





Chorleywood – October 2016

October 2016 crime & ASB figures

Offence	No. In Parish	No. in Three Rivers
Dwelling Burglary	1	16
Burglary Other	3	20
Criminal Damage	13	60
Vehicle Crime	4	54
Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) incidents*	10	236

Further details/other crimes/outcomes

- October saw a slight rise in criminal damage. A number of cars were spray painted and damaged in Chorleywood. On October 25 security lights were taken from the front of a house on Clements Road. A vehicle was walked over and another vehicle had its wing mirror knocked off. Enquires are still on-going to find out who has been causing these damages in the Chorleywood area. If you see a anyone acting suspiciously, particularly a large group of people, please call 101.
- A garage on Green Street was broken into between October 18 and 19 and tools were stolen. On October 28 two garages were broken into on Quickley Lane and a Pedal cycle was stolen.
- Between October 29 and 30 there was a dwelling burglary on Lower Road. Offender(s) forced open the back gate and gained entry through a window. An untidy search was carried out and jewellery was taken. Enquires are still on going.

For more details on crime in your area please visit <u>www.police.uk</u>. Enter a postcode to see the 'crime map' for the local area.

*ASB is not defined as 'crime' however it has been included in this table for your information as it can affect the wider community and we (police) are jointly responsible with local councils for dealing with it. Recordable ASB includes neighbour disputes and noise nuisance, as well as issues such as regular rowdy behaviour in public places.

Useful information



You can follow your local team on Twitter @RickmansPolice

Chorleywood Parish Council area is covered by Police beat code C2D and E. The allocated officers from the Safer Neighbourhood Team, for this area are PCSO Harriet Robinson and PCSO Jessica Hill.

Visit <u>www.herts.police.uk</u> where you can find the latest police and crime news, crime prevention advice and people wanted by police.

Police non-emergency number 101. (In an emergency always use 999). Contact Crime stoppers anonymously with information about crime on 0800 555 111.







Sergeant's Message

There has been an increase in motorbike and moped theft/attempt theft across the district. Please take appropriate measures to secure your vehicles. Ensure your vehicle has adequate security, preferably an alarm fitted. A ground anchor and good quality disk locks, security shackles and chains will prevent someone easily removing your motorbike. Fit a tracker with a smart phone app. Consider property marking, as will make less desirable to thieves and harder to dispose/sell on. Park your bike in a locked garage or enclosed whenever possible. If not, cover your bike with a suitable cover.

If you have any concerns about crime or anti-social behaviour please contact PCSO Harriet Robinson or PCSO Jessica Hill on 101 or by

email herris.pnn.police.uk, Jessica.hill@herts.pnn.police.uk. (In an emergency always use 999.)

Sgt Neil Canning

Rickmansworth and District Safer Neighbourhood Team

Police and Crime Commissioner Message

I was recently asked to write a foreword for a book charting the 175 year history of police stations in Hertfordshire. In it, I remarked that the excellent service provided to residents was in great part down to the long history of strong leadership in the county's force, but also the involvement of the public in the way we look after our county. I'm pleased that reflected in the recent inspection of the force by Her Majesty's Inspector of Constabulary, who gave Hertfordshire a 'Good' rating. It shows the public are protected and kept safe, but also that satisfaction levels from residents also are high. We must work hard now to do even better.

The new Chief Constable, Charlie Hall, is leading that challenge. Charlie and his family have already settled into county life in Hertfordshire and I very much look forward to working with him on delivering my forthcoming Community Safety and Criminal Justice Plan. It's one of the legal obligations of my office that I have to set a Police and Crime Plan.

You may notice that I've changed the name of the plan, reflecting my desire to do more to address the way our criminal justice system serves victims and residents of Hertfordshire. The system is broken – not just here, but across the country – and if you've been unfortunate to be a victim of a crime who's had to go to court, you'll probably know that. Many cases take over a year to come to trial, and when they do they may start late or for various reasons not happen at all. I want to try and change this, and as chair of the Criminal Justice Board for Hertfordshire I will have some influence to do that.

That's just one part of the focus of the plan. Rural policing also remains a focus and I was pleased to reflect on the good work done in partnership with the North Herts Community Horse in Patrol scheme (CHiPS) recently. On a misty morning my team saw first-hand how the volunteer horse riders patrol the country lanes and paths, reporting anti-social behaviour like fly-tipping, fire hazards and security issues. They provide a valuable service and show that anyone can help contribute to the safety and security of Hertfordshire if they have the time to spare.







I'm also about to open the bidding for my Road Safety Fund. This is where communities can apply for funding for projects in their local area to deal with concerns about traffic related problems. Details of how to apply are on my website (www.hertscommissioner.org). Whilst you're on your computer or device, why not also drop me a line to tell me what you would like to see the police force focus on in the next five years? Email me at the.plan@hertscommissioner.org with your views — they all get read and they will help shape the future of policing in our county.

David Lloyd
Police and Crime Commissioner for Hertfordshire