

Steyning Parish Council

Neighbourhood Wardens Report June 2016

Anti-Social Behaviour and Crime

We have received reports again of nuisance noise from vehicles in Fletchers croft in the early hours of the morning. This has now been reported to Police to pay passing attention to the area on night shifts.

A dark blue Audi vehicle is being sought by Police following a burglary in school lane. It is also believed to be connected to a burglary in Billingshurst.

We are pleased to announce that the Chief constable has agreed to re-accredit Horsham District Council and the individual Neighbourhood Wardens for a further three years. We will also have the additional power to issue community protection Notices

What is a community protection notice?

The CPN is aimed at stopping a person, business or organisation committing persistent and continuing unreasonable behaviour that spoils the community's quality of life, by targeting those responsible.

A Community Protection Notice is a written warning that requires the perpetrator to stop the behaviour that is causing ASB. It can include a requirement to stop doing something, to positively do something and take reasonable steps to prevent the behaviour continuing.

Failing to comply with a CPN is an offence for which the individual or business can be subject to a fixed penalty notice or prosecution through the courts.

Community.

Alongside P.C. Angie Keeley, the Police Schools Liason Officer, We have recently attended a question and answer session with pupils of Steyning Grammar School to discuss the issues of Anti social Behaviour in the area.

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