

SNT Newsletter

Halesworth

You said...

Several of you have told us you'd like a central point of contact for crime prevention advice.

We did...

This month, Suffolk Constabulary launched its 'First Principle' Initiative, a C/P resource for Officers & the Public accessible from our website by searching for 'First Principle'

Responding to issues in your community

On the 22nd & 23rd of August, builders in Walberswick found un-detonated, wartime explosives in the garden of a residential address in The Street. Acting on advice from Army bomb disposal experts, SNT officers were quickly in attendance to ensure the safe evacuation of neighbouring properties. The Street had to be closed and no vehicles could leave the village.

Making the community safer

On the 17th of August, Southwold PCSO Ben Hedley-Lewis discovered cannabis being cultivated in a dilapidated shed on rough land close to the town. Ben acted promptly and up-rooted the plants, seizing them for destruction. With cultivation being difficult to conceal in a building, it's not unusual for it to be grown outside, Please be aware and report if you see plants outside.

Preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB

On the 9th of the month, Halesworth SNT served a Community Protection Notice on a male at an address in the town about whom a number of ASB complaints had been received. The SNT are also working with colleagues from WDC to serve a Community Behaviour Order on a second male who has been causing ASB issues in retail premises in Halesworth.

This SNT covers the following parishes

All Saints & St. Nicholas, South Elmham, Benacre, Blyford, Blythburgh, Bramfield, Brampton with Stoven, Chediston, Cookley, Covehithe, Cratfield, Darsham, Dunwich, Flixton, Frostenden, Halesworth, Henstead with Hulver Street, Heveningham, Holton, Homersfield, Huntingfield, Linstead Magna, Linstead Parva, Peasenhall, Reydon, Rumburgh, Rushmere, Sibton, Sotherton, South Cove, Southwold, Spexhall, St. Andrew, Ilketshall, St. Cross, South Elmham, St. James, South Elmham, St. John, Ilketshall, St. Lawrence, Ilketshall, St. Margaret, Ilketshall, St. Margaret, South Elmham, St. Mary, South Elmham, St. Michael, South Elmham, St. Peter, South Elmham, Thorington, Ubbeston, Uggheshall, Walberswick, Walpole, Wangford with Henham, Wenhamston with Mells Hamlet, Westhall, Westleton, Wissett, Wrentham and Yoxford.



Future events

Suffolk Constabulary has announced considerable changes to the Safer Neighbourhood Teams, with the number of PCSO posts being reduced. The changes do however mean more Police Officers working in the SNTs, with 104 Officers being moved into teams throughout the county. These changes will start to take effect from the end of October 2018. More information can be found on the Constabulary website by searching for 'PCSOs' and scrolling down to the item from the 17th of July, 'Blueprint For the Future of Community Policing'.