

Henley in Arden - Claverdon - Wootton Wawen - Tanworth in Arden - Earlswood - Studley - Sambourne

Incident Overview

Below are the incidents recorded for the Alcester North Safer Neighbourhood Team for November 2011:

Incident Type	November 2010	November 2011
Anti Social Behaviour	23	10
Burglary Dwelling	9	4
Burglary Other	14	7
Criminal Damage	21	10
Theft from Motor Vehicle	4	4
Theft of Motor Vehicle	3	1
Violence	10	6

Crime in Your Area

Burglary Dwellings have fallen when compared to last month and last year. One incident was recorded at Wootton Rise, Wootton Wawen where four unknown males forced entry to an empty property using a crow bar, the males were seen leaving the property in a black Audi A4 which was last seen heading towards Birmingham. On the Alcester Road, Studley the rear door to a property was forced and entry gained but nothing was taken, it is believed the offenders were disturbed. Burglary Others have increased slightly when compared to last month, but have reduced significantly when compared to last year and remain low overall. One incident was recorded on the Stratford Road, Wootton Wawen where insecure changing rooms at the Sports and Social Club were entered and belongings searched by offenders resulting in a number of items being taken. On Blackford Hill, Henley a secure metal storage container was forced open and a number of builders power tools taken from within and in Washford, Studley access was gained to a storage container by unknown means and three vehicles were taken from within.

Criminal Damage has risen when compared to last month, but has fallen significantly when compared to last year. Three incidents have been recorded in Henley, one in Barley Close where a car window has been smashed, one in Brookend Drive where a house security light was smashed and in Whitley Road a vehicle parked in the communal car park was scratched. In Claverdon two incidents were recorded where vehicles were scratched at The Green. In Bearley on the Snitterfield Road security lights were smashed and telephone wires cut at the Sports and Social Club. In Red Hill Close, Studley damage was caused to the front door of a property by unknown offender/s kicking it. In St Judes Avenue, Studley unknown offender/s have poured super glue into the front door lock of a property and in Archer Close, Studley unknown offender/s have pushed over a motorbike parked on a driveway causing damage.

Anti Social Behaviour has fallen when compared to last month and fallen significantly when compared to last year. Four incidents were recorded in Henley, the first on the Stratford Road where a male became aggressive towards a teenage referee regarding some of the decisions made during a football match, all parties were suitably advised and the matter was reported to the FA. On the Warwick Road, Henley youths were advised and moved on following small paper fires lit in the skate park and tying string between the boundary fence crossing the road to Jackson's Ford. Unknown offender/s were reported as acting rowdy in the grounds of Henley School which resulted in a stone smashing one of the windows and a male was reported by one of the pubs on Henley High Street for being in drink, rowdy and refusing to leave the premises. In Studley three incidents were reported, the first on the Birmingham Road where a group of rowdy males were refused entry to a pub. On the Birmingham Road a lorry driver was reported for urinating in a public place and in Archer Close two female youths were involved in a dispute, which lead to rowdy/threatening behaviour. On Gorcott Hill, Beoley a dispute over livery paid at a stables resulted in argument/rowdy behaviour.

Theft from Motor Vehicles is comparable with last year but has fallen when compared to last month. A sat nav was taken from a vehicle which was possibly insecure on Brookend Drive, Henley. A further vehicle was broken into on Pettiford Lane, Wootton Wawen and a quantity of copper cable was taken.

Theft of Vehicles has reduced on last year and last month with just one incident reported on the Henley Road, Outhill where a Peugeot 106 was taken while in storage.

Violence is comparable with last month, but has fallen when compared to last year and remains low in comparison with other areas. Most of the incidents recorded are of a minor nature and have been recorded in Henley, Studley and Mappleborough Green, however one more serious incident was recorded on the Birmingham Road in Studley where a male was attacked and suffered a cut to his hand. It is thought that the offender was trying to rob him, enquiries are currently ongoing.

If you would like further crime prevention advice, including how to obtain a protective marking solution such as SMART WATER and Anti Number Plate Theft Screws, please contact your local officer, PCSO Tristan Jelfs on 07795231857 or e-mail tristan.jelfs@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk (Henley in Arden, Claverdon, Wootton Wawen & Bearley areas); PCSO Garry Johnson or PCSO Laura Thomason on 07789653018 or e-mail garry.johnson@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk or laura.thomason@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk (Studley, Sambourne & Mappleborough Green areas).

Earlswood, Tanworth & Ullenhall by PCSO Dave Martin:

Crimes and issues this month reported are as follows;

In Earlswood on the 10th on Springbrook Lane, a keen eyed walker heard a house alarm sound and saw two males dressed in black run towards The Lakes station. They contacted Police who subsequently discovered a property had been broken into via a window smashed at the rear. It was reported that a small jewellery box containing several pairs of cufflinks were taken. The offenders are believed to have made off up Small Lane, items of clothing possibly belonging to the offenders have been recovered, and investigations are continuing.

Overnight of the 15th/16th offenders have forced the lock in an attempt to enter a garage along The Common, the attempt was unsuccessful largely due to additional DIY security measures put in place following a previous attempt on the property.

In the Tanworth area there was the following reported on The Green overnight 15th 16th offenders have entered an insecure vehicle and removed a sat nav and Barbour jacket from within. In Poolhead Lane overnight 18th/19th offenders have entered an insecure vehicle and removed numerous low value personal items from within. A burglary other on Doctors Hill, overnight 18th/19th offenders have forced the lock on a garden shed 2 children's and a ladies bike along with a petrol strimmer were removed along with a set of golf clubs that were recovered from the grounds of Tanworth School grounds, indicating offenders may have gained access from the school field. A further burglary other on the 21st on Blind Lane, at around 1730 3 male offenders in a white transit van forced open a garage door, a short search was conducted however no items have been reported taken. Offenders also forced and broke the electric gate on the driveway in a believed attempt to reverse the van onto drive.

It was nice to see so many residents at the Residents AGM on the 25th, and for those not able to attend I would like to reiterate the importance of reporting all crime and attempt thefts in the area, and to contact me for any crime prevention advice or to arrange a burglary risk assessment, pass on details of suspicious vehicles or discuss any community concerns, and not just Police related matters.

Nothing to report from Ullenhall this month,

In the Hockley Heath area crimes reported were, on 2nd offenders have entered Delta Force Paint Ball Centre and damaged storage containers and removed items of confectionary from one of them.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone in the community a safe, happy and prosperous Christmas and New Year.

Please report all crime including attempted crime to ensure a true reflection for Crime Mapping and location of Police resources to best protect the Community from harm.

To report a crime in progress please dial 999

To report a crime that has already taken place and offenders are no longer present please call 101 01926 415000.

For crime prevention advice or to pass on details of vehicles acting suspicious in your area please call PCSO David Martin 0792 3288641. Or at david.martin@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk

PCSO Dave Martin

Information & Advice



Christmas Crime Prevention Advice

- Keep presents out of sight until last thing on Christmas Eve. If presents are left on display, ensure they cannot be seen via external doors and windows; they may attract attention of people passing by.
- Try not to hide or store Christmas presents outside in the shed or garage
- Keep receipts and instruction manuals separate so that should the worst happen, you have evidence of what was taken.
- Dispose of packaging carefully. Empty boxes left outside will indicate that these goods are available inside
- When out of the house ensure all windows and doors are locked. At night leave a light on or set a timer switch to give the impression that someone is at home. Also leave a radio playing or a television on.

For further information please visit www.crimestoppers-uk.org



Driving in hazardous conditions!

As winter approaches, please arrive appropriately according to the conditions:

- Be prepared for the road conditions to suddenly change over short distances.
- Avoid braking, sharp turns, or sudden speed increases, which could make your vehicle skid.
- The best way to slow without skidding is to get into a lower gear earlier and let your speed reduce and then brake gently.
- If you start to skid, take your foot off the accelerator. Do not brake suddenly.
- When moving off on a slippery surface, use the highest gear that you can (for example, second gear rather than first). This will help avoid wheel spin that could make you lose control of your vehicle.

For further information about winter driving, please visit: www.highways.gov.uk

Alcester North Safer Neighbourhood Priorities

Current priorities as chosen by members of the public at the last Community Forum held on the 6th October 2011:

- **Burglaries in Studley and the Surrounding Areas** – 12 x targeted high visibility patrols to be carried out to combat the burglary rate. Checks to be made regarding anybody acting suspiciously and person/s to be dealt with accordingly. Work to include prevention work through NHW and target hardening where appropriate.
- **Speeding, Warwick Road, Henley** - 8 x targeted speed checks to be carried out with advice and/or enforcement where appropriate.

- **Anti Social Behaviour, Studley** - 12 x targeted patrols to counter Anti Social Behaviour with advice and/or enforcement where appropriate.

Feedback on the above priorities will be given at the next Community Forum (see below for details); feedback will also be given in the next newsletter together with details of the new priorities. For further information please visit www.safer-neighbourhoods.co.uk/an or www.stratford.gov.uk

Good News/Events

Local officers responded to concerns raised by residents in Sambourne regarding speeding vehicles and conducted a series of speed checks throughout the month. A number of fixed penalty fines and endorsements have been issued to offending drivers.

Following a successful Bonfire Night campaign and support from organisations and the general public there were no major issues in relation to anti social behavior or damage this Bonfire Night, although there were a few minor incidents leading up to the event which were dealt with accordingly by local officers.

All Alcester North Safer Neighbourhood Officers assisted with Remembrance Parades in Studley, Henley & Tanworth; including the laying of wreaths.

Other News.....

Andy Parker was appointed Chief Constable of Warwickshire Police on the 1st December 2011.

He was appointed to his previous role as Deputy Chief Constable of Warwickshire on 16th July 2007, having performed the temporary role for the previous twelve months.

Meetings/Events

The next Community Forum will be held 15th December, 7pm, Wootton Wawen Village Hall, Wootton Wawen - If you have a specific concern then come along to the local surgery, where you will be able to speak to your local Safer Neighbourhood Policing Team, Warwickshire County Council or Stratford District Council Officer.

The next Henley Community Surgery will be held, 25th January, 11:30am, Henley Baptist Church Hall - The surgery gives you the opportunity to speak to members of the Parish Council & Safer Neighbourhood Policing Team about the issues that concern you, while giving you feedback regarding what is happening in the community.

The next Henley Police Surgery will be held 9th November 7th December & 11th January between 11am – 11:30am, Mobile Police Station, Henley Medical Centre Car Park – A drop in facility to discuss issues/problems within the community with your local policing team.

The next Henley Neighbourhood Watch Meeting will be held 8th December, 7pm, Henley Fire Station

The next Claverdon Neighbourhood Watch Meeting will be held 14th December, 7:30pm, Dorothea Mitchell Hall

The next Claverdon Police Surgery will be held 14th December, between 7pm – 7:30pm, Dorothea Mitchell Hall - A drop in facility to discuss issues/problems within the community with your local policing team.

The next Wootton Wawen Police Surgery will be held 7th December, Mobile Police Station, Wootton Village Hall Car Park & 11th January, Mobile Police Station, Wootton Hall Car Park between 2pm – 2:30pm, - A drop in facility to discuss issues/problems within the community with your local policing team.

The next Tanworth Police Surgery will be held 2nd December & 6th January, Mobile Police Station. Tanworth School 8:40am – 9:40am. The Green, Tanworth 9:45am – 10:15am. Birches Medical Practice, Broad Lane, Tanworth 10:30am – 11am - A drop in facility to discuss issues/problems within the community with your local policing team.

The next Earlswood Police Surgery will be held 2nd December & 6th January, Mobile Police Station. Shops, Umberslade Road, Earlswood 11am – 12pm. Malthouse Park Keyhole, Malthouse Lane, Earlswood 12:15pm –

12:45pm. Earlswood Nurseries 1:30pm – 2pm. Woodside, Juggins Lane, Earlswood 2pm – 2:30pm - A drop in facility to discuss issues/problems within the community with your local policing team.

The next Ullenhall Police Surgery will be held 2nd December & 6th January, 3pm – 3:30pm, Ullenhall Village Hall - A drop in facility to discuss issues/problems within the community with your local policing team.

The next Studley Police Surgery will be held 14th December, between 9:30am – 10am, Studley Village Hall - A drop in facility to discuss issues/problems within the community with your local policing team.

The next Sambourne Police Surgery will be held 14th December, between 12pm – 12:30pm, The Green, Sambourne - A drop in facility to discuss issues/problems within the community with your local policing team.

The next Mappleborough Green Police Surgery will be held 21st December & 18th January, between 11:30am – 12pm, Mappleborough Green Village Hall - A drop in facility to discuss issues/problems within the community with your local policing team.

Monthly Message

As this is the last newsletter before Christmas members of the Alcester North Safer Neighbourhood Team would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas!



Contacting us:

We are often asked the best way to report an incident or to make contact with a Police Officer. Should a member of the public witness or be affected by a crime whereby there is a threat of injury, injury or damage or theft of property and the incident is ongoing and offenders are still at the scene, they should ring 999, classed as an emergency or an immediate response incident.

Should the incident have already occurred and is not ongoing, for example waking up and finding your car has been broken into, you should ring 101 or 01926 415000 and ask to report a crime or an incident. You will be put through to the force control room or the crime desk. Please ask for an incident number – you should be given one. If a crime has been committed against you, you will be given a crime reference number by the crime desk or by the officer who attends the incident. Such incidents are ‘managed’ and you should be given an indication of when an officer can attend.

If you do have information regarding an incident that has already been reported, but for whatever reason do not wish to contact the police directly, then you can ring 0800 555 111 and give the information to the Crimestoppers. Crimestoppers will then pass the information to the Police without revealing any details of the caller. You may also receive a reward.

If you wish to speak with an officer about a non-urgent matter, please use the list of contacts below:

Alcester North Safer Neighbourhood Team
Alcester Police Station
Priory Road
Alcester
Warwickshire
B49 5DZ

To contact the Safer Neighbourhood Team about a non urgent matter, please phone: 01789 444816 or E-Mail: alcesternorth.snt@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk

Regards

Alcester North Safer Neighbourhood Team

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