

The Matlock Town Safer Neighbourhood Policing Team (SNPT) has responsibility for the areas of the Town Center including Matlock Bank, Cavendish and the Hurst Farm as well as Matlock Green, Tansley, Starkholmes and Riber.

Priority Profiles

Our new priorities were decided at the panel meeting on 7th October and as expected the issue of **road safety at Starkholmes** has been made a priority. We are currently liaising with the local residents who have formed the Starkholmes Traffic Action Group (STAG) and our HQ Traffic Management as well as Derbyshire County Council Highways.



A public meeting was held at St Giles School where over 200 members of the public came to listen and ask questions to the panel which included ourselves, councillors and representatives from the Highways Dept. at Derbyshire County Council.

It was an amazing response and we are hopeful that we can help the local community in getting the changes they desire. This newsletter will feature more information in the coming months but you can in the meantime check out the action groups website. [STAG](#)

The Profile in the town centre where we concentrated on complaints of young persons **driving dangerously and causing anti social behaviour (ASB)** has been closed. We held a further operation in October with the Casualty Reduction and Education Team (CREST) and had evening patrols with our partners from the Derbyshire Dales parking wardens. Two vehicles had a temporary prohibition notices due to tinted windows not conforming to specification and several vehicles received parking tickets on the Derwent Way car park. A mosquito device which was fitted in the Derwent Way car park has also proven partially successful with young motorists being deterred from congregating due to the high frequency noise emitted from the device.

Our remaining 2 profiles continue. **ASB in Tansley** around The Green had few reports in the Summer and we urge residents to contact us when any incidents are taking place.

Also similar problems on the **Hurst Farm Estate** are being looked at. Again we are pleased to report some success with a reduction in calls for service to the police. We have targeted several young persons whose parents have received parenting letters hand delivered advising them of the behaviour of their children. A further "Beat Sweep" was held at the beginning of October with the ASB officer from Derbyshire Dales District Council and a Dales Housing officer. We have reported one owner of a dangerous dog and organised a clean up of the pavements due to dog fouling. Tenancy issues were looked at with formal letters and advice to a few tenants concerning breaches of their contracts.

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Dates for your diary

Our next **Surgery** is on Tuesday 1st December at 6pm at the Sainsburys Cafe, Derwent Way, Matlock.

You can also find our new mobile police station in Tansley near the village green every Sunday morning.

Our next **SNPT Panel** meeting is fixed for Wednesday 6th January at 10am at the Council Chambers of the Derbyshire Dales District Council.

Quick Web Links

The below links are a direct link to pages on the Derbyshire Police website and other sites. You can also click any email or web address anywhere in this document.

[Policing Pledge](#)

[Crime Mapping Website](#)

[Key Individual Network](#)

[Crimestoppers](#)

[Starkholmes Action Group](#)

SNPT News

The alert amongst you will have noticed a slight name change.

In the words of contestants on the TV Quiz programme 'Blockbusters' we said "Can I have a P please?" Yes, I appreciate the young ones won't know what I'm on about (and even Karl can't pretend he hasn't seen the programme) but we have added a P to our title. It's to reflect the fact that the team is Police based and therefore our grand new title is Safer Neighbourhood Policing Team - SNPT.

We also welcome two new recruits to the team. Special Constables Jesse Conquest and

Adam Kemp have joined us and have already put in several hours. Whilst they are here on a voluntary basis and fresh from training we hope that they'll soon provide an added presence to patrols in the town.

Jon

Matlock Youth Hub

Volunteers are wanted to help run the Matlock Youth Hub on Friday evenings.

The youth club started from scratch in January this year and now have over 30 young people attending on Friday nights helping them to occupy their time ! Having secured an incredible £9000 of funding what really is needed are more volunteers. If you can help please contact us and we'll put you in touch with the organisers.

Key Individual Network

You are receiving this newsletter as part of being a member of our KIN network. Providing you with an opportunity in saying how you want your community to be policed we value your contributions. For more information about being a KIN please click the link below.

Please also let us know if your contact details or communication preferences have changed in any way. If you have received this newsletter by post and would prefer the email version in full colour please call us on 0345 123 3333 and leave a message for the team.

and finally... Apologies for the lateness of this issue. Its been a busy time but we hope you still found it interesting. The December edition shouldn't be too long in coming!

We welcome all comments on how well we are working in your community or how we can improve. It is important for us to hear your views!

Best wishes from the Matlock Safer Neighbourhood Team

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