA REG FN02DLY HAS HAD TACKS REMOVED FROM THREE OF ITS WHEELS. I HAVE A HORSE WHICH I KEEP AT STABLES IN LEASBROOK BEHIND THE CEMETERY. THERE HAS BEEN PROBLEMS WITH LOCALS WHO WILL NOT ACCEPT THE TRACK CAN BE USED TO GAIN ACCESS TO THE STABLES. POLICE HAVE BEEN INVOLVED AS WELL AS THE COUNCIL. (I/S 153 16/7/12) . CAN I SEE AN OFFICER PLEASE. FROM CALL CENTRE.. ALFRETON HOME VISIT SURGERY APPOINTMENT MADE FOR 5.50PM 3/1/13.
02/01/2013	708	B NORTH	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE ARE TWO HORSES THAT HAVE ESCAPED FROM THE FIELD THEY ARE IN THE ROAD NEAR TO THE CINEMA. I THINK THE OWNERS LIVE LOCALLY
03/01/2013	60	BOLSOVER	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	CALLER REPORTING THERE IS A HORSE IN THE ROAD - NEAR HALF MOON PUB
03/01/2013	189	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	NUISANCE	I AM OUT ON MY HORSE AND WANT TO REPORT TWO MOTORBIKES ON THE BRIDLE WAY. ONE OF THE REG NUMBERS IS R576 PRJ. THERE WAS ALSO A CHILD ON A PONY THAT THEY DROVE AT. I ASKED THEM WHERE THEY HAD COME FROM AND THEY SAID THE SWAY.
03/01/2013	436	DERBY SOUTH	SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES/ INSECURE PREMISES OR VEHICLES	WILLINGTON TO SWARKESTONE RD - OPPOSITE FERNELLO CLOSE - ABOUT 1600HRS 2 IRISH GUYS 30 + 40YRS PULLED UP ALONGSIDE MINE - WE WERE ATTENDING TO MY PONIES - THEY HAD A WHITE OPEN BACKED VAN WITH LADDERS ON THE BACK - ENQUIRING IF WE WANTED TO BUY 2 PONIES FOR £50... IF WE WANTED TO SELL A TRAILER IN THE FIELD.... - ALL DECLINED BUT THEY WERE PERSISTENT IN THEIR QUESTIONING - HAVE MOVED OUR PONIES TO ANOTHER FIELD JUST IN CASE THEY HAD ULTERIOR MOTIVES - FOR INFO OF LOCAL OFFICERS IN CASE OF ANY INCIDENTS IN AREA
03/01/2013	590	AMBER VALLEY	MESSAGES	I HAVE A LIVESTOCK FIELD OFF OF PIT LANE, I KEEP HORSES THERE. THE NEIGHBOURS HAVE SAID THAT THEY HAVE NOTICED A VEHICLE WITH 2 MALES SAT INSIDE NEXT TO THE FIELD 3 TIMES. TODAY BEING THE LAST AT 12.50PM. I HAVE NO OTHER INFO ABOUT WHAT THEY HAVE BEEN SEEN DOING AS I HAVENT SEEN THEM. TODAY A NEIGHBOUR GOT THE CAR DETAILS, VRM - PK06LEU, RED PEUGOET. I WAS JUST CONCERNED ABOUT THE VEHICLE BEING THERE SO WANTED TO MAKE A REPORT.

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04/01/2013	109	AMBER VALLEY	BURGLARY *C*	THERE HAS BEEN A BREAK IN AT THE STABLES, ALL THE BUILDINGS HAVE BEEN FORCED WITH A CROW BAR OR A BAR, AND THE KITCHEN DOOR HAS BEEN FORCED AS WELL, I CAN SEE THAT THE STRIMER HAS BEEN TAKEN. THEY HAVE HAD ACCESS TO 5 BUILDINGS.
04/01/2013	179	BOLSOVER	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	ON THE COUNTRY PARK AND THEIR IS A HORSE THAT IS CHARGING AT ME. I AM PREGNANT. CALLER IS GOING TO THE MAIN ENTRANCE NOW. CALLER IS NOT INJURED. CALLER STATES TWO PEOPLE RUNNING AFTER IT NOW.
04/01/2013	181	BOLSOVER	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	3 HORSES BEHIND A GATE ON A6135 BY J30. COULD GET ONTO THE DUAL CARRIAGEWAY. DO WE KNOW WHO THE OWNERS ARE?
04/01/2013	398	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	NR TO MARTINS WORKS THERE IS A HORSE ON THE SIDE OF THE ROAD - NOT TETHERED.
04/01/2013	579	B SOUTH	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	I HAVE JUST SEEN A SHIRE HORSE LOOSE ON THE ROAD IN DOVERIDGE. IT IS VERY UPSET AND RUNNING ABOUT ON THE ROAD. I LAST SAW IT 2 MINS AGO ON DERBY ROAD BY THE CAVENDISH PUB. PLEASE CAN OFFICERS BE NOTIFIED.
04/01/2013	719	BOLSOVER	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	OUTSIDE BRIDGE HOUSE STORES PETROL STATION AT BARLBOROUGH 3 HORSES ON THE ROAD. THEY WILL BE ON THE MOTORWAY SOON.
05/01/2013	200	BOLSOVER	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	YET AGAIN, 2 X MALES AND ABOUT 10 DOGS ARE OUT HARE COURSEING ON MY LAND: CURRENTLY WALKING UP WHITWELL LANE WHICH IS A BRIDLE PATH ACROSS MY FIELD, TOWARDS THE A619.
05/01/2013	236	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	HORSE IN A FIELD WHICH LOOKS VERY SKINNY AND ALL ITS BONES ARE SHOWING . GINGER HORSE , IT IS IN THE FIELD OVER THE ROAD FROM THE SCHOOL . CAN WE MAKE THE RSPCA AWARE .
05/01/2013	329	AMBER VALLEY	LOST/FOUND PROPERTY/PERSO N/FOUND SMV	IN THE PADDOCK AT THE REAR OF OUR PROPERTY WE HAVE FOUND A BROWN LEATHER WALLET ITS BEEN A BIT CHEWED BY OUR PONIES, THERE IS A BIT OF CHANGE IN IT, A DRIVING LICENCE
05/01/2013	331	B SOUTH	MESSAGES	TRIAL BIKES HAVE BEEN USING A RESTRICTED BY WAY THIS MORNING.THEY HAVE GONE NOW. MY HUSBAND WAS RIDING A HORSE AND I WAS WALKING. I SLOWED THE BIKE DOWN AND HE LET US PASS. ANOTHER BIKE WENT OFF IN ANOTHER DIRECTION. THE FIRST BIKE WAS VRM M314VNN. HE CAME BACK DOWN TO US AND HE SAYS WE ARE ALLOWED TO RIDE ON THIS BY-WAY. I TOLD HIM HE WASN'T BUT DID NOT WANT TO GET INTO AN ARGUMENT. I TOLD HIM TO READ THE NOTICE AT THE BOTTOM OF THE ROAD.THEN THEY MET SOME MORE HORSERIDERS AND SAID THEY HAD NOT BEEN ON THE ROAD WHICH WAS FALSE. HAPPENED BETWEEN 1115 AND 1130 TODAY. THEY WERENT AGGRESSIVE OR ANYTHING. MALE WAS AGED 20-30 YRS. I OWN SOME OF THE LAND ON BAR ROAD.
05/01/2013	340	AMBER VALLEY	LOST/FOUND PROPERTY/PERSO N/FOUND SMV	I HAVE GOT A FIELD ON PEASEHILL WITH PONIES AND HORSES IN IT, THEY ARE CHAINED UP SO THEY CANT GET OUT. I HAVE JUST COME DOWN TO FEED THEM AND FOUND 2 PONIES HAVE BEEN STOLEN. I KNOW WHO HAS STOLEN THEM, WE HAVE BEEN TO COURT AND ** HAS GOT AN INJUNCTION OUT ON ME AND I HAVE GOT TO GIVE HER COMPENSATION. ** CAME TO MY HOUSE 3 WEEKS AGO LAST FRIDAY AND SAID IF I GIVE ***THE PONIES SHE WOULD GO TO COURT AND GET THE COMPENSATION SQUASHED. I REFUSED, SAYING THEIR MY PONIES AND NOW 2 OF THEM HAVE GONE. COULD I SEE AN OFFICER PLEASE.
05/01/2013	441	AMBER VALLEY	NUISANCE	A LOCAL FARMER IS RIDING A QUAD BIKE ON THE ROAD ON A REGULAR BASIS. I SAW IT ON FLAMSTEAD LANE, DENBY VILLAGE, A MINUTE AGO. IT HAS GOT A TRAILER FULL OF STRAW ON IT AS WELL.

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05/01/2013	484	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	I AM ON THE BOTTOM OF POLICE HQ'S ON THE COACH ROAD, NEAR TO THE NEW HOUSES. ONE OF THE GYPSY HORSES A LITTLE SHETLAND PONY IS LOOSE ON THE ROAD, ITS GOING TO GET HIT BY A CAR AS ITS GOING DARK NOW.
05/01/2013	500	B NORTH	NUISANCE	AT 1610HRS THIS AFTERNOON THERE WERE 4 MOTORBIKERS ON THE HAGUE FOLD THAT BECOMES HAGUE BARR, A RESTRICTED BYWAY, THEY WERE MIDDLE AGED MOTORBIKERS AS I STOPPED TO SPEAK TO THEM, I COULD ONLY GET 1 REGISTRATION NUMBER WHICH WAS MX11NXW, THEY ALL SEEMED NICE PEOPLE AND SAID THAT THEY WENT OFF ROADING LOCALLY, I DIDN'T MENTION AT THE TIME THAT IT WAS A RESTRICTED BYEWAY AS THEY SEEMED NICE PEOPLE BUT THIS IS A PROBLEM. ITS DANGEROUS BECAUSE A LOT OF HORSE RIDERS USE THIS BYEWAY AND IT BECOMES VERY NARROW.
05/01/2013	599	B NORTH	NUISANCE	CALLER RIDES HORSES ALONG A FOOTPATH DOWN BY COTTAGES AT BANK WOOD GATE, AT THE BOTTOM OF CHARLESWORTH, A LITTLE ROAD THAT RUNS ALONGSIDE THE RIVER. STATES THAT LANDOWNERS ON PART OF THIS PATH HAVE PUT UP SIGNS SAYING HORSE RIDING PROHIBITED - THIS IS DISPUTED BY HORSE RIDERS WHO ARE IN PROCESS OF TRYING TO GET THE PATH DECLARED A BRIDLEWAY - THAT BEING DEALT WITH THROUGH CIVIL CHANNELS. HOWEVER SHE SAYS THE OWNERS HAVE NOW TAKEN TO SETTING UP CONCEALED BRANCHES TO CAUSE PROBLEMS FOR RIDERS PASSING THROUGH - CALLER HAS TODAY BEEN STRUCK BY ONE OF THESE AND HAS SUSTAINED A MINOR INJURY TO HER EYE (NO MEDICAL TREATMENT REQUIRED). SHE WOULD LIKE TO SEE POLICE RE THIS.
05/01/2013	694	AMBER VALLEY	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	THERE IS A LOOSE BLACK AND WHITE HORSE ON THE LANE - COULD BE DANGEROUS IF IT WALKS OUT WHEN TRAFFIC GOES BY - CAN LOCAL OFFICERS BE MADE AWARE.
06/01/2013	225	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ROAD RELATED OFFENCE	OFF RD BIKES IN THE WOOD, THEY ARE ALL OVER THE PLACE WE ARE ON HORSES WE HAVE HAD TO COME OUT ABOUT 7 OF THEM HARD SAY WHETHER ADULTS CANT SEE ANY VEHICLES WITH TRAILERS. 1 ST TIME WE HAVE HAD TO REPORT IT.
06/01/2013	227	CHESTERFIELD	MESSAGES	*SNT P*IN WOODS AND ON BRIDLE PATH,WE ARE ON HORSEBACK AND CONCERNED HORSES MAY THROW US
06/01/2013	241	B CENTRAL	NUISANCE	THREE MOTORBIKES ON BRIDLEWAY NOW. THEY HAVE GONE ONTO THE BRIDLEWAY ITSELF 15 MINS AGO. IT GOES OVER TO THE SNAKE EVENTUALLY. THEY WENT VERY FAST AND WERE VERY NOISY. IT IS GETTING A REGULAR PROBLEM, THEY ARE STARTING TO RE-APPEAR. I HAVE NO VEHICLE DETAILS OR DESCRIPTION OF RIDERS.

Crime Ref	Section	Incident Created Date	Crime Type	Initial MO
411/13	CV	03/01/2013	Non domestic burglary	BETWEEN MATERIAL TIMES UNKNOWN OFFENDER/S ENTER DETACHED DOUBLE GARAGE VIA SIDE WOODEN DOOR, POWER TOOLS STOLEN FROM WITHIN, MOTOR BIKE FOUND HANGING HALF WAY THROUGH SIDE DOOR. NO DAMAGE CAUSED.
411/13	CV	03/01/2013	Non domestic burglary	BETWEEN MATERIAL TIMES UNKNOWN OFFENDER/S ENTER DETACHED DOUBLE GARAGE VIA SIDE WOODEN DOOR, POWER TOOLS STOLEN FROM WITHIN, MOTOR BIKE FOUND HANGING HALF WAY THROUGH SIDE DOOR. NO DAMAGE CAUSED.
521/13	CV	04/01/2013	Non domestic burglary	UNKNOWN OFFENDER FORCES THE LOCKS TO NUMEROUS STABLES AT LOCATION USING A CROW BAR OR SIMILAR, ENTERS AND STEALS PROPERTY FROM WITHIN

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55895/12	CB	31/12/2012	Non domestic burglary	UNKNOWN OFFENDER GAINS ACCESS TO SHOP PREMISES BY MEANS UNKNOWN, NO FORCE USED, STEALING SADDLE FROM WITHIN.
656/13	CB	05/01/2013	Non domestic burglary	DETACHED BRICK BUILT STABLES. OFFENDER/S USE BOLT CROPPERS TO REMOVE LOCKS FROM STABLE DOORS AND GAIN ENTRY. ONCE INSIDE OFFENDER/S MAKE UNTIDY SEARCH AND TAKE TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT FROM WITHIN. BOLT CROPPERS ARE DISGARDED ON GROUND NEARBY.
97/13	BH	01/01/2013	Vehicle crime	OVERNIGHT OFFENDER ENTERS DRIVEWAY OF DETACHED HOUSE AND OPENS INSECURE DRIVERS DOOR OF A SILVER TOYOTA AURIS REG ML07WTD. THERE PROPERTY STOLEN. OFFENDER THEN MAKES OFF.

Nottinghamshire Police
Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Norfolk Constabulary
Telephone: 101

www.norfolkhorsewatch.org Contact is Kerri Worrall on kerriworrall@aol.com

No Information Received

Suffolk Constabulary
Telephone: 101

Julie Dennis, Community Safety Unit on 01473 613994 e-mail

horsewatch@suffolk.pnn.police.uk

peninsulahorsewatch@aol.co.uk the contact name is Rachel Plowman

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Anyone who is interested in joining or would like more information can log onto the Suffolk Police website:

<http://www.suffolk.police.uk/aboutus/ourservices/joinawatchscheme/horsewatch.aspx>

Or contact Julie Dennis, Community Safety Unit on 01473 613888 ext 5986

email horsewatch@suffolk.pnn.police.uk

If you have any information on the crimes detailed in this bulletin, please contact Suffolk Police on 101 (or 01473 613500 if you are calling from outside East Anglia). If you would prefer to pass on information anonymously call Crime Stoppers on 0800 555 111.

Good News!

Last November a number of sheds on a farm were broken into and riding equipment was stolen. The equipment included a large number of Western and English saddles and bridles and two horse rugs. It is good to be able to report some positive news that most of the tack has been recovered during the investigation of another crime. Enquiries are continuing.

Please note: other offences may have occurred during this period. However, details cannot be disclosed as the victim has stated they object to publicity.

Theft of electric fencing – Felixstowe (IP11)

Crime Ref: FE/13/7

Between 27 December and 2 January offender(s) stole approximately three hundred yards of electric fencing has been cut and removed from a field.

Theft of fencing energiser and battery – Washbrook (IP8)

Crime Ref: HD/12/1925

Between 3pm and 10pm 25 December offender(s) stole a fencing energiser and battery from a paddock. Details of the energiser as follows:

Shepherd Fencing Unit - Model No ESD57 - Serial No 0411078499

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Theft of horse feed - Kessingland (NR33)

Crime Ref: LO/13/131

Between 4.15pm on 29 December and 8am on 30 December offender(s) stolen around £50 of horse feed and a plastic feed bucket from a field.

Theft from horse lorry - Sutton (IP12)

Crime Ref: WO/13/13

On 30 December offender(s) stole antique hip flask worth £300 from a horse lorry while parked unattended and insecure in a picnic site car park.

Warning for 4x4 owners

Catalytic Converter Thefts . there has been a sharp increase in thefts of catalytic converters across the county in the past week. Suffolk Police recommend catalytic converter marking for all 4x4 and commercial type vehicles as well as the following steps to keep your vehicle safe.

- Private vehicles should be kept in a well-secured garage where possible, and if no garage is available, in a well-lit, public area.
- Vehicles can be parked in such a way as to make access to the catalytic converter difficult or parallel with another vehicle if you own one.
- Commercial vehicles should be kept in a locked building or compound.
- Use appropriate alarms, lighting and CCTV to deter thieves.
- Remove items of value from your vehicle whilst unattended and keep it secure at all times

Midlands Region

Staffordshire Police, Leicestershire Constabulary, Warwickshire Police.
West Mercia Police (incorporating Worcestershire, Shropshire, Herefordshire)
Northamptonshire Police, West Midlands Police

Staffordshire Police

Telephone: 101

Staffordshire Horsewatch Tel: 01785 234429

No Information Received

Leicestershire Constabulary

Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Warwickshire Police

Telephone: 101

Julie Dale, HorseWatch Co-ordinator, Warwickshire Police
watch@warwickshire.police.uk Telephone 01926 684384
www.warwickshire-horsewatch.co.uk

No Information Received

West Mercia Police

(Incorporating Worcestershire, Shropshire, Herefordshire)

Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Worcestershire Horsewatch

Telephone: 101

www.worcestershirehorsewatch.co.uk

bequity@hotmail.co.uk

WPC 3308 Gail Greenhouse, Local Police Officer, Broadway Police Station
0300 333 3000 ext 3777, gail.greenhouse@westmercia.pnn.police.uk

No Information Received

Herefordshire Horsewatch

Telephone: 101

www.freewebs.com/herefordshirehorsewatch

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Chair Co-ordinator . Tara Heinemann. Telephone: 01544 318038 Email:
hfdshorsewatch@aol.com.

No Information Received

Shropshire Horsewatch
Telephone 101

or write to PO Box 767, Worcester, WR1 9AE

www.shropshirehorsewatch.co.uk admin@shropshirehorsewatch.co.uk

No Information Received

Northants Horsewatch

Northamptonshire Police - Telephone: 101 or 03000 111 222 if calling from outside of the area

<http://www.horsewatchnorthants.org.uk/>

Chairperson: Sandy Redmore sandy.redmore@btinternet.com

Police Co-ordinator: PC Claire Salmon claire.salmon@northants.pnn.police.uk

Attempt theft of horse – Banbury/Northants

Between 0200 & 0230 hrs on 3 Jan a horse owner on the Banbury/Northants border was alerted by the sound of a horse on the road outside. On checking saw one of their horses on the road with 2 males. The males were described as skinny, short hair and between 50+ and 60+ tall and had the horse on a halter or similar. On being disturbed the males took the halter off and ran away leaving the horse on the road. The horse was taken from a secure paddock with other horses in at the time and is a skewbald gypsy cob gelding. It is unknown at this time how the horse was removed from the field and no vehicles were seen in the area at the time of the incident.

West Midlands Police
Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Solihull Horsewatch
Telephone 101

Horsewatch Liaison

Community Partnerships Officer, Community Reassurance Team,
PO Box 1833, Council House, Solihull, West Midlands, B91 3DZ

No Information Received

Sandwell Horsewatch
Telephone 101

Helene Elder, Community Partnerships Officer
Ext/Internal 79116879 h.elder@west-midlands.police.uk

No Information Received

North West Region

Greater Manchester Police, Cheshire Constabulary, Lancashire Constabulary, Merseyside Police. To report suspicious behaviour or thefts please email admin@ukhorsechat.co.uk this is checked daily or

Tel 101

Horsewatch Contact Sarah Hallmark saza911@hotmail.com Tel: 07599 485450.

Greater Manchester Police
Telephone: 101

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Cheshire Constabulary
Telephone 101

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Lancashire Constabulary
Telephone: 101

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Lancashire Police
Preston Horsewatch - Lea Police Station - www.prestonhorsewatch.co.uk
Julie Anyon 7087 . 01772 209441 . julie.anyon3@lancashire.pnn.police.uk
Wyre Horeswatch : Wyre (East) : Garstang Police Station
PCSO 7025 John Holland - 01995 607869 - john.holland@lancashire.pnn.police.uk
Wyre (West) : Poulton Police Station
PCSO 7315 Chrissie Grimshaw - 01253 890813 christina.grimshaw@lancashire.pnn.police.uk
East & West Co-ordinator - Katy Lawton - katyprestonthorsewatch@hotmail.co.uk
Ribble Valley Horsewatch : Clitheroe Police Station
PCSO 7851 Di Bioletti - 01200 458734 dinah.bioletti@lancashire.pnn.police.uk

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Cumbria Constabulary
Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Merseyside Police
Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Wales

Dyfed-Powys Police
, South Wales, Gwent, North Wales

Dyfed-Powys Police
Telephone: 101

Haydn Lavin - Cwnstabl / Constable 938
Cymunedau a Phartneriaid / Communities and Partnerships
Y Gwalia, Llandrindod Wells. LD1 6AA
Swyddfa Gwalia Office 01597 827317
Swyddfa Aberhonddu / Bre con Office - 101 est/ext 460
E-bost/E-mail: haydn.lavin@dyfed-powys.pnn.police.uk
PembrokeshireHorsewatch@dyfed-powys.pnn.police.uk

PCSO Jude Parr - jude.parr@dyfed-powys.pnn.police.uk
Dyfed-Powys Police - Haverfordwest Police Station
Merlinø Hill, Haverfordwest, Pembrokeshire SA61 1PF

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South Wales Police
Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Gwent Police
Telephone: 101

PC Ruth James Email: ruth.james@gwent.pnn.police.uk
Sevenside Neighbourhood Policing Team, Caldicot Police Station

No Information Received

North Wales Police
Tel 101

Telephone: 0845 607 1001 (Welsh speaking) or 0845 607 1002 (English speaking)

No Information Received

The Police Service of Northern Ireland
Telephone: 0845 600 8000

No Information Received

Southern Ireland
An Garda Siochana
Telephone: 00353 1 666 0000

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Scotland
Horse Watch Scotland
New Contact Details
Tel: consult Directory Enquiries for specific Police Forces

www.horsewatchscotland.info

Co-Ordinator - fiona.stuart@horsewatchscotland.info

Strathclyde Police - karen.beattie@strathclyde.pnn.police.uk

Grampian - david.paton@grampian.pnn.police.uk

Dumfries & Galloway Constabulary - Judith.Richardson@dg.pnn.police.uk

Fife Constabulary - lan.laing@fife.pnn.police.uk

Tayside Police - donald.campbell@tayside.pnn.police.uk

Central Scotland Police - vacant

Northern Constabulary - vacant

Lothian & Borders Police - vacant

Greetings! from Horsewatch Scotland

An update from Farmwatch

First, Happy New Year and I hope that you had an enjoyable festive period. There have been 2 recent incidents I would like to draw to your attention.

Attempted theft of 2 quad bikes - farm in the Parbroath area

Two padlocks were overcome giving access to 2 quad bikes that were pushed a distance before being abandoned and subsequently discovered.

It may be the time spent overcoming the security around the quad bikes delayed the thieves long enough that they abandoned their attempts. However I would advise that padlocks should be of a high standard, designed to limit access for bolt cutters and, where possible, protected by steel covers only allowing access to lock/unlock the padlock.

Attempt theft from vehicle – Lutherie area

2 males disturbed attempting to remove the plastic wheel-arch trim from the front of a Ford Transit van

Ensure that any vans/vehicles with trim/parts that may be targeted are either secured in buildings or parked in such a manner to make access difficult.

***** Update on stolen mare - Dalry, Ayrshire *****

Crime Ref: UA0488 1212

Regarding the theft of Elise (the mare below) from Dalry, Ayrshire . she has been recovered safe and well and is being returned to her rightful owner.

Theft of tack from stables - Longridge, Nr Whitburn, West Lothian

Crime Ref: 0406

A large quantity of tack was stolen from stables in Longridge on the evening of 4 Januarys.

Items stolen include:-

- Black Ideal VSD 17+ wide fit. This saddle is in very good condition but has imprints on the inside of the saddle flap made from the girth buckles. It also has a small dent in the seat.
- Havana 17+ wide fit Lovett and Rickets GP. This saddle is in new condition as it has hardly been used. It has a gold coloured name plate on the back with no engraving. It also has a squared off cantle.
- Black Barnsby Eventing 17.5+ narrow fit (Mary King . not the version that is available just now as has normal shaped saddle flaps, however it does not say Mary King on it). This saddle is a really unusual design and has a dimpled effect on the leather. Brand new condition. This was taken with a Barnsby saddle cover.

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- Black Jeffries 17+GP. This is in good condition but has a couple of light scrapes on it.
- Farrington 17+XW WHP/Showing Havana. This is in as new condition.
- GFS 16+Hafflinger Black. Excellent condition. This was taken with a black saddle cover with Saddle World written in gold on the back.
- Wintec GP 17+. Damaged girth straps.
- Wintec VSD 17+ Black with Diamonte stirrups. Very good condition. Slight wrinkled underneath the pommel as the gullet has been changed several times.
- Wintec 17+ Tan close contact jumping saddle. With Cair, Crosby stirrup leathers, diamante stirrups, as new condition (stirrup leathers are damaged as they are very thick and get stuck when you try to change the stirrup length).
- Maxam Pony Saddle. Black, very good condition.
- Thorowgood Pony Club 15-16+. Black . does not have a changeable gullet (most of this type do) . excellent condition.
- Barnsby thought to be 17+. old condition.

Why not contact Horsewatch Scotland to arrange to have your tack marked.

Horse washed up on Mull shoreline

Deceased black and white horse has been washed up on Mull Shoreline. The only details we have is the colour and that it was wearing hind shoes. It is not thought to be a local horse and may be from the mainland or another island. If you think this may be your horse, please contact the British Horse Society Scotland.

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Useful Contacts

Stolen Horses International <http://www.netposse.com/stolenmissing/stolenhorses.htm>
UK Horsewatch Alliance www.ukhorsewatch.org.uk
Stolen Horse Register www.stolenhorseregister.com
Farm Key Tel: 0870 870 7107 : info@farmkey.co.uk

Crime Prevention – Don't be a victim of crime

www.crimestoppers.co.uk Tel: 0800 555 111
www.smartwater.com Property Security
www.farmkey.com Tel: 0870 870 7107 : info@farmkey.co.uk
www.freezemark.biz mary@freezemark.biz . Freeze Marking for Horses
01295 788226 or 07779262765
Dedicated to equestrian security
Rider & Horse Safety
www.equisecurity.co.uk
www.icebands.org
www.padlockirelandnationalregister.com
www.northernbrand.co.uk
Saddleguard info@saddleguard.co.uk . 01707 652577 or 07778 501915
www.Chips4Tack.com Tel: 01323 460887 . ID marking for saddlery
National Equestrian Crime Database www.necd.org.uk

Crime Detection – Find your stolen property

www.missinghorsesonloan.co.uk missinghorsesonloan@gmail.com . Tel 07794 453911
www.nfed.co.uk/horsewatch
www.nfed.co.uk/hhwlogo
www.stolenhorseregister.com
www.equinemarketwatch.org.uk
www.tracingequines.co.uk
www.virtualbumblebee.co.uk
<http://www.skywatchcivilairpatrol.org.uk/>
www.checkmend.com

If it's reported stolen it may be listed here.

Selection – Don't be a receiver of stolen goods – Check before you buy!

www.virtualbumblebee.co.uk
www.securedbydesign.com
www.equinemarketwatch.org.uk
www.tracingequines.co.uk
www.animalsonline.org.uk
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Equine Market Watch Welfare