

COMMUNITY MESSAGING IN NORTHUMBERLAND

BE INFORMED

Please find the following Coquetdale Community Message update covering the period 1st November to the 30th November 2013.

Ten (10) x crimes were reported over this period:

Rothbury

Theft of cash from the Poppy Collection Box - All Saints Parish Church, Rothbury.
Occurred between Monday 28th and Wednesday 30th October when cash was removed from the collection

box within the church. Police are continuing to progress enquiries with several named young persons.

OIC PC Rob Kilburn

South East Coquetdale

Burglary Dwelling - Longframlington (road to Newton on the Moor)

Occurred from 1700 hrs 07/11/13 and 0830 hrs 08/11/13 when an unoccupied house undergoing renovation

was entered and a quantity of jewellery stolen.

Enquiries are continuing and police patrols increased to deter such rare Burglary Dwelling crimes in the Coquetdale area

OIC DS Pete Jeffrey

Vehicle Taken Without Owners Consent (Felton Fence area)

Occurred 11/11/13 when the offender took his families unattended motor vehicle without consent.

The male driver (18yrs) was arrested and subsequently charged with this offence as well as disqualified driving and no insurance.

OIC PC Collins

North / North West Coquetdale

Burglary Other Than Dwelling - Outdoor Centre - Kidland area.

Occurred between 12/10/13 and 31/10/13 where the hinge bolts to a storage shipping container were cut, entry gained

and a quality of tools and outdoor equipment was stolen.

OIC PC Phil Jack

Theft of Stihl Saw - Greenfields, Powburn.

Occurred from 1700 hrs 01/11/13 to 0900 hrs 02/11/13 when covered equipment within the grounds, namely a stihl saw was stolen. OIC PC Maxine Thompson

Theft of unattended Trailer

Occurred between 1800 hrs 12/11/13 and 0800 hrs 13/11/13 when an unattended brown wooden trailer with metal frame and blue towbar, was removed from the car park area adjacent to the Plough Public House. OIC PC Maxine Thompson

Criminal Damage to Motor vehicles (4) at Eglington

These four separate crimes have taken place over the period from 16/11/13 to 26/11/13 when damage has been caused to the metal / paint work of three vehicles parked on the Village street in Eglington. Police investigations are continuing and interventions in place to disrupt and deter further incidents and reassure the local community. OIC PC Maxine Thompson

Please adopt a police officer mindset, keep an eye on your community and neighbours. Immediately report anything suspicious via 999 telephone number.

Crime Prevention

- *ensure your house is secure and looks occupied when going out*
 - *don't advertise valuables in your car*
 - *be visible, if riding a bike or when your children are walking to school*
 - *uninvited callers - if in doubt, don't engage and keep them out*
 - *uninvited phone calls - if in doubt, just hang up*
 - *check and prepare your vehicle for winter*
 - *test your smoke alarm*
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- **The following link provides useful home and personal security information.**

http://www.northumbria.police.uk/advice_and_information/crime_prevention/index.asp

Farm Watch

Please see November's Farm Watch newsletter

Drink Drive.

Northumbria Police are targeting drink driving as part of our Christmas initiative with the aim of ensuring our roads are safe and drink drive criminals are caught and put before the court.

The best advice is don't drink and drive at all.

If you're planning to drink alcohol, plan how to get home without driving

Options include agreeing on a designated driver, saving a taxi number to your phone, or finding out about public transport routes and times before you go out.

If you drink alcohol at home

Unplanned events can lead to situations occurring either while drinking at home or after drinking, which leads to someone driving. Remember home measures are generally more generous than pub measures. There can be no excuse for drinking and driving. Don't be tempted to drink and drive.

If you do drink alcohol

Do allow sufficient time after drinking before driving to allow the body to rid itself of ALL the alcohol.

Don't offer an alcoholic drink to someone you know is planning to drive

Even if you're not driving, you can help reduce the number of people who are killed and injured every year by drink driving.

Don't accept a lift from a driver you know has drunk alcohol



Several local Coquetdale residents will be appearing at our local Magistrates Court for drink driving, disqualified driving or related criminal offences. Their sentencing outcomes will be circulated in due course:

- 04/11/13 A male (50 yrs) from Rothbury was stopped on Brewery Lane, Rothbury and subsequently charged with disqualified driving and no insurance.
- 23/11/13 A female (43 yrs) from Longframlington was arrested on Front Street, Longframlington and subsequently charged with drink driving.

- 19/11/13 A female (55 yrs) from Longframlington was arrested after a road traffic collision in Rothbury, and subsequently charged with drink driving.

Please deter drink driving and help keep our roads safe.

Severe Weather - B6341

Coquetdale Police together with our partners have contingencies in place to deal with severe

weather effecting the B6341 main arterial route to Rothbury.

Community Message updates will provide further information.

The key message is to avoid travelling on the roads when severe adverse weather reports are received.

Contacting Coquetdale Police

If you require contact with your local police:

- **In an emergency, dial 999**
- Non emergency incidents telephone 101
- If you require contact with a specific officer, please telephone 101 and enter extension 61353

(if no reply, please leave a message)

- Alternatively, please dial 101 and speak with our Contact Management Unit who will assist you

in contact with an officer on duty covering Coquetdale.

- email the Coquetdale Neighbourhood Policing Team via alnwick.npt@northumbria.pnn.police.uk
- Or simply reply to this community message email, for the attention of the Coquetdale Neighbourhood Policing Team

Please note Rothbury Police Station is open 9am to 3pm each Saturday where our Police Volunteers will be on hand to assist and ensure any enquiries, information or concerns are directed to Northumbria Police.

Community Messaging

If any person you may know requires local police community message updates, email Coquetdale Police.

Please try and refer a friend or relative.

alnwick.npt@northumbria.pnn.police.uk

Merry Christmas



Finally, as Christmas approaches, I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the Coquetdale Neighbourhood Policing Team, to wish you and your family a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year. Thank you for your help and support.

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