



Message from Inspector Mark Cant

I have a number of good news stories to tell you about this month.

A total of 21 vehicles being used illegally or involved in crime have been seized by police and are now off the road this month.

2 Persons arrested for drug driving, no licence and no insurance .

3 persons arrested for drink driving (105ugs).

A stolen vehicle seized after being located on false plates..

Person arrested for driving whilst disqualified .

2 Person arrested for theft from motor vehicle.

Crime Updates (January 2019)

Offence	Numbers	What could this entail
Arson	0	Damage caused as a result of fire.
Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB)	1	Harassment, alarm or distress is caused in a non-crime incident.
Burglary business and community	2	A person commits theft in a building or structure that is not lived in.
Burglary residential	3	Entry and theft in a building or a structure that is lived in.
Criminal Damage	6	A person destroys or damages property belonging to someone else.
Domestic	4	Domestic incidents where a crime has not occurred. Parties are aged 16 or over and have been intimate partners or family members regardless of sexuality.
Hate Incident	0	Any incident where a crime has not occurred which the victim, or anyone else, thinks is based on someone's prejudice towards them because of their race, religion, sexual orientation, disability or because they are transgender.
Race or Religious aggravated public fear	0	Any crime determined to have a hate element as per above.
Possession of controlled substance	1	Unlawful possession of a drug classified in class A, B or C.
Possession of weapons	2	Unlawful possession of an article used as a weapon.
Public fear, alarm or distress	4	Public order offences e.g. from a verbal altercation to offences just short of violence.
Robbery	0	Includes a range of offences where force is used, threatened or the victim is put in fear.
Theft from a motor vehicle	1	Any item stolen that was in, on or attached to a motor vehicle.
Theft or unauthorised taking of a motor vehicle	1	Any motor vehicle including those abandoned.
Theft of pedal cycle	0	From a public place, if stolen from a shed or garage this would be a BOTD.
Theft from a person	0	Purse being taken from a handbag, or a mobile phone from a shopping basket.



Message from your Engagement Officer

This month I would like to explain that as from April that way the Safer Neighbourhood Action Panel (SNAP) meetings are held are going to change. Current we hold 1 meeting every 3 months at Downham Market Town Hall and having listened to the community feedback we are going to take the SNAP out into the community and hold a monthly meeting (dates to be advertised) in a different ward each month. By bringing the SNAP to the wards, every 3 months each ward will be able to ask us to adopt a priority relevant to their community. I believe by changing to this way of working, the Local Policing Teams will be able to support individual communities rather than the one size fits all approach at present. We will continue to review the new way of working and look for feedback to ensure we get it right.

In 2019 I will be supporting members of our Special Constabulary by holding recruitment events around the District looking at explaining the role of a Special Constable and the training they go through. Do keep an eye out for one of these events as they travel around the area.

What is happening in your area

The safety camera van will be out and about on area responding to your calls to address speeding issues.

With the colder weather upon us and bringing with it poor driving conditions please take care on the roads.

If a Parish Council would like a visit from their local Beat Manger to discuss any issues please contact them via their email.

Neighbourhood Priorities

The Priority patrol area remains the A1122 and A47 in order to target transient criminals who enter the county via these routes.

We are also concentrating on rural crime and anti-social behaviour in Downham Market town centre.

Beat Managers



PC 682 Tracey James is the Beat Manager who looks after your local area. She can be contacted on: JamesT@norfolk.pnn.police.uk

PC 910 Michael Synnott is your Rural Crime Beat Manager. He can be contacted on: SynnottM@norfolk.pnn.police.uk

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