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Information & Advice

Message from Wiltshire Police

Scam information

Wiltshire Horsewatch

You may remember a short while ago we warned you of a scam involving "Equine Waste Collection". Sadly a few of you were caught out and suffered financially! The male involved with that scam has now been charged with 34 offences of fraud by Wiltshire Police!

Good News indeed......

BUT.... we now suspect that the same male or his associates' are advertising another service via email to Equine establishments / Racing Yards across the South West! This we believe to be a "Horse Transport Service"!!

BE AWARE OF COLD CALLING / EMAILS RELATING TO THIS TYPE OF SERVICE

Remember if it sounds too good to be true it probably is

John Bordiss Rural Crime Team

New Horsewatch Schemes in Lancashire

Information from PC John Holland

Could I make you aware of another Horsewatch scheme in Lancs as well as Preston and Wyre

Ribble Valley horsewatch covers the East Lancashire Area and is based from Clitheroe Police Station

Ribble Valley Horsewatch based from Clitheroe Police Station PCSO 7851 Di Bioletti 01200 458734

dinah.bioletti@lancashire.pnn.police.uk

The Preston Horsewatch contact is PCSO 7087 Julie Anyon 01772 209447 julie.anyon3@lancashire.pnn.police.uk

Based at Lea Police Station

The Wyre Horeswatch contacts are

Wyre(east) based from Garstang police station PCSO 7025 John Holland 01995 607869 john.holland@lancashire.pnn.police.uk

Wyre (west) based from Poulton police station PCSO 7315 Chrissie Grimshaw 01253 890813

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christina.grimshaw@lancashire.pnn.police.uk

Katy Lawton is the coordinator for both schemes to link them together. her email is <u>katyprestonhorsewatch@hotmail.co.uk</u>

Many thanks

John HOLLAND PCSO 7025 Garstang and Over Wyre NHPT Garstang Police Station 01995 607869 john.holland@lancashire.pnn.police.uk Wyre Horse Watch Police Liaison

Scams Reminder - Oct 2012

Beware of the numerous scams circulating either via phone or email often from Asia or Africa and within the UK. The content of the conversation is usually very plausible with some details sounding correct and personal to the recipient but often a further request for personal banking details are required and a fee. The caller often states an order has been placed eg; for unwanted phone calls or for advertising. As always please be advised NOT to pass any bank details over the phone or computer

Community Message from Dorset Police - 24th October 2012

It is an offence to place anything on the road that may cause harm to another road user. **This includes mud**. Civil claims against farmers have run into millions which may not be recoverable from insurance, if reasonable efforts have not been made clear. Road sweepers can be hired and should be used where necessary.

Police receive numerous complaints during maize harvest and try to deal as leniently as possible, but the responsibility remains with the person making the mess. Police can arrange for the road to be swept at the farmer's expense if action is not taken when required. Busy roads cannot just be left uncleared until the end of the working day. They must be safely passable to all road users all the time.

Remember, a civil claim against you, in certain circumstances, could result in the loss of your farm. The cost of a sweeper could appear small, set against the cost of a civil claim.

<u>South East inc London</u> : <u>South West</u> : <u>Midlands</u> : <u>Eastern</u> : <u>Wales</u> : <u>North East</u> : <u>North West</u> <u>Scotland</u> : <u>N. Ireland</u> : <u>Eire</u> : <u>Overseas News</u> : <u>Useful Contacts</u>

Stolen

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

Pony Stolen / Missing From Hilperton, Trowbridge Crime Ref: 6808/10

Overnight 7th – 8th October 2012 – Chestnut Mare – 15 Yrs – 12.2hh has bone missing / stolen. White blaze, 3 white legs, no scars of other distinguishing marks. When last seen she was wearing a purple rug with full neck cover. Should anyone have any information about the whereabouts of this pony, please call Police on 101.

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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

> Burglary OTD, Wheatley Lane, Kingsley, Hants Overnight 16th/17th October 2012 RMS: 44120405588 <u>Quad Bike stolen</u>



(Not actual machine) <u>Make</u>: Honda <u>Model</u>: TRX500FM8 <u>Colour</u>: Red Year of manufacture: 2010

OIC: P.C 24208 Jon Radcliffe North Hants Countrywatch Petersfield Police Station Tel 101

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Burglary – Sutton Scotney Crime Reference 4412008439

Over night of 19th October 2012 a large quantity of saddles and other equestrian property was stolen.

This was an organised crime. Enquiries revealed that a blue flat bed truck bearing the registration number CUO3 GGY was seen in the area prior to the burglary.

It is believed the flat bed vehicle was displaying false plates.

In a general sense be suspicious of any vehicles seen in your area especially when you don't recognise the vehicle and/or the occupants. Far better to be cautious and report your concerns than wait until it is too late.

Attempt theft of a horse trailer Crime Reference 44120425483

30th – 31st October 2012

Attempt was made to steal an Ifor William horse trailer from a livery yard in the Bentley area of Hampshire.

Theft of Hay – Crondall Rd, Crondall Crime Ref: 44120388915 & 44120388994

Overnight 3rd4th October 200 bales of hay was stolen from a barn. 50 were under a tarpaulin in a gated and fenced field approx 75 metres from the road and 150 were in a field shelter 400 metres from the road. No tyre marks so possibly moved by hand.

Theft of Tack – Rockbourne

5th October 2012

The following items were stolen from a field in Rockbourne:-

- 1 x blue rug, post coded SP1 3DW (was in a shed in the field)
- 1 x red check head-collar
- 1 x multi coloured head-collar
- 1 x lunge whip purple

NORTHERN COUNTRY WATCH WEEKLY – 11th October 2012 WITH YOUR HELP

• Three illegal immigrants were detained after being found in the back of a lorry that was delivering to a farm

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"IMMOBILISE" ---- 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 E-mail them at equine@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

<u>www.dogwatchalert.com</u> - Thames Valley Police website for lost or stolen dogs.

PLEASE Note. 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

 10.10.12, 16.15; Swanmore S158 EHR Citreon Saxo in red. Driving into farm yard and asking to buy hay.

Basingstoke and Surrounding Area

- 06.10.12 11.45 Wootton St Lawrence P29 EVP Ford Maverick in red seen with long dogs in the back in rural location
- 07.10.12, 18.00; Popham T690 NEF Daihatsu Four Track in white possibly poaching
- 08.10.12 16.20 Tadley P29 EVP Ford Maverick in red seen stopping at every gate way.
- 10.10.12. 13.40 Upton Grey N840 UDP Vauxhall Monterey in blue driving into farm sites.

East Hants and Surrounding Area

- 05.10.12. 15.30, Old Odiham Road, S423 JHP Dark Blue Estate driving on land.
- 06.10.12. 20.00; Selbourne, BJ04 MTX Ford Focus in green on rural location.
- 10.10.12. 08.30; Froyle, HJ55 WRT Mitsubishi in black with an orange light on the roof. Usually has a female driver with male passengers. Seen in rural locations.
- 10.10.12 11.30; Shalden. FP52 PPO Toyota pick up in white possibly looking to dump green waste.

Hart and Surrounding Area

- 29.09.12, 01.00 Crondall AT57 SYA Ford Transit in whiteseen in suspicious circumstances.
- 29.09.12, 12.45; Crondall W189 JPF Vauxhall Astra in white seen in suspicious circumstances
- 06.10.12, 22.25 Odiham S365 RUH Subaru Impreza in blue seen on farm.
- 08.10.12 13.00; Swainshill HG06 KGX landrover defender dark green and N755 ARW Landrover discovery in blue. Seen driving down a rural lane.
- 09.10.12, 11.30 Swainshill X656 NKO Mitsubushi L200 in blue seen driving on a rural lane.

Andover and Surrounding Area

- 10.10.12. 18.00; Quarley GN57 GYY possibly an Isuzu tipper in orange in a quite lane.
- 09.10.12 Goodworth Clatford A van with Surveying written on the side claiming to be sub

contracting for the Council and offering to repair drives. They are not working for the council. **Waterlooville and Surrounding Area**

• 10.10.12, 17.00; Waterlooville, KV57 USF Ford transit in blue seen in suspicious circumstances. Hayling Island Area

• No vehicles of interest reported.

Fareham and Surrounding Area

• A Blue Volkswagen Van Irish plates ID101427 and Silver Renault Van again Irish plates IID3277 selling pressure washers and power tools. Buyer beware.

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Gosport and Surrounding Area

• No vehicles of interest reported.

- Park Gate and Surrounding Area
 - No vehicles of interest reported.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Officers from the North of Hampshire including PC Jon Radcliffe assisted in hosting the Annual National Wildlife Crime Conference at Bramshill last weekend. It was attended by approx 120 delegates from across the Country. This gave an opportunity for the Hampshire Country Watch Officers to pass on Good Practice to other Police Forces and partner agencies involved in wild life crime.

Theft of Rug – Longstock, Stockbridge

Between $15^{th} - 16^{th}$ October a rug has been stolen from the back of a horse in a field. No description – valued at £50.

Theft of Horse Box – West Meon

Between 17th – 18th October a Daf horse box, Reg. BD51 UVG, blue/green in colour, was stolen from Church Lane, West Meon. Inside were horse rugs and boots.

Theft of Tack – Ashford Hill, Headley

Between 17th – 18th October rugs, bags of horse feed, riding hats, head collars and a harness has been taken from a remote field and stables near Lane End, Ashford Hill. Several items were dropped in the field by the offenders as they left. Only items easily accessed were stolen, ie no break-in to the stables.

Theft of Tack – Stables – Meonstoke

On 22nd October at Bucks Head Hill, Meonstoke locked and secured stables were broken into and 2 x synthetic saddles, bridles, numnahs, girths etc were stolen valued at over £800.

Thames Valley Police
Telephone: 101Thames Valley Mounted Section 01908 686075Watch Administrator – Thames Valley Police0118 9181644Christine.seal@thamesvalley.pnn.police.ukwww.thamesvalleyhorsewatch.org.uktyhorsewatch@btinternet.com

Dogwatch No. 830 Suspicious Incident - Cherokee Jeep

A light coloured silver blue metallic Cherokee Jeep was chased off a farm at Swyncombe, near Nettlebed several times yesterday, 9 October. There were four men in their mid twenties on board, and at one stage they drove across a member's lawn and then ran another member off the public road. Unfortunately the VRN could not be read, but it begins with an "L". Later that night, coursers were seen on a neighbouring farm near Ewelme possibly using the same vehicle. It made off towards Ipsden.

Raids on Farms in Hampshire

The north of Hampshire has recently been hit by a number of rural thefts which have included machinery and implements. This week a quad bike and 200 bales of hay were stolen. Police are asking farmers to be vigilant.

DOGWATCH

When reporting a dog related crime on 999 or 101, the message will automatically be relayed to

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headquarters at Kidlington and a relevant communication will be "cascaded" to all interested parties including: Police Area Beat Officers; Dog Wardens; Re-homing Centres etc, as well as our own members. If it is a theft or suspicious activity that might be related to dog theft, tell the operator: "please link this incident to the Thames Valley Alert System". If you prefer to remain anonymous call crimestoppers on 0800 555111. To enrol new members visit our website www.dogwatchalert.com

Tractor Stolen – Nash, Nr Milton Keynes Crime Ref: AG4139127/12

A new New Holland tractor, OU08EDC, valued at £40,000 was stolen from a farm at Nash near Milton Keynes between 17.00hrs and 19.00hrs on Wednesday 17th October. It was parked securely in front of a farm building and has "Cesar Plant Protection" written on it. The owner says that he has been burgled several times before.

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: <u>eastherthorsewatch@hotmail.com</u> <u>Jill.dockley@herts.pnn.police.uk</u> 01992 533043 The scheme is running in the Eastern area and will be rolled out across the county later.

Barn Fire - Walkern

Police are investigating an attempted burglary and a subsequent fire at a stable yard in Bennington Road in Walkern, in which four horses have sadly died. The incident happened at around 1.50am Wednesday October 3. It is believed that offenders were trying to gain access to a metal container at the location which contained a quad bike and that the fire started at some point during this process. Police are currently working with the fire service to establish the exact cause of the fire and a full investigation is underway. If you need to reply by email click on my address here: adam.frame@herts.pnn.police.uk.

*** Barn Fire Update ***

Police in East Herts have arrested a 43-year-old local man in connection with an attempted burglary and a subsequent fire at a stable yard in Benington Road in Walkern, in which four horses died, on October 3rd. The incident has caused great concern to many people, especially horse-owners, so we feel it is important to let residents in neighbouring rural areas know about the action police have been able to take. The man was arrested at an address in Walkern just before 8am this morning (Tuesday October 16). Chief Inspector for East Herts Gerry McDonald said: "We take these kinds of offences very seriously and are completely committed to tackling rural crime. This kind of crime has a huge impact on the local community and I hope today's arrest will reassure local residents that we will deal robustly with these types of offences when they occur."

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

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Sussex Police Telephone: 101 Contact: Phil Ball

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

Burglary non dwelling

Sometime between 1500hrs (27/10/2012) and 0900hrs (28/10/2012) a stables in Stansted, near Rowlands Castle has been entered, offenders have taken various equestrian items including: Bridles, Head Collars, Whips, Flymasks, Buckets and Wheelbarrows. Sussex Police Reference: 564 (28/10/2012).

Please report any suspicious persons or vehicles to Police at the time:

999 (Emergency/Crime in Progress) or 101 (Non Emergency)

Note, As always it is advisable that all wheelbarrows are chained up, they are invariably used to transport the stolen goods away to a waiting vehicle and may even be stolen themselves!!

Theft of Tack – Yard in Middleton on Sea, Bognor Regis Crime Ref: WA1/08473612

Overnight 3rd – 4th October a yard in Middle on Sea was entered and the following items taken:-

- 1 x Amigo Light Weigh Turnout Rug 5.9 Purple with Fixed Hood
- 1 x Amigo Light Weigh Turnout Rug 5.9 Blue & Red Standard Neck
- 1 x Bridleways Light Weight Turnout Rug 5.9 Dark & Light Blue Standard Neck with PO212FY marked on it in two places on back.
- 1 x Storm Breaker Medium Weight Turnout Rug 5.6 Blue with PO212FY marked on in two places on back.
- 2 x Leather Head Collars both black with multi coloured ropes
- 2 x Standard Comfort Head Collars, 1 blue with the name "Coco" on it and 1 purple with matching ropes

There is a chance that the post coded rugs will be dumped so please keep a look out.

Suspicious Vehicle – Bury

Suspicious vehicle possibly involved in poaching seen near South Downs Way, Bury on 11/10/12. Landrover N282 LPN.

Stolen Horse Trailer – Heyshot, Nr Midhurst

Overnight 12/10/12 – Cheval Liberty gold model – white top, dark charcoal body x 2 horse trailer – supplied with wooden floor but aluminium floor fitted – water damage inside – sticker with horse's head and neck on outside – no index number.

Are These 2 Crimes Connected ??

Theft of Caravan – Bury/Bignor Area (North of Arundle)

Crime Ref: 1359

On 11th October a gate was taken off its hinges and left propped up. Tyre marks were found in the field where a vehicle had been stuck – horses were in the field at the time. In the neighbouring field a caravan was stolen.

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Suspicious Incident – Bury/Bignor Area

On 13th October a black Discovery (Ref EA08 ***) with three men in vehicle behaving very suspiciously at approx 1700 hrs and then at approx 1745 hrs a white Transit van with men acting suspiciously - all appeared to be driving very slowly past the horses hanging out of windows and having a good look at everything.

Theft from Field – Flimwell Crime Ref: ER2/090225/12

Following an earlier theft a field in Rosemary Lane, Flimwell was entered and 2 x horse wormers were taken. It is suspected that lampers are involved looking for rabbits as there was a lot of blood found. *Please be careful if allowing lampers onto your land.*

Sussex Horse Watch - 16/10/2012 Theft of Straw - Ardingly

Four bales of straw have been stolen overnight $12^{th} - 13^{th} / 10/12$ from a barn in Hammingden Lane, Ardingly

Bedfordshire Police

Telephone: 101

Police Contact: Claire Ackerman – <u>Claire.ackerman@bedfordshire.pnn.police.uk</u> Tel: 01234 842220

el: 01234 8422

Ringmasters: Sarah Stevens: <u>sarah.stevens@safer-beds.org</u> and Dean Doyle: <u>dean.doyle@safer-</u>

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

No Information Received

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

Wiltshire Farmwatch / Horsewatch Theft of Country Clothing

The Wiltshire Game & Country Fair took place at Bowood over the weekend of 22nd - 23rd September. In the early hours of 23/09/2012 offenders entered three trader's tents and stole clothing. The stolen property was mainly high value tweed or camouflage shooting and hunting jackets. Brands stolen include Harkila, Seeland, Deerhunter and Ratcatcher. The Ratcatcher jackets are only distributed in the UK by one company. Any information about the theft or the stolen property should be passed to Dc 795 Clive BOWYER at Melksham CID on 101 extension 728300 or anonymously through the Crimestoppers reporting line 0800 555 111.

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Pony Stolen / Missing From Hilperton, Trowbridge Crime Ref: 54120090435

Overnight 7th – 8th October 2012 – Chestnut Mare – 15 Yrs – 12.2hh has bone missing / stolen. White blaze, 3 white legs, no scars of other distinguishing marks. When last seen she was wearing a purple rug with full neck cover. Should anyone have any information about the whereabouts of this pony, please call Police on 101.



Devon and Cornwall Constabulary Phone 101 Cornwall Horsewatch

The organiser is Bernadette Marsh on <u>thegrazelivery@sky.com</u>. 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

georginadale@hotmail.com

No Information Received

Dorset Police Telephone: 101

HorseWatch Co-ordinator jane.brittain@dorset.pnn.police.uk PC John Snellin, Force Wildlife Officer, Dorset Police Tel: 01202 220804 wildlife-crime@dorset.pnn.police.uk

Theft of Agricultural Fungicides – Cerne Valley Area

08/10/12 – Over the last few days a container in the Cerne Valley area, which is used for storing agricultural fungicides, has been broken into by unknown persons and the entire contents have been taken. These were quite specific fungicides for specific crops. If you have been offered any or know of the whereabouts then please call in as soon as possible.

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@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 - <u>melanie.campbell@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> Phone 0845 090 1234 <u>http://www.gloucestershirehorsewatch.org.uk/html/usefullinks.html</u>

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Police Horsewatch Officers

Cotswolds - <u>melanie.oliveira@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> Stroud - <u>colin.drewett@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> Stonehouse - <u>kelly.akers@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> Dursley - <u>andrew.tring@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> Gloucester - <u>melanie.campbell@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> Forrest - <u>tania.shuttleworth@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> Tewkesbury - <u>kim.hadland@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> Bishops Cleeve - <u>sarah.sceats@gloucestershire.police.uk</u>

Cheltenham - <u>lorraine.mosley@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> & <u>leanne.copping@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> Cheltenham - <u>lorraine.mosley@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> and <u>leanne.copping@gloucestershire.police.uk</u> No Information Received

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

Message from PCSO Donna Fry

I hope those of you that have signed up to our new FACEBOOK page (South Yorkshire Police Horsewatch) are liking the communications that are going on already around the South Yorkshire Area.

Most of the information now is being circulated on social media sites as emails are often overlooked, especially in junk mail folders.

From now on i will only be sending a monthly newsletter with information via email and all up to the minute circulations will be via Facebook unless it is urgent.

Please utilise our FACEBOOK page, it needs your input to find lost/stolen items and horses. I hope you will continue to support us.

Thanks Dee

Donna Fry PCSO 8242 SYP Equine Liaison Officer Cantley/Bessacarr Rossington SNT Airwaves 8242 BLACKBERRY 07789926325 Email: donna.fry@southyorks.pnn.police.uk

Find Cantley & Bessacarr Safer Neighbourhood team on FACEBOOK Find South Yorkshire Police Horsewatch On FACEBOOK

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North Yorkshire Police Telephone: 101 Scarborough & District Country Watch www.countrysidewatch.org.uk countrysidewatch@hotmail.com

Poaching – Southern Ryedale

Two vehicles with men and dogs found poaching on land at West Lutton on 0610/12. Green Mazda Estate R714 GWU containing 3 males and a Citreon X605 BAV. Please report any sightings of these vehicles to N. Yorkshire Police on 101.

Break In at Riding School – Gateforth Crime Ref: 12120174872

Between 2030 hrs on 16th and 0845 hrs on 17th October a metal container used for storage of horse tack at a riding school was broken into. Approximately £8,000 worth of saddles and bridles were stolen.

Theft of Tack & Mountain Bike - Burn Crime Ref: 12120175722

Between 0800hrs on 15th and 1630hrs 18th Oct a shed to the rear of a property on Main Road, Burn was broken into. A blue and silver mountain bike was stolen along with a black leather 16 inch medium width saddle which had Black leather stirrup straps, chrome stirrups with white rubber fills. Also stolen was black leather bridle, green metal studs on brow band and small circular silver metal disc 'hand engraved with 'Meg'.

Please don't store expensive tack & equipment in sheds, keep them at home or in a secure building.

Fencing Cutting Incident – Eggborough

On two occasions recently pig wire fencing surrounding a horse field in Eggborough has been cut. On one occasion has led to the horsed being found wandering.

Attempt Theft of Diesel

12120180205

On 251012, approx 4pm a dirty silver coloured people carrier (size of a Renault Espace) entered a farmyard in Terrington and a male was seen stealing diesel while another was looking into adjoining barns. The males were disturbed and made off down Terrington Bank toward Sheriff Hutton. The males were both white, wearing grey fleeces and hats. Any information or if vehicle seen please contact PC1229 Rees on Tel 101.

	Northumbria Police	
	Telephone: 101	
No Information Received		
	West Yorkshire Police	
	Telephone: 101	
	fiona.pearson@westyorkshire.pnn.police.uk	
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	Durham Constabulary	
	Telephone: 101	

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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

Cambridgeshire Constabulary

Telephone: 101

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

Theft of Equipment from Container & Tack Room - Boxworth, Cambridge Crime Ref: CF0405721012 – 09-10/10/12

A steel container was entered and a bicycle and saddle stolen, then offenders have entered the tack room and stolen further horse riding equipment.

Theft of Tack – March Rd, Friday Bridge, Wisbech

Crime Ref: CF414541012 – 15-16/10

Offenders have forced the lock on the main gate to gain entry to the yard and then stolen the following items of tack from an insecure shed:-

- 3 x horse rugs
- 2 x saddle cloths
- 2 x head collars
- 4 x lead ropes
- 1 x set of travel boots
- 1 x lunge line
- 1 x cavesson
- 1 x leather girth

Lincolnshire Police Non Emergency Number 101

Nicole Page <u>nicole.page@lincs.pnn.police.uk</u> or 01205 312375 Heather Roach <u>heather.roach@lincs.pnn.police.uk</u> Jez Dodd jeremy.dodd@lincs.pnn.police.uk Ben Stambridge <u>ben.stanbridge@lincs.pnn.police.uk</u>

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

Derbyshire Damage to Fencing Crime Ref: 42528/12

Reported on 01/12/12 – Unknown offender/s cut wire fencing to a farmer's field causing damage, letting horses escape into an adjoining field.

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Theft of Wheelbarrow

Crime Ref: 42856/12

Reported on 03/10/12 - Unknown offender/s have stolen a wheelbarrow fromoutside a stable on a farm.

Theft of Trailer

Crime Ref: 42956/12

Reported on 04/10/12 – Unknown offender/s in black pick up have stolen a trailer from the back of a farm while people were about.

Theft from Stable Block Crime Ref: 43414/12

Unknown offender/s haven broken into a stable block in a field by making a small hole in the Perspex roof. Saddle has been taken.

Incident Recorded Between 01/10/12 & 07/1012 Suspicious Incident – Amber Valley

Crime Ref: 563

Reported 01/10/12 – On 2 occasions males have been to a house offering chain saws for sale and looking around the horse box. A vehicle involved is possibly a silver pick-up which may have a European number plate. Another vehicle spotted on one of the occasions is a black pick-up with white cab was parked in neighbouring pub car park.

Break-In to Stables – Between Macclesfield & Burbage

Crime Ref: 184

Reported 02/10/12 – Stables have been broken into – items stolen are to be following shortly.

Suspicious Incident – Ilkeston

Crime Ref: 451

Reported 03/10/12 – A male in a white van was acting suspiciously at an entrance to a field. He was offering tools for sale but appeared to be showing interest in the horse trailer. Trailers have been stolen in the area.

Theft of Trailer – Clay Cross & North East Crime Ref: 416

Reported 04/10/12 – Unknown offender/s have stolen a horse trailer from the back of a farm. Offenders were seen to leave in a double cab black pick up heading towards Holmesfield.

Suspicious Injury to Horse – Derby North Crime Ref: 541

Reported 05/10/12 – Horse has been found in his field with a suspicious injury to its throat – owner believes it to have been caused deliberately as there is nothing in the field which could have caused the injury.

Dead Pony / Donkey – Ilkeston

Crime Ref: 328

Reported on 21/10/12 – Donkey or pony sadly found dead near the tow path and where the bridge is at Stanton.

Nottinghamshire Police Telephone: 101

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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 <u>horsewatch@suffolk.pnn.police.uk</u> peninsulahorsewatch@aol.co.uk the contact name is Rachel Plowman

Crimes / Offences between 28th September and 17th October 2012

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 from Barn – Clopton

Crime Ref: WO/12/1726

Between 1700 hrs on 28th September and 1730 hrs on 2nd October offender/s have forced entry to a barn and stolen a saddle, generator, electric fencing, battery and 2 x strimmers.

Theft from Tack Room – Clopton (Linked to the above)

Crime Ref: WO/12/1726

Between 1800 on 11th October and 0900 hrs on 12th October offender/s have forced entry to a tack room and stolen 3 x saddles, 3 x bridles and a wheelbarrow.

Theft from Field – Ilketshall, St Andrews

Crime Ref: BE/12/1371

Between 1730 hrs on 11th October and 0730 hrs on 12th October one metre tall plastic electric fence posts x 2 were stolen from a field.

Theft from Stable – Debenham

Crime Ref: ST/12/3065

Between 1730 hrs on 12th October and 0930 hrs on 13th October a red head collar and lead rope was stolen from a stable.

Theft of Trailer – Debenham

Crime Ref: ST/12/3066

Between 1830 hrs on 12th October and 0915 hrs on 13th October a green Bayhill horse trailer has been stolen having first removed the wheel clamp.

Theft of Fencing – Debenham

Crime Ref: ST/123079

Between 6th and 13th October 2 x galvanised fence posts and 2 x galvanised gates have been taken from an insecure storage area.

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

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Leicestershire Constabulary Telephone: 101

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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 herefordshirehorsewatch@googlemail.com

Chair Co-ordinator – Tara Heinemann. Telephone: 01544 318038 Email: <u>hfdshorsewatch@aol.com</u>. 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: 101or 03000 111 222 if calling from outside of the area http://www.horsewatchnorthants.org.uk/

Chairperson: Sandy Redmore <u>sandy.redmore@btinternet.com</u>

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

Theft from Field – Geddington, Nr Kettering

Report of a theft from a field off Chase View in Geddington, Nr Kettering where between 18:30 hrs on 6th October and 09:30 hrs on 7th October 2012 someone has removed and stolen 3 wooden fence posts and an amount of electric fencing tape and damaged a large sign stating "private".

Theft of Tack – Brackley Area of South Northants

Between 1830 hrs on 20th October and 0730 hrs on 21st October a tack room had its padlocks cut and a wheelbarrow from the yard was used to help steal the following tack items:-

- Black Thorowgood synthetic pony saddle
- Barnsby black leather showing saddle
- Anthill brown showing saddle
- Black cob size bridle
- Butterfly Pelham bit (made in Germany)
- Black leather pony bridle with copper mouth loose ring snap-on bit
- Wintec black GP saddle with girth, stirrups and brown numnah
- Jeffries Falcon brown leather pony saddle with leathers and an aquamarine numnah
- Full size black leather bridle with hanging cheek bit, rubber reins and drop noseband
- Kent & Masters 17.5" GP high wither with girth and stirrups
- Black Albion saddle, Wintec girth, black Albion hunting breast plate and a black bridle and bit

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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 No Information Received Cheshire Constabulary **Telephone 101** No Information Received Lancashire Constabulary Telephone: 101 Lancashire Police Preston Horsewatch - www.prestonhorsewatch.co.uk Julie Anyon 7087 – 01772 209441 – julieanyon3@lancashire.pnn.police.uk Wyre Horsewatch Police Liaison - John Holland PCSO 7025 Garstang NHPT, Garstang Police Station – Tel 01995 607869 john.holland@lancashire.pnn.police.uk No Information Received Cumbria Constabulary Telephone: 101 No Information Received **Mersevside Police** Telephone: 101 No Information Received Wales **Dyfed-Powys Police** , South Wales, Gwent, North Wales **Dyfed-Powys Police** Telephone: 101 Havdn Lavin - Cwnstabl / Constable 938 Cymunedau a Phartneriaid / Communities and Partnerships

Y Gwalia, Llandrindod Wells. LD1 6AA

Swyddfa Gwalia Office 01597 827317

Swyddfa Aberhonddu / Brecon Office - 101 est/ext 460 E-bost/E-mail: <u>haydn.lavin@dyfed-powys.pnn.police.uk</u> PembrokeshireHorsewatch@dyfed-powys.pnn.police.uk

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PCSO Jude Parr - jude.parr@dyfed-powys.pnn.police.uk Dyfed-Powys Police - Haverfordwest Police Station Merlin's 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

Severnside 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

No Information Received

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

Crime Prevention – Don't Be A Victim of Crime

www.crimestoppers.co.uk www.smartwater.com www.farmkey.com www.freezemark.biz

www.equisecurity.co.uk www.icebands.org www.padlockirelandnationalregister.com www.northernbrand.co.uk Saddleguard www.Chips4Tack.com National Equestrian Crime Database Immobilise Tel: 0800 555 111 Property Security Tel: 0870 870 7107 : <u>info@farmkey.co.uk</u> <u>mary@freezemark.biz</u> – Freeze Marking for Horses 01295 788226 or 07779262765 Dedicated to equestrian security Rider & Horse Safety

info@saddleguart.co.uk – 01707 652577 or 07778 501915 Tel: 01323 460887 – ID marking for saddlery www.necd.org.uk www.immobilise.com

Crime Detection – Fine Your Stolen Property

www.missinghorsesonloan.co.uk 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 missinghorsesonloan@gmail.com - Tel 07794 453911

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 www.equinemarketwatch.org.uk www.tracingequines.co.uk www.animalsonline.org.uk

ACPO Accredited Crime Prevention Assoc & Firms Equine Market Watch Welfare

National Equestrian Crime Database Immobilise

www.necd.org.uk www.immobilise.com