



Newsletter from your Local Police Team

Summer 2014

Cowick and St Thomas

Main Stories:

Cowick

Last month an increase in Anti Social Behaviour in the Eton Walk and Barley lane area was robustly dealt with the individuals concerned have been identified and issues been resolved.

In recent weeks, criminal damage to motor vehicles has become an issue in some residential areas. We have conducted House to House in streets most affected and will continue with high visibility patrols. If you see anyone acting suspiciously around vehicles please contact the Police.

St Thomas

We're doing a graffiti cleanup of St Thomas on 3rd, 4th and 5th June after numerous reports about the graffiti in and around St Thomas. This operation will be done jointly with Exeter City Council.

If you're a resident or business and have graffiti on your premise and want it removed free of charge on the dates above then please email Will who will send you a disclaimer form to fill out.

We'll also be looking for volunteers to help on each day for a few hours so again if you're interested then get in touch with Will.

New Neighbourhood Beat Manager (NBM):

PC 6455 Mark Oliver became the new NBM for Cowick & St Thomas in April. Mark has 10 years of experience as a police officer which has included experience of Response, Local Investigation and CID, he has also previously been an NBM for St Loyes. He has lived in Cowick for the last 15 years and is currently on the leadership team of St Thomas Baptist Church. He has also been engaged in youth work in the city for over 12 years. Upon joining the team Mark stated, *"I am excited to work in an area I know fairly well, with 2 experienced PCSO's in Darren and Will and am looking forward to making a positive contribution to Policing in Cowick and St Thomas."*

Your local police station:

Heavitree Rd Police Stn
Heavitree Rd
Exeter
EX1 2LR

Opening hours: 8am – 10pm Daily

Emergency Number: 999

Non emergency and general enquiries: 101
www.devon-cornwall.police.uk

Meet your neighbourhood policing team:



From (L – R)

PCSO 30111 Darren Wallis

PC 6455 Mark Oliver

PCSO 30342 Will Malcolm

Monthly Policing update:

Do you want up-to-date policing information about Crime and Anti-social behaviour in your area? If so, email any of the team, see overleaf with your name, address and telephone number and we will send you our monthly e-mail reports for your area.

Social Media:

Follow Will on Twitter @StThomasPCSO

If you would like to report a crime or need information and advice, please telephone:



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Youth Engagement

We've been very fortunate to have funding from Cllr Rob Hannaford for kids diversionary activities over the past years.

Activities that we've been done so far are: horse riding, ice skating, swimming, kayaking, canoeing, archery, team building as well as others. These activities have been very popular with the kids.

So how do we choose the kids? We don't. These trips are open to ANY kid from 8 yrs old upwards regardless of their background. This is a great way for us to meet the kids and show the good side of the Police at the same time as giving mums and dads a bit of free time.

If you would like your kid to be added to the list or want more info then please email StThomasActivities@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk



Will, Mark and the kids doing kayaking at Haven Banks during the Easter School Holidays.



You have identified the following as priorities within your community:

Cowick:

1. Criminal Damage to Motor Vehicles.

St Thomas:

1. Shoplifting in Cowick St/Exe Bridges Retail Park.
2. Beggars in Cowick St and around Exe Bridges.

Date, time and venue of next Have Your Say meeting:

St Thomas: 28th May outside Co-Op, St Thomas Precinct from 5 – 6pm

We are leading a joint Cowick & St Thomas Community Engagement Meeting in partnership with local organisations and individuals in the Community on **Wednesday 18th June 2014 at 7:30pm at St Thomas Baptist Church, Dorset, Avenue**. This is an open meeting for anyone to attend. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss needs within the community and together seek sustainable solution to meeting those needs. Tea and coffee and refreshments will be served. For catering purposes please let us know if you would like to come along.

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