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Information & Advice

CRIME PREVENTION INFORMATION. MOST URGENT AND IMPORTANT

Scam Warning, Scam Warning, Scam warning

Dear Reader,

The below is forwarded for your attention. Please forward to those you feel may benefit from receiving such information.

Please read the below information which has been received from www.nfed.co.uk. This web site covers the New Forest, Hampshire and is home to Hampshire Horsewatch web site www.nfed.co.uk/hampshirehorsewatch

Message received from the web site manager. It concerns scams over the sale of horse trailers.

Message follows:-

I had three of these scam ads submitted to the NFED yesterday, so they will be posting them elsewhere, so maybe worth putting out a warning.

All the trailers are near new, descriptions & photos are probably copied from genuine adverts.

The advertiser details & addresses are copied from various dealers in the London area that advertise online.

The Email address changed on each advert, but the password was the same.

They even paid for one advert using Paypal. Probably a hacked account but the payment came from Mexico.

The scam part. Anyone replying to the advert gets this or similar reply...

With all the moving and setting everything up, we can only deal through eBay, as we are high feedback eBay user. You can check with eBay the registration serial number, as soon as invoice is sent. I propose to close the deal through eBay, since they are the biggest and the most trustworthy online market place. Basically, it's similar to buying locally and also there is a great 14 days return policy. You will receive first the horse trailer and you have 14 days available to check and to decide if you keep it or not. For payment we will use eBay bank account. eBay will contact you with the Payment Invoice. eBay will contact us (seller and buyer) with payment and delivery instruction. They have also a Live Chat service within invoice, in case you need help with the transaction. You will have to pay eBay into their bank account. The money must be sent to eBay bank account, and eBay will hold the money until you receive the horse trailer. After eBay informs me that they have secured your payment into their bank account, I'll deliver the horse trailer to your address. After you will test it, inspect it (check serial number, etc) for 14 days and contact eBay to confirm you want to keep it, you need to confirm to eBay they can forward the money to my account. If you won't like or if it is not as advertised, which I can assure you it won't be the case because the horse trailer is in perfect condition, you can contact eBay and confirm you want it sent back, so the horse trailer will be returned to me at my expense and you get full refund from eBay.

To register the deal at eBay I need from you these info: eBay user ID, full name, address, city, zip code, your phone

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number, email address registered with eBay. As soon you give me these details I will register the deal and eBay will send us the invoice. I need to know also a specific time during the day when you are able to receive the horse trailer, as I can arrange have it delivered at that time, in case you need help.

Waiting your reply.

Thank you

CK Art – NFED

Web: www.nfed.co.uk

Mob: www.nfed.co.uk/mobile

Payments: www.ckshop.co.uk

[Contact Details](#)

The web manager has followed up his earlier message with the following warning and information

This is a good one.

A scammer is still using the same password for all adverts & email accounts, which allows me to log in to his Email & see where he has been posting ads! Action Fraud have been given all the details including the password, Crime Ref - NFRC140100513680

I've posted the following on the Crime forum at <http://www.nfed.co.uk/phpBB3/viewtopic.php?f=10&t=2011> but we certainly need to get the message out there.

This is the most prolific scammer that I have come across to date. He/she is posting multiple adverts on all equestrian & selling websites including Horsequest, Gumtree, Preloved, Ebay & many smaller sites.

Using many Email addresses & constantly registering new addresses. They are using proxy servers to give a false IP address which has so far shown them to be in the UK, US & Romania!

I am on to them & have rejected 5 new trailer adverts this morning, but he is getting adverts posted on many other sites including those listed above as they are not checked manually.

If you are looking for a trailer & answer an advert on any website or Facebook group, please take care & walk away as soon as something seem suspicious, or they mention Ebay payments/bank.

The Email addresses I have so far are.

spencerinmanchester@inbox.com

ladson90app@hotmail.com

gaynorcompany@inbox.com

thecampshop@inbox.com

tomeymotorgroup@inbox.com

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jamie_sander@aol.com

This list is growing all the time.

Please share this message to warn others.

CK Art – NFED

Web: www.nfed.co.uk

Mob: www.nfed.co.uk/mobile

Payments: www.ckshop.co.uk

[Contact Details](#)

Message from the BHS

Our Safety team is getting a number of calls about accidents while riding through standing water and flood water. Water can harbour debris that might not be visible on the surface but could injure your horse, like other hidden hazards e.g. potholes. Please take special care when riding out in these soggy conditions!

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Stolen Horses

STOLEN HORSE

“Tip Toe Sooty”

[This horse has been posted onto Hampshire Hooves/NFED and will be circulated nationally](#)

Police Reference 44140021624

Between 1400 - 1700

Saturday 18th January 2014

Location Colts Road Rownhams, Southampton

Stolen a six month old Falabella colt. Photos below

This is being treated as a theft and not a gone missing from a field!!

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Please be on a continuous look out for this little pony.

There is every possibility it is still in Hampshire but could well turn up anywhere and may be offered for sale. **BUYER BEWARE!!**

If you see this pony please call 101 and ask to be connected to Hampshire Police and quote the reference 44140021624



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At the time of circulating this bulletin these horses are still to be considered as stolen; the circulating Police Forces have not confirmed that there has not been any development.

Missing / Stolen Pony - Ramseys St Mary, Cambridgeshire
Crime Ref: CF0437771213

Please find attached details of an elderly pony missing, presumed stolen from Ramseys St Mary, Cambridgeshire

MISSING PONY
POSSIBLY STOLEN



From Ramsey St Marys – 6th / 7th December 2013

11hh, elderly, grey welsh gelding.

Has distinctive thick, curly coat – especially on legs.

Pink and black skin around nose and eyes.

Unshod. No freezemark.

Was wearing dark blue rug with purple binding.

Any news at all, please contact:

077863 21658 or 07967 818830 or 07523 867008

Missing / Stolen Pony - Bucks
Crime Ref. GA 4365365/13

Missing, believed stolen, sometime between 18.30 hrs 27th November 2013 and 18.30 hrs 28th November 2013. MONTY, an 18 month old Welsh section D colt, dark bay approximately 13.2hh. Scar can be felt from chest down right forearm. No white markings. Micro chipped (awaiting number). Gone from his field in Chalfont St Peter, Bucks with another pony, a 12.2hh chestnut with a stripe on his face that has not been reported as missing.

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Horsewatch Scotland - October Newsletter

Missing/Theft of a Colt - Argyll, near Dunoon but Closer to Strachur

Sunflower is an 8 month old colt. He went missing on Monday 28th October night or Tuesday 29th morning leaving his companion in the field. A gate secured with strong wire has been opened to the field, the wire is gone but the gate was left flat on the ground.

Sunflower is a skewbald cob with feathers and a big mane, about 13 to 13.2 hands, is quiet friendly and well handled but could easily get a fright or get scared. His microchip number is 958000002472597. It is not clear if the colt has gone off by himself or if he has been taken.



Theft of Pony - Private Field, Potton, Near Sandy

Crime Ref: JD/32314/2013.

Tuesday 10th September, between 8:00 & 7:00 p.m

The offender has damaged a section of fence to access the field, where a number of Shetland Ponies are kept. One pony has been taken - An elderly Black Shetland Pony. 35 years old. Has a greying face, with a scar on its neck. Freeze-marked with number 4 9 0 E on its side. The rug that the pony was wearing has been removed and left at the location. The remaining ponies have been left unharmed.

Crime Prevention Advice:-

- 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 valuable. 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.

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Stolen Pony – “Mac” – Newhouse, Motherwell

Crime Ref: 1291 of 06/08/13

Stolen from South Landridge Farm, Linrigg Road, Newhouse, Motherwell – 05/08/13

12.2hh Male Welsh Sec B X – 1 year & 4 months - Micro-chipped – Chestnut and stripe head from eyes to nose and four white feet.

Stolen Horse Register – Tel 0870 870 7107 – info@farmkey.co.uk



Stolen Shire Horses – Marshfield, Cardiff

Gwent Police Incident Number - 519 29/07/13

Sometime between 10 am Saturday 27/07/13 and Monday 29/07/13, two shire horses have been stolen from a field in Ty Mawr Lane, Marshfield, Cardiff.

Description of horses are as follows:

- 1 x 3 year old, 17 hands grey filly shire. (Photo attached).
- 1 x 7 year old, 18.2 hands (bay)brown with black mane and tail cross with a Percheon, mare.

Both Shires have been chipped and the bay shire is freeze marked. If anyone has any information on the above, please contact Gwent Police on 01633 838111 or 101 quoting incident number 519 29/07/13.

Please note the horse is asleep!



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Stolen Trailers

Theft of Cart - Whitchurch
Crime Ref: 44140017663

The photos are of a cart stolen from Whitchurch area overnight 14th -15th January 2014. This theft had to be premeditated, and the work of organised criminals.

The aggrieved have been victims of recent crime at the same location.



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 Horsewatches.

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

Non emergency number 0845 045 45 45 Email: equine@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

www.hampshire.police.uk

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Western Country Watch Area Information



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Generally within Hampshire there is a trickle of equine related crime. Between 24th January and 27th January in the northern area of Hampshire ranging from Kingsclere to Hartley Wintney there have been 3 non dwelling burglaries where rugs, feed, wheel barrows and other items have been stolen from each location. Thieves came prepared as all premises were secured and force had to be used to gain entry. At another location , Hook, 2 wheels were removed from an Lfor Williams horse trailer

Details of property stolen from one of the above mentioned burglaries

Crime Reference 44140032105
Location: Hartley Wintney

Date :24th/25th January 2014 listed below items found missing so far:

- 1 x Equine International 100gm 5'9" Navy Turnout (4 months old) - no hood
- 3 x Axiom 5'9" hooded rugs: navy/purple, pink/navy check and navy 2 toned check all 250gms
- 1 x Masta 5'9" hooded mid blue turnout 200 gms
- All above with _-over surcingle, leg straps double buckle or clip fronts and 2 neck straps
- 1 x Fal Purple half neck turnout 5'9" 250 gms (string on file) torn surcingle strap
- 1 x Masta lightweight turnout 5'9" Dark Purple no hood, string file
- 1 x Fal Pro in silver with silver/navy lining- 5'9" no hood
- 1 x yellow check Masta lightweight turnout 5'6"
- 1 x Mark Todd navy 5'6" lightweight turnout, no hood.
- 1 x green 5'6" thermatex, material frayed around front buckles

Some of above may have string filets or none.

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Thames Valley Police

Telephone: 101

Thames Valley Mounted Section 01908 686075

Watch Administrator – Thames Valley Police 0118 9181644

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DOGWATCH ALERT

[Dogwatch No. 979](#)

[Combating Rural Crime](#)

1. Possible Sheep Theft?

On 22nd January police officers attended a field just off the South Stoke Road, Woodcote in relation to some animal parts that had been left in this location. It is believed that these are sheep stomachs and entrails and have been left there within the last 48 hours. Officers are trying to ascertain where they came from and it is possible that this could be linked to a criminal act. Therefore officers are asking anyone who owns sheep in the area of Woodcote to check their flocks and make sure that they have none missing. If you find that you have some missing please contact PS 1857 Graham Pink on 101 and say that it is in relation to URN 576 of 22/01/14. Please note - These entrails are NOT believed to come from deer!

2. Good News Over the Border

In a case heard at Aldershot Magistrates Court, Lee Cooper, aged 31, from Lebanon Road, Southampton, and Walter Smith, aged 25, from Ringwood Road, Totton both pleaded guilty to entering land at night as a trespasser with the intention of taking game in Quarley, near Andover.

Cooper was fined a total of £825 and Smith was fined a total of £620. The two dogs involved in the offences were ordered to be forfeited and re-homed by the police.

Last week, Basingstoke magistrates fined Morris Cole, aged 46, from Fallowfield, Yateley, £165 plus court costs after he entered a guilty plea for daytime poaching in Whitchurch. The court ordered two of his three dogs that were seized to be forfeited.

These are the first prosecutions by officers in Hampshire where courts have ordered the forfeiture of dogs which have been used in poaching or hare coursing activity.

The dogs used in these offences are considered a factor in the commission of a crime by the offenders and are seized as evidence. Historically, offenders have considered themselves at low risk of sanction; even if prosecuted, dogs and vehicles would not be seized, allowing them to continue their criminal activity.

3. Suspicious Vehicle

Black Peugeot Boxer van registration T361 S** seen in the Kintbury area between 10 and 11 am on Tuesday 21st January 2014. Occupants seen looking into gardens. If seen please call 101 and quote reference 370 21/01/14

4. Rural Crime Roundup

11/1 Saturday 10 p.m. Crown Estates, Windsor Great Park. Possible hare coursing in fields on the Crown Estates. One 4X4 got stuck in the mud and was heard by people in the area revving to get out. Another car arrived and pulled it out. Damage to the fields and the crops.

Elsewhere:

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15/1 – 17/1 Wednesday 12 noon / Friday 2.30 p.m. Compass Close, Cowley, Oxford. Garage break – door forced – 2 bikes stolen.

16/1 Thursday noon Farm, Ewelme, Wallingford. Cars have driven across newly planted fields causing damage. The owner believes they may have been following deer.

17/1 – 18/1 Friday 10.30 a.m. / Saturday 3.30 a.m. Stables, Pangbourne Road, Upper Basildon. Attempted break in, door handle broken off and taken. No entry gained and nothing stolen.

14/1 Tuesday 2.45 p.m. / 3 p.m. Farm, Hamstead, Newbury. A vehicle was seen driving around the area. The driver was seen to jump out, load up with wood and then drive off.

14/1 – 15/1 Tuesday 6 p.m. / Wednesday 10.50 a.m. Stewkley Road, Cublington, Leighton Buzzard. A car has driven through a barbed wire fence and parked 300 metres into a field. The car has then been torched. The index plates had been removed, so it is difficult to identify.

14/1 – 15/1 Tuesday noon. / Wednesday 4.30 p.m. St. Hubert's Lane, Gerrards Cross. A car has driven into a field by forcing the gate, causing damage and placed 2 ponies in a field without permission.

14/1 – 15/1 Tuesday 5.30 p.m. / Wednesday 7 a.m. Farm, Lambwood Hill, Grazeley, Reading. Offenders have entered a barn and stolen garden tools.

14/1 Tuesday Farm, Wantage Road, Great Shefford, Hungerford. Damage has been caused to fields and crops by offenders hare coursing. A dead hare was recovered.

13/1 – 14/1 Monday 11 p.m. / Tuesday 7.50 a.m. Radcot, Bampton. Garages forced open. Heating oil and red diesel stolen.

13/1 Monday 3.30 p.m. Fidlers Lane, East Ilsey, Newbury. Offenders have been found on land with dogs and been chased off by the owner. They drove through numerous fields and through hedges to escape.

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1. Suspicious Vehicle

The police are looking for information regarding a Silver Subaru Forester VRN R321 Y##. The vehicle was used to smash through gates on a rural estate in Henley-on-Thames on the afternoon of Sunday 26th January. Having entered the estate the vehicle was driven around at high speed before being chased off by estate staff. Anyone with information should contact the police on 101 quoting crime reference number EC4395666/14 of 26th January.

2. Good News

Three men have been sentenced to imprisonment for burglary offences against rural properties.

Jesse Gregory, age 23, from Moat Close, Tadley, Hampshire, and Edward Wall, aged 23, from Basingstoke Road, Micheldever, Winchester, each pleaded guilty to one count of handling stolen goods; three counts of burglary dwelling; and one count of attempted burglary. Both were sentenced to four years imprisonment at Reading Crown Court on Monday 20th January.

Joey Cole, aged 19, from Oldstocks Farm, Paices Hill, Aldermaston, pleaded guilty to one count of being

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carried in a stolen motor vehicle and one count of attempted burglary, and was sentenced to six months imprisonment, at the same court on Monday.

The charge of the handling of stolen goods relates to a vehicle stolen in Mortimer on 29 July 2013. The three burglary dwellings relate to offences on 11 August 2013 in West Ilsley, Chieveley and Hermitage. The attempted burglary charge relates to an offence in Sherfield-on-Loddon on 15th August 2013.

Det Con James Faulkner, investigating officer, said: "The three defendants form part of a disciplined and effective organised crime network that conspired together to burgle properties targeting isolated rural communities across police boundaries.

3. Message from Dogwatch to our Members

I have been contacted by one of our members who has highlighted the fact that many of our bulletins do not mention dog theft or missing dogs and, as a result, we seem to be losing our focus. I am going to publish my response as I think it clarifies the position from our point of view:-

We will, of course, report any cases of stolen or missing dogs that we are told about. This is what Dogwatch has always been about and will ALWAYS be our priority.

We do know, however, that the people responsible for the other rural crimes you mention are also involved in the theft of dogs, hence our broadening of reporting in an effort to combat dog theft. I hope this clarifies our position.

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2. Rural Crime

On Sunday 5th January, offender(s) using a vehicle entered a field in Swyncombe, near Henley, and drove round in circles. It was reported they released dogs which chased and killed a deer.

On Saturday 4th January, offender(s) drove across a field and caused damage to boundary fencing on farmland in The Street, North Stoke, Wallingford. At this time, an old style green land rover discovery and a white land rover defender (SWB) with a metal lfor Williams type back were chased off land nearby Overnight between 30th and 31st December, offender(s) drove onto farmland in Stonor, Henley, causing damage. Entry was gained via an insecure gateway, as a metal gate which had previously been damaged by suspects unknown on 6th December, had not been repaired.

Please note that a number of cars were driving around the Wraysbury/Datchet/Horton area at this time caked in mud and with unreadable number plates. These included a land rover discovery and a white Mitsubishi estate.

3. Oil Tank Security

A new oil tank alarm to prevent theft of heating oil and diesel has come onto the market. The alarm is an improvement on previous designs as it doesn't require a hole to be drilled into the tank in order to fit it. The 'Tank Commander' alarm is ACPO Secured by Design (SBD) approved and more information can be found on the Commander Securities website www.commandersecurities.co.uk

4. Police Rural Action Days and CESAR Marking

Thames Valley Police are running more action days to combat rural crime across South Oxfordshire and the Vale of White Horse in January and February. As part of these days PCSOs will be available to visit your farm or rural business and visibly mark your property with a CREMARK pen. This is a paint pen which is then sealed with lacquer and provides an overt visible deterrent to thieves. This is a free service. The action days will be held on:-

- Henley Thursday 30th January
- Wantage Saturday 1st February
- Faringdon Tuesday 4th February

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- Wallingford Saturday 8th February

To book an appointment in your area please contact Ali Smith, Crime Reduction Advisor on 01865 555129 or email her on Alison.smith4@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk

Also, as part of this initiative there is a limited amount of funding to give a discount on CESAR marking which can be used on tractors, trailers, horse boxes, quad bikes and other farm equipment. To book please phone the CESAR booking line on 01784 778310 and quote Thames Valley Police discount.

The standard starting price for the CESAR kit is £149 excluding VAT (£178.80 including VAT) . Thames Valley Police are funding discounts to allow people living in Oxfordshire, Buckinghamshire and Berkshire to have the system installed for £88 excluding VAT (£105.60 including VAT)

Dogwatch Alert

Dogwatch No. 977

1. Suspicious Vehicles

The following vehicles are of interest to the police as being suspected of being used in rural crimes. If you see these vehicles please call the 24-hour Police Enquiry Centre on 101.

- Blue Suzuki Vitara Estate partial index K531A**
- Grey Nissan Primera partial index Y652E**

2. Rural Crime

The police were called to a farm in Childrey, on Tuesday 14th January, at 4.13am, following a report that noises were heard and a lock had been broken off an outbuilding. Two men were arrested nearby on the B4507 near Childrey on suspicion of burglary. The men, both aged 20, from Swindon, have been released on police bail until 25th February, pending further enquiries.

3. Police Success

Over the Christmas and New Year period, police in the South Oxfordshire and Vale of White Horse area had a number of successes in the fight against Rural Crime.

Between 19th December 2013, and 13th January 2014, 11 arrests were made in a number of areas in relation to hare coursing, and vehicles, dogs and mobile phones were seized. During one arrest the police helicopter was used to carry out an extensive search which resulted in capturing the suspects.

Anyone living or working in a rural community within the South Oxfordshire and Vale of White Horse area, who have a mobile phone but have not already signed up to receive the "rural text alert" messages, are being encouraged to sign up to this FREE service. For further details please contact Carol Rudd at Abingdon Police Station on 01235 556937 or email: carol.rudd@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk

DOGWATCH ALERT

Dogwatch No. 978

1. Rise in Cases of Ferret Theft

There has been a marked increase in the theft of ferrets across the UK. This has led the Wessex Ferret Club to issue an unprecedented security bulletin, advising members on ways of keeping their animals safe. This has been picked up by the national press and an article on the subject can be read here:- www.telegraph.co.uk/earth/wildlife/10566243/Fred-the-ferret-prized-target-for-gangs-of-thieves.html

2. Missing Dog Sighted

A member of Dogwatch has asked us to help her find a dog that has been missing since 22nd November from a house near Compton Beauchamp. The dog is a mid-brown, very curly coated Spanish Water Dog called Conker. He is very timid, so people not to approach him, chase him or call him, but please call the owner 07900214913. He was sighted twice last week on the Little Coxwell Allsopp Estate and also near the quarry at Wicklesham. He is mid sized, around the size of a small Springer Spaniel.

3. Illegal Pesticides

Thames Valley Police is currently investigating the distribution and use of illegal pesticides, including counterfeits, across Oxfordshire, Buckinghamshire and Berkshire.

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Illegal pesticides have been found in increasing amounts across the UK and Europe and Thames Valley Police has a particular interest in illegal pesticides not just because of the risks they pose to the rural communities but the links to organised crime gangs. There is growing evidence that the illicit activities of such gangs finance other serious crimes such as human trafficking and international terrorism. It is not yet known to what extent, if any, illegal pesticides are being sold within our rural communities. Gathering intelligence and information is a vital part of the investigation, which is where you come in. If you notice anything suspicious about pesticides you have either been offered or purchased, please call the 24 hour non-emergency number 101 and mention 'Operation Silo'.

Things to look out for:

- Does the product look or smell unusual?
- Have you been offered a product which has been described as the same as another but at a discounted rate?
- Have you been sold a product because your first choice was 'out of stock'?
- Do you have any feelings that a product you have bought isn't quite right? Are there any unusual symptoms or irregularities?(clog spray jets / nozzles) etc
- Is the packaging unusual or not what you would expect?

If you do not want to speak to the police, you can contact the independent charity Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111 or online at www.crimestoppers-uk.org.

Surrey Police

Telephone: 101

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

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

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Hertfordshire Constabulary

Telephone: 101

Email: easterhorsewatch@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.

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Essex Police

Telephone: 101

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

No Information Received

Kent Police

Telephone: 101

Contact:- Jackie Hearn-Betts - Email - ekhwmail@gmail.com

Theft of Solar Panel - Sandhurst

Crime Ref: 09-0614

Overnight 8th/9th January, just across the county border into Kent an electric fencing energizer and solar panel was stolen from a field in Sandhurst, but battery left. The electric spring gate was also taken to an empty field but the dividing wire was cut to the horses field. It is suspected that the intruders were disturbed as they didn't make it all the way through.

Theft of electric fence energisers is widespread across the UK, where possible keep the energiser inside a secure building and as far away from the public highway and or footpaths as possible.

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Telephone: 101

Contact: Phil Ball

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

No Information Received

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

Rowena James Rowena-james@supadooper.com

Kerry Willis-Jones: Kerry.Willis-Jones@Bedfordshire.pnn.Police.uk

David Layton: David.Layton@bedfordshire.pnn.police.uk

Stables Burglary - Stanbridge, near Leighton Buzzard

Crime Ref: JD/1161/2014

Overnight on the 9th to 10th January an offender has used unlocked gates to access the location. A horse box has been opened and entered. A number of unlocked outbuildings have been entered. A padlock has been forced from a barn. The building has been searched, but no property has been 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, Tywardreath, Polkerris and Luxulyan, but does not exclude surrounding areas.

Devon Horsewatch

Georgina Dale

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No Information Received

Dorset Police

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HorseWatch Co-ordinator jane.brittain@dorset.pnn.police.uk

Dorset Police Tel: 01202 220804 - wildlife-crime@dorset.pnn.police.uk

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North Dorset Newsletter 2013 Edition



North Dorset - Tack Marking
25th January 2014
10am - 2pm
Paddock Pantry, Sturminster Newton DT10 2HP

Plaiting of Manes

This continues to be a concern to horse owners. Thankfully many plaits are likely to have been caused by the wind. If not, it is understandably upsetting to know that someone has been tampering with your horse, however as far as we are aware there are no reported cases where a plaited horse has subsequently been stolen in recent history in Dorset and surrounding counties. There is one theory that the plaiting is a Pagan white magic ritual, as some of the gods worshipped have strong connections with horses. It may be that it coincides with ceremonial times of the year or a full moon. We recommend you photograph the plait and contact Dorset Police with the details of when it was discovered and where the horse is kept.

Increase in Equipment Thefts

Nationally there appears to be an increase in the theft of tack and equipment. It is therefore as important as ever to take measures to protect your property. If your equipment is marked it is less desirable. If a thief is caught in possession, they are more likely to be able to be prosecuted. If stolen there is every possibility that tack will end up in a different part of the country. If found, a postcode on a saddle means the police can reunite it with its owner or at least contact the relevant police force to liaise with to return the stolen tack. Police forces are not linked with a nationwide stolen property register. Here are some options available:-

Leather Saddles -Stamped

- Synthetic Saddles and other equipment -UV Pen marked
- All Equipment -DNA marked (for example selectaDNA or smartwater)
- Saddle Chips -a microchip can be put onto your saddle

***Make it hard to get at
Make it less desirable (marking equipment.
Make it obvious it isn't desirable using signs***

Dorset Stats

In 2013 the following tack was reported stolen in the county of Dorset; 33 saddles - 21 bridles - 2 rugs - 2 electric fences

In North Dorset alone, there were a total of 147 reported shed and outbuilding break-ins in 2013.

Fraud Action

Equine forums hint to an increase in online scams directed at the Equine community. Adverts for saddles and other expensive tack are placed and after the agreement to purchase, the seller requests a bank transfer sighting various reasons why they can't accept paypal. The purchased equipment doesn't arrive. If you feel you are the victim of an online scam report it to Action Fraud by calling 0300 1 23 2040.

Horsewatch Activities

Whilst it may not be obvious, there is plenty happening with North Dorset Horsewatch. Here are just a few of the activities that have taken place over the past few months.

- October 2013 - Tack Marking SCATS, Gillingham Tack Marking Livery Yard, Nr Blandford

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Meeting with new Horsewatch Volunteer for East Dorset.

- November - Meeting with Horse Watch representatives from surrounding counties (Devon, Hampshire, Wiltshire and Somerset).
- December - Stand at the SCATS late night shopping

Rural field/stables (no electric)

- Nothing to steal - Leave as little equipment as possible.
- Signs - Let people know you are part of Horsewatch and have marked your equipment.
- Marked Equipment - DNA or ultra violet or permanent equipment.
- Padlock gates -Non tamper padlocks that cant be easily cut. Gate Hinges - Ensure hinges prevent gate being lifted off or a strong washer welded on the tops.
- Wildlife Camera -various options including those fitted with a mobile phone device to text you a picture of photo taken when beam broken. Sim credit needed and batteries need recharging.

Field near Dwelling; as above plus:

- No Electric - Alarmed Padlock on gates and any outbuildings/containers
- Electric - The options are really only limited by financial considerations and individual preferences if electric is available.
- Security Lighting with alarms - There are products available that If the lights are triggered, either the default dog barking or a recorded message is heard
- Alarm systems -you can hide devises that set off alarms if a beam is broken on your boundary.
- Camera Systems -Whilst the quality of the picture needs to be good if to be used as evidence, most camera systems should be able to inform you if someone is trespassing on your property (if in the camera's range) and enable you to call for assistance

Passport Law.....do you know the rules?

All horses, ponies and donkeys should have a passport.

A foal must be micro-chipped and have a passport before it's 6 months old or by 31 December in the year it's born, whichever is later.

If you purchase a horse, a transfer of ownership should be requested within 30 days

If a horse dies the passport must be returned to the Passport Issuing Office.

The passport must be produced within three hours of it being requested by Trading Standards

Don't have one....what are the consequences? - £5,000 fine or two years imprisonment or both.

Parliament Discuss Fly Grazing

The subject of Fly Grazing and Horse Welfare was recently raised in Parliament by Hampshire MP Damian Hind. It is a major concern around the country and the fear is when the new Welsh Control of Horses (Wales) Bill comes into force, there will be an increase in these issues in England. The Bill gives local authorities in Wales the power to seize abandoned animals from public or private land without permission. Owners have 7 days to claim the horse and pay associated costs or they can be re-homed or euthanased.

Warning

Vets warned about Acorn Poisoning and Atypical Myopathy, which is thought to occur as a result of horses eating sycamore seeds, in the Autumn.

Competition Details

SCATS in Gillingham have kindly sponsored our competition to find the best photograph of a Dorset Horse Watch Sign. For your chance to win £25 worth of SCATS vouchers take a photo of your sign, maybe include yourself and your horse or the whole yard.

The choice is yours. Please email your photos to emma@roblestud.com.

Closing date is 08/02/14.

By entering the competition you agree to the use of the photo by Dorset Horsewatch.

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If the winner contains a photo of someone under the age of 18, a form will be sent for a parent/guardian to sign.

Missing On Loan

Theft of horses, on the whole, is rarer in the UK and even more so in Dorset. However, it is not uncommon to see people advertising horses missing on loan from around the country. It is therefore very important to ensure you have a contract if you either put a horse on loan or receive one on loan so that both parties are clear on ownership and their responsibilities. There are example loan agreements available on the BHS website.

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.

Melanie Campbell - melanie.campbell@gloucestershire.police.uk

Phone 0845 090 1234 <http://www.gloucestershirehorsewatch.org.uk/html/usefullinks.html>

Police Horsewatch Officers

Cotswolds - melanie.oliveira@gloucestershire.police.uk

Stroud - colin.drewett@gloucestershire.police.uk

Stonehouse - kelly.akers@gloucestershire.police.uk

Dursley - andrew.tring@gloucestershire.police.uk

Gloucester - melanie.campbell@gloucestershire.police.uk

Forrest - tania.shuttleworth@gloucestershire.police.uk

Tewkesbury - kim.hadland@gloucestershire.police.uk

Bishops Cleeve - sarah.sceats@gloucestershire.police.uk

Cheltenham - lorraine.mosley@gloucestershire.police.uk & leanne.copping@gloucestershire.police.uk

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**Theft of Tack – Stow on the Wold
Incident 242 21/01/2014**

Between Monday 20th Jan 19:00 hrs & Tuesday 21st Jan 14:00 hrs unknown offenders have entered an insecure barn in the Swell Hill area of Stow on the Wold, Gloucestershire and taken a brown saddle worth £500 and a pair of horse clippers worth £200.

Description of property below:-

16.5" EQUIPE CLOSE CONTACT ITALIAN SADDLE

PALE BLUE LIBERTY HORSE CLIPPERS IN A GREY PRESENTATION BOX.

North East Region

Yorkshire is policed by the following police forces: North Yorkshire Police, South Yorkshire

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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

No Information Received

North Yorkshire Police

Telephone: 101

Scarborough & District Country Watch

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

Theft - Kirk Smeaton

Crime Ref: 12140002818

Between 1800hrs on 5th and 0600hrs on 6th January an isolated shed in a field on Pinfold Lane Kirk Smeaton was broken into and various horse related items stolen. Can all stable/tack shed owners be aware and take necessary steps to secure your property.

Barn Fires - Stape

Crime Ref: 12140001795 barn fires at Stape

Police are appealing for information after two suspicious barn fires near Pickering. Both fires, which are believed to have been started intentionally, occurred at Wardle Rigg Farm, Stape. The first blaze was started on Friday 6 December 2013, and the second fire was on Friday 3 January 2014.

Officers are appealing for anyone with information about either of the fires to get in touch.

Anyone who can help officers with their enquiries is urged to contact North Yorkshire Police on 101 - select option 2 - and ask for PC Andy Marsden or Pickering Police.

Alternatively, information can be emailed to andy.marsden@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk

Stolen Horse Blankets - Burn

In the last few days a stable area in Burn was entered by thieves. 6 horse blankets valued at £100 each were stolen, as well as 2 wheel barrows. The blankets were removed from the horses' backs. Please be aware that this type of crime is being committed in the area and take the necessary precautions to prevent expensive tack being taken.

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

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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
Cambridgeshire Constabulary
Telephone: 101
Cambridgeshire Horsewatch: Gemma Dear (PCSO Cambridgeshire Constabulary)
Tel: 07850 142630 email: horsewatch@cambs.pnn.police.uk

No Information Received

Lincolnshire Police
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No Information Received

Derbyshire Constabulary
Telephone: 101
Contact: Lesley Manger (DERBYSHIRE Pony Rescue)
Telephone: 01773 831251 mobile 07842 240494. lesleykenstudponyrescue@gmail.com 07970 848416
Insp Erika Green Erika.green.1765@derbyshire.pnn.police.uk



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Derbyshire bulletins for info. Dates as shown. **Please click on to open and read**

Please note that there is no evidence to suggest that "plaits" found in a horses mane are an indication it will be stolen. They are usually caused by horses rubbing or children playing.

Please remember to visibly mark all your property to deter thieves.

** If you are a Horse watch member living in the High Peak or Derbyshire Dales – call your local Safer Neighbourhood Team for your free horse watch pack containing gate signs and Smart water). These are available to members in other areas for £12 (please contact me)**

Thanks,

Inspector 1765 Erika Green
Community Safety
B Division

Contact numbers:
Internal 01765
External 03001225254
Mobile 07841 956510

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Crimes recorded between Mon 16 Dec 2013 and Sun 22 Dec 2013

Crime Ref	Incident Created Date	Crime Type	Initial MO	Property Code 1	Property Code 2	Property Code 3
53192/13	17/12/13	Non domestic burglary	FARM, UNKNOWN OFFENDER/S GAIN ENTRY ONTO FARM BY JUMPING OVER FENCE, ENTER STABLE BY UNBOLTING DOOR AND REMOVE 2 SADDLES FROM WITHIN.	SPORTING EQUIPMENT	HORSE TACK 272	SADDLE 1236

Incident recorded date between Mon 16 Dec 13 and Sun 22 Dec 13

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16/12/2013	293	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	WE HAVE TWO HORSES ON OUR SCHOOL FIELD AGAIN. THEY ARE HERE NOW AND THERE IS ONE BROWN ONE IN A GREEN COAT AND A GREY AND WHITE ONE. I AM CONCERNED FOR THE SAFETY OF THE SCHOOL CHILDREN.
16/12/2013	383	B CENTRAL	RTC DAMAGE ONLY	RTC. VAN VS HORSE. VANS. JUST PAST HARPUR HILL.
16/12/2013	436	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	THERE IS A LOOSE HORSE NEAR THE MAIN ROAD AND SCHOOL - IF POLICE GO UP NEW SOUTH ROAD, UP TOWARDS THE SCHOOL, TURN LEFT ON THE WALKWAY NEAR MAIN ROAD ITS THERE. IM CONCERNED IT MAY GO ONTO THE MAIN ROAD OR THE SCHOOL.
17/12/2013	201	LONG EATON	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE ARE 4 LOOSE HORSES ON THE ROAD, THEY LOOK LIKE GYPSEY HORSES, LOOK LIKE SHIREHORSES. THEY ARE HEADED ONTO TAMWORTH ROAD, SAWLEY, LONG EATON. THEY ARE JUST AT THE END OF WARREN LANE, SAWLEY.
17/12/2013	308	OUT OF FORCE SECTORS	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	I HAVE JUST SEEN A WHITE TRANSIT VAN DRIVING WITH HIS HAZARDS ON PULLING A HORSE. THE HORSE LOOKED QUITE DISTRESSED AS THOUGH IT COULDN'T KEEP UP. DRIVING TOWARDS THE A50
17/12/2013	360	B NORTH	SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES/INSECURE PREMISES OR VEHICLES	I HAVE JUST NOTICED THAT SOME OF MY FENCING HAS BEEN CUT. THERE ARE ALSO TYRE MARKS AND HORSE DROPPINGS ON THE

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				FIELD. I BELIEVE THAT THIS WILL BE DONE BY MY NEIGHBOUR WHO KEEPS HORSES BUT DOES NOT SECURE THEM PROPERLY. IT LOOKS LIKE ONE MAY HAVE ESCAPED AND HE HAS HAD TO CUT MY FENCE TO GET IT OUT.
17/12/2013	497	OUT OF FORCE SECTORS	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE IS A BLACK AND WHITE HORSE, ABOUT 14 - 16 HANDS TALL. IT IS NOT TERTHERED, IN THE ROAD AT SAWLEY MARINA.
17/12/2013	690	OUT OF FORCE SECTORS	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	CALLER REPORTING SMALL BROWN AND WHITE COLOURED FRIENDLY FOAL LOOSE ON CYCLE PATH NR THE PLANK AND LEGGITT PUBLIC HOUSE -
18/12/2013	72	OUT OF FORCE SECTORS	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	THERE IS A HORSE IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ROAD, IT IS DARK AND I NEARLY HIT IT. I THINK IT IS BLACK IN COLOUR. I WANTED TO REPORT THIS AS IT IS HEADING TOWARDS AWSWORTH BYPASS AND THIS IS A BUSY ROAD.
18/12/2013	204	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	I LIVE OPPOSITE FIELDS WHERE 5 HORSES ARE KEPT. THE OWNER OF THE HORSES IS: *****. I HAVE JUST RANG THEIR HOME PHONE AND GOT NO ANSWER. ONE OF THEIR HORSES HAS JUST FOALED, THE FOAL IS STRUGGLING, IT HAS NOT STOOD UP YET AND IT IS FREEZING COLD.
18/12/2013	217	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE ARE TWO HORSES ON THE SCHOOL FIELD AGAIN. THE KIDS CANT GO OUT AND PLAY OUTSIDE. THESE ARE THE SAME ONES AS BEFORE.
18/12/2013	473	B CENTRAL	SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES/INSECURE PREMISES OR VEHICLES	WE KEEP GETTING INSTANCES OF SOMEONE KEEP PULLING FENCE DOWN AND LEAVING GATES OPEN.
19/12/2013	33	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THREE LOOSE PONIES ON THE ROAD. SEEN ON THE CORNER BROOKVALE ROAD.
19/12/2013	129	ILKESTON	RTC DAMAGE ONLY	THERE IS A HORSE THAT HAS BEEN HIT BY A CAR, JUST PAST THE FARM, TOWARDS DERBY - TOWARDS CAT AND FIDDLE LANE WHERE YOU TURN UP TOWARDS WEST HALLAM
19/12/2013	134	ILKESTON	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE IS A HORSE OUT ON THE ROAD, IT IS JUST THE ONE, BLOOD COMING OUT OF HIS MOUTH AND IS DISORIENTATED, IT LOOKS INJURED, ITS BETWEEN KIRK HALLAM AND THE CAT AND FIDDLE WINDMILL TURN
19/12/2013	339	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	MINIATURE PONY ON THE ROAD THROUGH CODNOR GATE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE. IT IS RIGHT AT THE BOTTOM ON THE CODNOR

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				SIDE OF IT. I NEARLY HIT IT. CARS ARE HAVING TO SLOW DOWN FOR IT.
19/12/2013	510	BOLSOVER	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	CALLER REPORTS THAT A PONY HAS WANDERED INTO HER BEER GARDEN, IT DOES HAVE A COAT ON BUT SHE ISN'T SURE WHERE IT HAS COME FROM.
20/12/2013	8	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	THERE ARE TWO HORSES ON THE RECREATION PARK, I THINK THEY MAY HAVE COME OFF THE FIELD NEXT DOOR BUT NOT SURE. THEY HAVE BEEN OVER CLOSE TO THE ROAD, CONCERNS THEY COULD WANDER BACK INTO THE ROAD.
20/12/2013	136	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	3 HORSES LOOSE ON THE ROAD, THEY ARE WEARING THEIR BLANKETS. THEY ARE OUTSIDE THE PRIMARY SCHOOL. THEY ARE 100YRDS FROM SHEFFIELD ROAD, HEADING IN THAT DIRECTION.
20/12/2013	165	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	FROM THE RSPCA - PLEASE CANE WE HAVE USGENT ASSISTANCE AT THE JAMESONS EQUINE CENTRE, BECAUSE THERE IS A POLICE SEIZED EXHIBIT HORSE THE ANIMAL HAS COLLAPSED AND WE NEED TO USE POLICE POWERS TO GET VET TO HUMANELY DESTROY IT, SECT 18 (3) ANIMAL WELFARE ACT. WE NEED A POLICE OFFICER PRESENT URGENTLY TO DO THAT
21/12/2013	619	B NORTH	SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES/INSECURE PREMISES OR VEHICLES	I WANT TO REPORT A SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE I HAVE JUST SEEN. THERE HAVE BEEN THEFTS AT STABLES IN THE AREA AND A QUAD BIKE HAS JUST BEEN DRIVING PAST LOOKING AT A SET OF STABLES AND THEN TURNED ROUND AND WENT BACK AGAIN. THIS WAS NEAR TO NEW MILLS GOLF CLUB,
21/12/2013	721	DERBY EAST	NUISANCE THAT AFFECTS THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE NOT INDIVIDUALS/GROUPS	ON THE CORNER OF MANIFOLD DRIVE ALVASTON, IT GOES AROUND INTO A BEND, OF OF THE RESIDENTS HAVE TAKEN THEIR HORSE BOX OFF THEIR DRIVE AND PARKED IT ON THE ROAD,
22/12/2013	198	DERBY NORTH	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	JUST LOOKED OUTSIDE AND THERE ARE 5 HORSES ON THE CUL DE SAC. THERE IS A PLACE ON THE BACK HERE WHO KEEPS HORSES BUT THEY ARE WELL KEPT WHERE THESE LOOK LIKE GYPSY HORSES.

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30/12/2013	412	ILKESTON	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE ARE 6 OR 7 HORSES THAT HAVE GOT OUT OF A FIELD, THEY HAVE GONE ALL THE WAY DOWN THE NUTBROOK TRAIL AND WILL BE COMING OUT ON QUARRY HILL ROAD NEAR THE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, THEY ARE NOT GYPSIE HORSES, I THINK THE OWNER LIVES AT A HOUSE ON QUARRY HILL ROAD BUT I'M NOT SURE
30/12/2013	538	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	TWO HORSES ON THE LOOSE. THEY ARE ON DALE ROAD, KILLAMARSH, OFF LONG LANE
30/12/2013	615	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	WE HAVE FOUND A PONY ON THE ROAD, HIGH HOLBORN ROAD JUXT WITH ALFRETON ROAD. ITS NOT TETHERED UP, WE HAVE PUT OUR DOG LEAD ON IT???. ITS A TINY PONY!! WE ARE JUST HOLDING ON TO IT AT THE MOMENT AS IT WAS IN THE ROAD.
30/12/2013	631	LONG EATON	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	CALLER REPORTING THAT SHE HAS GOT TO A FIELD ON THE A/L WHERE SHE HAS 2 HORSES AND NEITHER OF THEM THEIR. LAST TIME SEEN BY CALLER YESTERDAY. CALLER SAYING THAT THEY HAVE SMASHED THROUGH A FENCE AND SAYING THAT THEIR IS A FACTORY AT THE BOTTOM OF THE FIELD AND NOT SURE WHERE THEY ARE. HORSES ARE BLACK WITH A WHITE BLAZE. THE OTHER ONE HAS A BLUE RUG ON THE HORSE BOTH HORSES SHOULD BE TOGETHER. BOTH HORSES ARE MICRO CHIPPED.
31/12/2013	105	BOLSOVER	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	LOOSE PONY ON BATLEY LANE PLEASLEY OFF DUTY OFFICER NEEDS ASSISTABCE
31/12/2013	145	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	WE ARE A WORKING SHEEP FARM WITH 30 ACRES OF LAND. TWO HORSES (MARES) AND A FOAL HAVE TURNED UP AT OUR FARM THIS MORNING. THEY ARE IN OUR CONCREAT COMPOUND AT THE BACK OF OUR HOUSE AT THE MOMENT AND WE HAVE CONTAINED THEM.
31/12/2013	641	CHESTERFIELD	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE IS A HORSE WANDERING DOWN THE ROAD. THE HORSE IS ON BAD BEND NEAR THE CRICKET GROUND ON THE SAME ROAD AS THE POLICE STATION
31/12/2013	658	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	ROAD FORM STAVELEY TO ECKINGTON A LOSE HORSZE INT HE ROAD NEAR RENISHAW HALL. JUST BEFORE YOU GET TO THE POSH HOUSES AT ECKINGTON. THE HORSE IS CURRENTLY ON THE GRASS VERGE EATING THE GRASS, BUT KEEPS WANDERING INTO THE ROAD. BROWN HORSE.
01/01/2014	69	AMBER VALLEY	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	2 MINITURE PONIES ARE IN THE ROAD IN BETWEEN THE ENTRANCE TO THE IND ESTATE AND THE ROAD WORKS, JUST AS

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				YOU ARE GOING UP THE HILL HEADING TOWARDS RIDDINGS.
01/01/2014	913	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	MY HORSE HAS BEEN STOLEN FROM THE OLD ALLOTMENTS IN HOLMEWOOD, IT WAS TETHERED AND THE ROPE HAS BEEN CUT, ("abandoned" colt "rescued" by well wishers - negotiations continuing)
02/01/2014	67	DERBY SOUTH	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	AS YOU GO INTO SHADOW THERE IS A PONY ON THE ROAD. THE CALLER THINKS IT IS A TRAVELLERS HORSE FROM THE NEARBY CAMPSITE.
02/01/2014	145	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	I HAVE COME OFF MY HORSE, I AM FINE BUT I CANNOT FIND IT ANYWHERE. IT HAS RAN OFF. **CALL HAS DROPPED OUT** HORSE IS A DARK BAY 15'2. THOROUGHBRED IT HAS RAN OFF TOWARDS TEMPLE NORMANTON.. INFORMANT IS FINE, DOES NOT NORMALLY RIDE THIS ROUTE AND THE HORSE IS NOT FAMILIAR WITH THE ROUTE SHE HAS NO IDEA WHAT SPOOKED THE HORSE
02/01/2014	218	B NORTH	AFFECTS THE INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP BUT NOT THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE	MY WIFE AND DAUGHTER ARE CURRENTLY AT THE BELOW ADDRESS WHERE WE KEEP HORSES. THERE HAS JUST BEEN AN ALTERCATION WITH OTHERS AT THE SITE WHO ALSO KEEP HORSES THERE.
02/01/2014	337	CHESTERFIELD	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	BLACK AND WHITE COBB HORSE ON CHAIN TETHERED IN SCRUB LAND IN FIELD BY BRIDGE OVER THE WATER. LOOKS NEGLECTED, NO FOOD OR WATER. HAS EATEN OR THE GRASS IN ITS VICINTY. CALL CENTRE TRIED RSPCA.. JUST GOT ADVICE LINE ABOUT HORSES LEFT IN FIELD. SPOKE WITH HORSEWATCH, LESLEY MANGER. DETAILS PASSED TO HER ALTHOUGH NOT THE INFORMANTS. ASKING IF AN OFFICER/PCSO COULD CHECK THE HORSE PLEASE. IF POSSIBLE IF ANY OWNER KNOWN. ASKING WHEN DONE COULD THEY GET BACK TO HER.
02/01/2014	400	ILKESTON	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	INBETWEEN QUARRY HILL AND THE BULLS HEAD, 3 HORSES HAVE GOT LOOSE AND ARE AT RISK OF GETTING ON THE ROAD. THEY ARE CURRENTLY ON THE NUTBROOK TRAIL AND HAVE JUST ESCPAED.
02/01/2014	404	AMBER VALLEY	NUISANCE THAT AFFECTS THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE NOT INDIVIDUALS/GROUPS	2 GROWN MEN ON BIG QUAD BIKES ON THE FOOT PATH ON SHIPLEY COUNTRY PARK, UP NEAR THE NUTBROOK TRIAL JUST PAST SHIPLEY VIEW UP THE BIG HILL TOWARDS SHIPLEY HALL ON THE ILKESTON SIDE, NO NUMBER PLATES, COVERED IN MUD THEY HAVE BEEN AT THE CORNER OF PARK ON SHIPLEY VIEW, ITS GETTING DARK THEY ARE GOING FAST PEOPLE ARE STILL HERE THEY ARE NOW IN THE PART WHERE THE HORSES SHOULD BE.
03/01/2014	64	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE IS A BROWN HORSE WITH WHITE PATCHES RUNNING AROUND LOOSE ON THE ROAD, IT WAS RUNNING FROM THE BOTTOM UP THE HILL. THERE ARE LOADS

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				OF FIELDS AROUND SO COULD OF COME FROM ONE OF THEM BUT I HAVE NEVER SEEN IT BEFORE. WE NEARLY COLLIDED WITH IT.
03/01/2014	278	OUT OF FORCE SECTORS	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	NEAR TO JUNCTION WITH NETHERFIELD LANE 5 HORSES LOOSE ON THE ROAD
03/01/2014	529	OUT OF FORCE SECTORS	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	THERE IS A HORSE LOOSE NEAR TO THE SLIP ROAD . IT IS ON WARREN LANE NEAR TO THE SAWLEY MARINA , IT LOOKS LIKE A TRAVELERS HORSE . IT IS ON THE SIDE OF THE ROAD AT THE MOMENT .
04/01/2014	170	B NORTH	CONCERN FOR SAFETY*NOT MISSING*	I HAVE JUST SEEN A GREY HORSE COME OUT OF FOOTPATH AND HEAD DOWN THE MAIN ROAD GOIGN TOWARDS WATERSIDE. I WAS TOO FAR AWAY TO SEE IF IT HAD A SADDLE OR ANYTHING
04/01/2014	244	ILKESTON	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	HORSE ON ROAD SIDE - A61 BTWN LITTLE EATON ISLAND AND PEKTRON ISLAND - HORSE IS ON THE OUTBOUND SIDE ON THE GRASS VERGE - HEADING TOWARDS LITTLE EATON ISLAND
04/01/2014	667	CHESTERFIELD	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	STAVELEY LANE - A619 - LOOSE HORSE ON UNLIT STRETCH OF ROAD - SAT NAV STATES IT IS DUKE STREET
05/01/2014	490	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE IS A HORSE LOOS ON THE ROAD, ITS ON THE BAD BEND ON THE HILL , GOING FROM ECKINGTON TO STAVELEY , IT WAS ON THE VERGE BUT IT IS NOT TETHERED.
05/01/2014	645	CHESTERFIELD	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	A HORSE IS RUNNING ABOUT IN THE ROAD IN THE DARK. CAN'T SEE WHERE IT HAS COME FROM BUT IT HAS NOW GALLOPED OFF DOWN THE ROAD IN THE DARK. THIS IS NEAR STAVELY POLICE STATION.
03/01/2014	205	B CENTRAL	CIVIL DISPUTES	I OWN CARLTON SADDLERY AND ON 19 JUNE I DID A LAST SADDLE FITTING FOR ***** I LENT HIM A SADDLE WHILST I MADE HIS NEW ONE. I HAVE BEEN TRYING TO CONTACT HIM SINCE THEN, I HAVE CALLED AT HIS HOUSE WHERE HE JUST LET A ROTTWILER OUT ON ME. I HAVE TRIED TO PHONE HIM AND EMAIL HIM. I AM NOT BOTHERED ABOUT HIM PAYING FOR THE SADDLE WHICH HE CONTRACTED ME TO MAKE BUT I DO THINK THAT I SHOULD GET MY LOAN SADDLE BACK. I KNOW THAT HE HAS DONE THIS BEFORE AND THAT ASHBOURNE POLICE HAVE BEEN INVOLVED

Crimes recorded between Mon 06 Jan 2014 and Sun 12 Jan 2014

Crime Ref	Incident Created Date	Crime Type	Initial MO
1157/14	09/01/2014	Non domestic	OVERNIGHT, OFFENDERS ATTEMPT TO FORCE OPEN

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		burglary	ROLLER-SHUTTER DOOR OF IP'S CONTAINER WHICH IS LOCATED IN FIELD WITH STABLES. OFFENDERS THEN ATTEMPTS TO FORCE THE LOCK ON THE CONTAINER DOOR OPEN. NO ENTRY GAINED.
763/14	06/01/2014	Non domestic burglary	UNKNOWN OFFENDER/S HAVE ENTERED STABLES AREA BY KNOCKING OVER AND DAMAGING A FENCE, LETTING THE HORSES OUT AND ATTEMPTING TO FORCE THE NEW LOCKS, FITTED AFTER PREVIOUS BREAK IN'S. NO ENTRY GAINED THIS TIME.

Incident recorded date between Mon 06 Jan 14 and Sun 12 Jan 14

Logged Date	Inc No	Section	Classification One Description	Source Supplied
07/01/2014	47	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	INDUSTRIAL ESTATE ON RIGHT HAND SIDE AS GOING THROUGH MAREHAY - DENBY OLD BUSINESS PARK OUTSIDE H L PLASTICS - LARGE HORSE - JUST SAT BY THE SIDE OF THE ROAD
07/01/2014	84	LONG EATON	MESSAGES	THERE IS EITHER A DEASD HORSE OR A VERY ILL LYING IN THE FIELD OPPOSITEE BROBOT. IT DOES HAAVE A COAT ON IT. NO IDEA WHO THE OWNER IS. CAN SOMETHING BE DONE PLEASE.
07/01/2014	218	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	AMANDA MY DAUGHTER WHO LIVES AT 150C, HAS JUST CONTACTED ME AND SAID THAT THERE IS A LARGE HORSE IN HER NEXT DOORS NEIGHBOURS GARDEN AND THAT NO ONE IS IN. SHE IS ASKING IF POLICE CAN ASSIST.
08/01/2014	60	AMBER VALLEY	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	NEAR THE BUNTINGS ON THE PINXTON-KIRKYBY ROAD - THERE ARE 2 HORSES ON THE VERGE - ALMOST ON THE ROAD - WAS UNABLE TO STOP OTHERWISE WOULD HAVE PUT THEM IN FILED - SECOND TIME HAVE REPORTED THEM RECENTLY
08/01/2014	69	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE ARE TWO HORSES LOSE RIGHT NEAR TO THE ROAD. THEY ARE THE GASKIN'S HORSES AGAIN.
08/01/2014	93	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	TWO PONIES WERE OUT AND ME AND SOMEONE ELSE HAVE MANAGED TO GET THEM ON TO MICHAELS MEADOW.. DON'T KNOW WHO THEY BELONG TO. WORRIED THAT IF WE LEAVE THEY WILL GET OUT AGAIN AND DON'T WANT THEM TO CAUSE ACCIDENT.
08/01/2014	429	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	5 HORSES LOOSE AT THE SIDE OF THE ROAD ON PARK HALL ROAD - THEY ARE APPROACHING DERBY ROAD AND IF THEY GET ON THE

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				ROAD THEY WILL CAUSE A PILE UP.
08/01/2014	515	AMBER VALLEY	AFFECTS THE INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP BUT NOT THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE	I WANT TO REPORT HARRASSMENT AGAINST MY NEIGHBOUR, PC 3456 NEWCOMBE HAS BEEN DEALING WITH ISSUES REGARDING HER BEHAVIOUR. SHE IS STARING OUT OF THE WINDOW AT ME AND IS SHOUTING ABUSE AT MY CHILDREN AND WIFE. SHE HAS ALSO PAINTED MY HORSES WITH BURGLARY PAINT. HER NAME IS MRS CURD AND SHE LIVES AT YET TREE COTTAGE. I WOULD LIKE TO SEE AN OFFICER PLEASE.
08/01/2014	746	CHESTERFIELD	MESSAGES	I HAVE SOME CONCERNS REGARDING MY HORSES. I WENT THIS MORNING AND FOUND ONE WITH A HEAD COLLAR ON, I HAD LEFT THE HEAD COLLAR ON THE GATE, I DIDN'T KNOW WHETHER SOMEONE HAD MARKED IT. I HAVE SPOKEN TO THE OTHER OWNERS THERE ARE FOUR HORSES IN THAT FIELD, IT'S THE ONE AT THE BOTTOM NEAR THE BRIDGE.
09/01/2014	2	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE ARE TWO HORSES THAT ARE IN THE ROAD, I HAVE SEEN THEM IN THE ROAD HEADED TOWARDS BELPER. I THINK THAT THEY ARE TRAVELLERS HORSES, THEY KEEP GOING ON AND OFF THE PAVEMENT INTO THE ROAD
09/01/2014	49	AMBER VALLEY	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	CALLER REPORTING 3 HORSES AT THE SIDE OF THE ROAD NEAR THE FACTORY; A BROWN ONE AND 2 WHITE ONES ; CALLER STATES THAT THEY HAVE BEEN THERE ALL NIGHT (HE WORKS NIGHTS AT THE FACTORY)
09/01/2014	267	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES/INSECURE PREMISES OR VEHICLES	VAN VRM WITH LML CONTRACTORS WRITTEN ON SIDE CAME ON TO THE DRIVE OF OUR STABLE BLOCK ABOUT 0830 HRS THIS MORNING WITH TWO YOUNG BOKES IN 20'S-30'S IN IT. THEIR EYEBALLS WERE EVERYWHERE LOOKING ROUND.. PLEASE COULD YOU KEEP AN EYE OUT TONIGHT IF POSSIBLE..
10/01/2014	299	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	3 HORSES WERE LOOSE ON THE ROAD, A BROWN AND WHITE WITH A PURPLE RUG, A CHESTNUT BROWN WITH A MUDDY BROWN RUG AND A MINIATURE PONY. I THINK THEY MAY BELONG TO **** at HOLYMOORSIDE, THERE MAY BE A TEL NUMBER FOR THEM ON GUARDIAN . I HAVE GOT THEM INTO A FIELD OPPOSITE.
10/01/2014	371	CHESTERFIELD	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	LOSE HORSES RAN TOWARDS THE TOWN CENTRE, 4 OF THEM, THEYVE COME OUT OF WEST VIEW RD THERE

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10/01/2014	372	CHESTERFIELD	HIGHWAY DISRUPTION	ARE SOME FIELDS DOWN THERE THERE ARE 4 HORSES LOOSE IN FRONT OF THE HOTEL. THEY ARE RUNNING INTO TRAFFIC
11/01/2014	393	CHESTERFIELD	AFFECTS THE INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP BUT NOT THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE	I WOULD LIKE TO REPORT A GROUP OF TEENAGERS THAT WERE AT THE SIDE OF ME AND MY DAUGHTER WHILST WE WERE RIDING ON OUR HORSES. THEY WERE ON MOTORBIKES/TRIALS BIKES AND THERE WAS 3 OF THEM. THEY HAVE GONE PAST IN SINGLE FILE, VERY VERY FAST BEFORE I WAVED THEM TO SLOW DOWN. AS THE MIDDLE ONE WENT PAST, ONE REVVED THEIR ENGINE VERY LOUDLY AND ONE TOLD ME TO EFF OFF. THEY WERE WEARIING HELMETS. ONE OF THE VRMs: S903KGN.
11/01/2014	492	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	THERE IS A HORSE LOSE, I DONT NO WHO THE HORSE BELONGS TO
11/01/2014	556	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	MY BOYFRIEND HAS JUST RUNG ME AS HE HAS SEEN A HORSE RUNNING LOSE ON THE ROAD.
12/01/2014	328	CLAY CROSS AND NORTH EAST	ANIMALS/WILDLIFE	FROM SYORKS- THERE IS A BLACK PONY LAID AT THE SIDE OF A FOOTPATH, LOOKS AS THOUGH ITS INTERNAL ORGANS ARE COMING OUT OF ITS BACK END. THERE ARE TWO NEW BRIDGES HEADING INTO KILLARMARSH, OFF THE FIRST BRIDGE THERE IS A FOOTPATH LEADING TO THE RAILWAY LINE AND IT IS JUST OFF THERE. THIS IS BANG ON THE BORDER, BUT WILL BE COVERED BY YOURSELVES WE BELIEVE.

Nottinghamshire Police
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No Information Received

Norfolk Constabulary
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No Information Received

Suffolk Constabulary
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Julie Dennis, Community Safety Unit on 01473 613994 e-mail horsewatch@suffolk.pnn.police.uk
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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

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e-mail 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

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

Keep an eye out for cable thieves

Police are warning the public about an increase in theft of BT cables within Suffolk.

Offenders lift manhole covers or force cable boxes and cut through cables leaving local residents without phone and internet connection.

The public are being asked to look out for things like:

- Work being carried out in streets and on roads by people not wearing hi-visibility vests, using unmarked vans, flatbed trucks or 4x4 vehicles.
- Removed or disturbed cable box covers.

Police would urge residents to report any suspicious behaviour or vehicles seen in their local areas by either dialling the non-emergency number 101 or 999 if they believe a crime is in progress.

Read the Suffolk Police press article

www.suffolk.police.uk/newsandevents/newsstories/2014/january/policelinkingcablecrimes.aspx

Theft of tack – Stoke by Clare (CO10)

Crime Ref: HH/14/49

Overnight on 6 / 7 January an outbuilding in a yard was broken into. A lock was forced from the door and a brown leather saddle with stirrups and irons, hedge trimmer and chainsaw stolen from inside.

Theft of vehicles – Nayland (CO6)

Crime Ref: HD/14/32

Overnight on 7 / 8 January two vehicles were stolen from a farm. Two insecure barns were entered and a green Ranger-11 900cc quad bike was stolen from one of the barns; a green Landrover Defender, registration AY10 ZGC, was stolen from the other barn.

Criminal damage to horsebox – Preston St Mary (CO10)

Crime Ref: SU/14/64

Overnight 7 / 8 January door to a Volvo horsebox was forced. The inside was searched however, nothing was stolen.

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Theft from stables – Beccles (NR34)

Crime Ref: BE/14/58

Between 4pm Thursday 9th & 7.30am Sunday 12th January an outbuilding on allotments was broken into and a Ryobi strimmer was stolen.

A stable was broken into on allotments in Common Lane South between 5.30pm Saturday 11th & 9am Sunday 12th January. A crowbar & spade were stolen from inside and electric fencing was damaged allowing horses to escape.

There were also attempts to break into two sheds on the same allotments in Common Lane South as well as four actual break ins to sheds or outbuildings all between 10am Saturday 11 & 10am Sunday 12th January. Nothing was stolen.

Theft of vehicle – Glemsford (CO10)

Crime Ref: SU/14/86

Between 6pm and 8pm on 14th January a 1998 plate Red Toyota Hiace (registration **S343STW**) was stolen from a paddock. This crime is linked with an attempted theft of a similar vehicle in Great Cornard at 6.45pm on the same day. The suspects (two white males) in the attempted theft fled in a black estate car when they were disturbed by the owner of the vehicle.

The first offender is described as a white man, of a large build, aged in his thirties, approximately 5'5" tall and was wearing a blue coloured top. The second offender is described as a white man, approximately 5'8" tall, aged in his thirties and of a thin build.

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Theft of fencing batteries – Redgrave (IP22)

Crime Ref: ST/14/133

Overnight on 14/15 January two batteries running electric fencing were stolen from a field

Criminal damage to fencing – Copdock (IP8)

Crime Ref: HD/14/69

Offenders damaged the perimeter wire fence to a paddock sometime between 4pm Friday 17th and 12.30pm Saturday 18th January. Fortunately the ponies in the paddock did not escape.

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Midlands Region

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

Staffordshire Police

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Staffordshire Horsewatch Tel: 01785 234429

No Information Received

Leicestershire Constabulary

Telephone: 101

No Information Received

Warwickshire Police

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Rural Watch and Horsewatch Crime Alerts Bulletin – 6 January 2014

Please be aware of the following incidents, which have occurred at farms and rural businesses across Warwickshire over recent days:

Incident 113 of 21 December – Nuneaton

During the night of 20 into 21 December, offenders entered the yard of a farm premises in Ridge Lane, Nuneaton and walked around the cattle buildings before stealing diesel from a telehandler and a tractor. The offenders also stole a lawnmower before making off.

Incident 118 of 21 December – Southam

During the night of 20 into 21 December, offenders entered a workshop at a farm premises in Daventry Road, Southam and stole a trestle.

Incident 83 of 27 December – Fillongley

At some point before 7am on 27 December, offenders entered a rural premise in Green End, Fillongley through an insecure gate and the used pipes to carry fuel either under or over a fence before making off with the fuel.

Incident 145 of 23 December – Marston Jabbett

During the night of 22 into 23 December, offenders broke into several outbuildings at a farm premises in Marston Lane, Marston Jabbett. CCTV shows 3 male offenders entering the buildings and having a good look around. It is unclear if anything was stolen.

Incident 242 of 23 December – Admington

Between 22 and 29 December, offenders stole a large quantity of cash from a bedroom at a farm premises in Coughton, Alcester.

Incident 155 of 29 December – Warmington

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During the night of 28 into 29 December, offenders entered 2 outbuildings at the bottom of a driveway at a farm premises in Warmington, Banbury and then removed the hasp and staple to bypass the padlock. Once inside, the offenders stole various tools.

Incident 99 of 29 December

Between 3 and 7am on 29 December, offenders pulled the rear panels off a barn at a farm premises in Yarningale Common and then entered the building to steal an off road quad bike.

Incident 128 of 2 January – Mancetter

Between 24 December and 2 January, offenders entered a secure lorry parked at a quarry premises in Mancetter and stole a large quantity of diesel.

Incident 179 of 2 December – Mancetter

Over the Christmas period, offenders entered a second rural business premises in Quarry Lane, Mancetter and stole a quantity of diesel from a number of lorries.

Incident 196 of 2 January – Mancetter

Between 1pm on 1 and 3.14pm on 2 January, offenders smashed the bar and padlock off a workshop at a farm premises in Quarry Lane, Mancetter and then ripped open the wooden door. The offenders entered the building but nothing appears to have been stolen.

Incident 99 of 5 January – Lawsonford

At some point before 10.30am on 5 January, offenders stole a secure Landrover Defender, without the keys, from the driveway of a rural home in Lapworth Street, Lawsonford.

Incident 125 of 3 January – Packington

Between 12noon on 18 December and 8.30am on 2 January, offenders smashed and forced open the shutters on 3 portacabins, at a rural premise, in Packington Lane, Meriden and then entered the buildings to cut and steal cables.

Incident 68 of 6 January – Arley

During the night of 2 into 3 January, offenders climbed over a metal 5 bar gate at a farm premises in Stonehouse Lane, Arley to access the yard. The offenders then walked into an insecure barn and stole a large quantity of items including 15 horse rugs, 3 wood axes, 2 forks, 2 aluminium shovels, fishing tackle and an electric fencing unit.

Information from West Midlands Police

During the early hours of Monday 16th December offenders broke into Oakes Farm, Balsall Street, Balsall Common. It would appear they approached from fields and took time to recce the building before averting cameras and breaking sirens. Entry was forced through a window and once inside a safe with several hundred pounds was stolen. They exited through the same window before making off on foot towards possibly Frog Lane, so no vehicle seen.

Information from West Mercia Police

Rare Chickens Stolen From Hanbury

Police are appealing for information about the theft of eight rare breed chickens from near Redditch. The eight brown and gold Welsummer chickens - three cockerels and five hens - had been bred for competition. They were taken from pens in unlocked sheds at Park Hall Farm, Hanbury, sometime between midnight and 6am today, Tuesday 31st December. They had been bred by their owner, and included an award-winning cockerel, which was worth up to £100. It is believed that the offenders, who appeared to know what they were looking for, specifically selected the stolen chickens.

Witnesses or anyone with information are asked to contact West Mercia Police on the non-emergency number 101 quoting 172-s-311213 or ring the independent charity Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111.

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LEOMINSTER

This is a report of further damage to a wire fence at a small holding farm in Eardisland, Leominster. The wire fence has been cut.

This took place between Sunday (29th December) evening and midday on Monday (30th). Damage was caused to a different part of the fence between the 20th and the 25th.

KIDDERMINSTER

Kingsford Lane, Kidderminster. Local residents have reported a white van, BT55WCM, driving around and paying attention to horses. The reports suggest there were as many as 4 males in the van but they have committed no offences at this time. (30/12/13)

West Mercia Police

(Incorporating Worcestershire, Shropshire, Herefordshire)

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No Information Received

Worcestershire Horsewatch

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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

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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

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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

No Information Received

West Midlands Police

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No Information Received

Solihull Horsewatch

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Horsewatch Liaison

Community Partnerships Officer, Community Reassurance Team,

PO Box 1833, Council House, Solihull, West Midlands, B91 3DZ

No Information Received

Sandwell Horsewatch

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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

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No Information Received

Cheshire Constabulary

Telephone 101

No Information Received

Lancashire Constabulary

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Lancashire Police

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Merseyside Police

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No Information Received

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No Information Received

South Wales Police

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No Information Received

Gwent Police

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PC Ruth James Email: ruth.james@gwent.pnn.police.uk

Sevenside Neighbourhood Policing Team, Caldicot Police Station

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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

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No Information Received

Scotland

Horse Watch Scotland

New Contact Details

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www.horsewatchscotland.info

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

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

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

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

Central Scotland Police - vacant

Northern Constabulary - vacant

Lothian & Borders Police - vacant

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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
www.equisecurity.co.uk Dedicated to equestrian security
www.icebands.org Rider & Horse Safety
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 – Fine 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 Good – Check Before You Buy!

www.virtualbumblebee.co.uk
www.securedbydesign.com ACPO Accredited Crime Prevention Assoc & Firms
www.equinemarketwatch.org.uk Equine Market Watch Welfare
www.tracingequines.co.uk
www.animalsonline.org.uk