

# COMMUNITY MESSAGING IN NORTHUMBERLAND

## BE INFORMED

Please find the following Coquetdale Community Message update covering the period 1st to the 31st January 2015.

Nine (9) x crimes were reported over this period:

### **Rothbury**

#### **Assault (common)**

Occurred 10.30pm on Thursday 1st January in the area of Rothbury High Street, when a male (50 yrs) raised his hands in a threatening manner

towards his female partner resulting in his arrest and caution.

Police will take positive action to address domestic violence and support victims.

Officer in the case (OIC) PC David Brown

#### **Fraud by False Representation**

Occurred 10/12/14 when an unauthorised withdrawal of cash was made at the ATM Barclays Bank, Rothbury.

Enquiries are continuing

OIC PC Paul Sykes

#### **Theft in Dwelling**

Occurred 04/01/15 at an address in the Hillside area of Rothbury.

The occupants purse containing cash was removed from the dining area by unknown persons.

A thorough search of the property was undertaken and enquiries are ongoing with visitors to the address.

OIC PC Rob Kilburn

#### **Burglary Dwelling**

Occurred over a period from 01/08/14 and 22/01/15, where jewellery has been taken from within the bedroom of a house in the Hillside area, Rothbury.

Enquiries are continuing

OIC DC Jayne Todd

#### **Outrageous Public Decency**

Occurred 1430 hrs 22/01/15 in the Beggars Rigg Car Park, Rothbury.

Tourists observed an adult male openly masturbating himself within a private motor vehicle.

The male (44 yrs) from the Coquetdale area has been interviewed and CPS prosecution authority is being sought.

OIC PC Rob Kilburn

*Police will continue to focus in the area of Hillside and Pondicherry, Rothbury.*

*Please report any person or vehicles that appears suspicious.*

*Also, review your security to ensure doors and windows are locked to prevent access, especially*

daytime.

## **Thropton / Snitter**

*No incidents to report*

## **Swarland / Longframlington**

### **Theft from Motor Vehicle**

Occurred between 19/01/15 and 20/01/15 at Hope Farm, Longframlington.

The fuel tank of an unattended, secure tractor was punctured and diesel fuel removed.

Enquiries are continuing.

OIC PC Paul Sykes

### **Burglary (Other Than Dwelling)**

Occurred between 19/01/15 to 20/01/15 at Woodhead Farm Longframlington.

A farm shed was forcibly entered and Stihl Saw removed.

Enquiries are continuing.

OIC PC Paul Sykes

*Operation Recovery continues to focus on isolated farm properties within access to the A697 and A1 corridors.*

*Please report any person or vehicle you feel is suspicious immediately via the 999 emergency system.*

## **Harbottle / Elsdon / Rothley areas**

### **Fraud By False Representation**

Occurred between 01/02/10 and 10/04/10.

This is an historic crime relating to a rental property in the Rothley area.

Two (2) x offenders made dishonest representations, intending to make a gain for themselves or another.

The male offender (70 yrs) and female offender (45 yrs) have been charged together with other related offences.

OIC Sgt Hewitson

*Continued focus by police on illegal off road motor bike riders, in remote areas at weekends*

## **Whittingham / Powburn area.**

### **Burglary (Other Than Dwelling)**

Occurred between 26/01/15 and 27/01/15 at Eslington High Hill Farm.

A secure farm outbuilding was forced and a green Honda Quad bike and Husqvarna chainsaw stolen.

Enquiries are continuing.

OIC PC Paul Sykes

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corridors.

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## **Crime Prevention**

The following link provides useful home and personal security information.

[http://www.northumbria.police.uk/advice\\_and\\_information/crime\\_prevention/index.asp](http://www.northumbria.police.uk/advice_and_information/crime_prevention/index.asp)

## **Community Speed Watch**

Several new CSW volunteers have now been trained.

Community Speed Watch deployments will now extend across to the coastal areas of Lesbury, Hipsburn and Amble.

## **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](mailto: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 10am to 1pm 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**

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

Please try and refer a friend or relative.

Thank you for your continued support.

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