

Warden Monthly Report

Nov 2021

Patrol hours (foot and vehicle) TOTAL:	81	ASB incidents TOTAL:	8
Foot patrol TOTAL:	32	Noise	1
Foot (high visibility) – Steyning	16	Neighbours	1
Foot (high visibility) – Bramber	5	Driving/vehicles	2
Foot (high visibility) – Upper Beeding	11	Bikes	0
Vehicle patrol TOTAL:	49	Alcohol 1/drugs 2	1
Vehicle patrol - Steyning	25	Public order	3
Vehicle patrol - Bramber	5	Clear up/disposal reports TOTAL:	14
Vehicle patrol - Upper Beeding	19	Fly tipping / flyposting	4
Notices/warnings TOTAL:	3	Graffiti	0
Fixed Penalty Notice	0	Dog fouling	6
Yellow card warning	0	Litter	3
Community Protection Warning/Notice	0	Drug litter	1
Parking alert	3	Hazards	0
Police reports TOTAL:	8	Community events attended	1
Phone (including 101 and 999)	1	School contact/engagement	1
Email	3	Reports to DVLA	2
Intelligence report	2	Reports to Operation Crackdown	2
E-CINS (multi-agency reporting)	0	Admin	30
Verbal	2	Visits to vulnerable people (all ages)	30
		Signposting	0
		Safeguarding referral	0

ASB/crime/criminal damage

Steyning-

The number of ASB incidents have reduced significantly in November however there still a few incidents. We have been seeing an increase in young people ages 15-18 congregating in Fletchers Croft and in particular the Play park after dark. We have engaged with this group on several occasions and in particular with one individual who was clearly under the influence of Alcohol. The group have engaged positively with us and have complied with leaving the park when asked.

We received one report relating to a large group of young people playing music and drinking in the High Street Bus Shelter. We continue to patrol and monitor this closely especially after the prolonged spate of ASB we had there during the summer. Most of the group we had been dealing with during the summer months are adhering to banning orders and in one case a Community Protection Notice. In general, our engagement with them is now on a more positive footing and many of the individuals seem to have changed their behaviour for the better.

Drug Litter found at the bench near basketball courts in the Memorial Playing Field.

Bramber –

A quiet period for ASB in Bramber although we did submit Intel relating to a potential suspected drug deal in Bramber Castle Car Park.

Upper Beeding –

Again, a quiet period in relation to ASB across the parishes. We had cause to move on a group of young people who were drinking in the Play Park after dark on one occasion. These individuals are not known to us as regular perpetrators of ASB.

We have been visiting the NISA more regularly following reports of shop lifting by children of school age. The manager has informed us this issue has now died down however we will continue to patrol the area.

Parking/vehicles

Steyning –

Two vehicles at the very end of Shooting Field towards Tanyard Lane were causing an obstruction, and Yellow Warning Notices were issued.

Bramber-

Nothing to report.

Upper Beeding-

The caravan at High Trees car park is still there and West Sussex are now dealing with this.

There is still an ongoing parking issues in Saltings way, we did a leaflet drop in the summer to raise awareness and educate around parking considerably however from time-to-time issue still flares up particularly around school times.

Fly tipping/littering/graffiti

Steyning –

Household waste left in the lay by along the bypass, this has now been removed.

Upper Beeding

None reported

Bramber

Household waste was located at Bramber Castle which has since been removed.

We located a number of bin bags, in Maudlyn Lane which we removed ourselves.

Community engagement/events/meetings

We attended a coffee morning in Small Dole. This was designed to raise money for repairs to the Skate Park. The event was fairly well attended and we engaged with local volunteers and are we are now looking to perhaps make this a regular event. (Frequency not yet decided) We feel it would be beneficial for the mental health of elderly or vulnerable residents there to have a space where they can interact with others, particularly as Small Dole has a fairly isolated community. To help raise some money for the Skate Park, The Steyning Butcher has kindly agreed that we can leave a bucket for donations at his Burger Stand on the eve of the Christmas Late Night Shopping in Steyning.

Elderly and Youth

We have continued with regular visits to vulnerable people known to us and have been working our way through a list of residents provided the Community Link alarm system. This will be ongoing through the winter months.

Licensing

None

Dog related issues

Increase in dog fouling reports, particularly centred around Shooting Field and the twitten from Dingemans court to the school.