

Please find attached a summary of the activities of the Glastonbury Neighbourhood team over the past month. A little shorter than usual as I had two weeks off prior to Christmas.

- As mentioned in the previous months report, PCSO Bradley secured funding for Paul Hannaford to attend both St. Dunstan's school and Crispin to talk about knife crime, drugs and gangs. This reached approximately 1500 young people and proved really beneficial with hugely positive feedback from teachers and students alike.
- The Mini Police officers at St. Benedict's school in Glastonbury managed to collect gift items and pack 20 boxes for the homeless. These were distributed at the St. Benedict's church soup kitchen just before Christmas. These were gratefully received and gave the children an insight into the Community that they live in.
- 'CUPPA WITH A COPPER' has continued on a weekly basis around Glastonbury town centre. This has now been extended to cover the Red Brick building to discourage some low level crime that they have been the victims of recently.
- The team have been continuing ASB patrols with Mendip enforcement officers around the town centre.
- PCSO Mel ROWLANDS has reported a male who was breaching the PSPO (Public space protection order) by allowing his dog off the lead, to Mendip district council for prosecution / Fine.
- The team have gathered evidence and managed to obtain a Community Protection warning against a male who has been causing ASB in the area of the Market place.
- PC Karen UPSHALL arrested a male in the town centre who has been wanted on warrant for almost a year. This was publicised through PCSO Mel ROWLANDS Facebook page and members of the community reported sightings which assisted us in locating him.

Our current Glastonbury Neighbourhood team consists of Myself, PC 2380 Karen UPSHALL, PCSO 7554 Paul LINDSELL and PCSO 8314 Mel ROWLANDS. We are slightly under our normal staffing levels, as PCSO 6765 Nik BURGE is currently covering Somerton due to staff shortages there and PC 4151 Tom MILLER is on secondment with the violence reduction unit. We do have a vacancy for a PCSO which will be filled before the summer. T/PS 1152 Darren PEARSON will be covering the Sgts post until the end of the month when we are expecting PS Matt SLADE to return. There are plans to have the team back to full strength before the summer.

Kind regards

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