



Taplow, Burnham and The Farnhams

Neighbourhood Team

Your neighbourhood team consists of

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Neighbourhood Priorities

The priorities for your Neighbourhood Policing Team (NHPT) will be decided by the Policing Issues Panel; comprised of representatives from Community Boards in relevant areas. The Police do not run the panel, although we do attend as representatives. This allows us to speak to a wide cross-section of the community, find out what matters most to them and consider how we and others can make improvements. The top three priorities are chosen by the forum every four months, which are then adopted by your Neighbourhood Policing Team. If you wish to learn more please use the following hyperlink: [Chiltern & South Bucks Policing Issues Forum – Community and Neighbourhood Police stronger together \(csb-forum.org\)](https://www.csb-forum.org)

Priority – Speeding

During October our roads policing officers have spent 15 hours conducting speed enforcement at various locations and out of ten visits identified 587 offences across South Bucks. Our fixed cameras have identified 612 offenders.

Neighbourhood Officers have been out each month, monitoring the following locations

September

Location	Number of Vehicles passed Check Site	Number of vehicles over speed limit	Highest Speed Recorded
Dropmore Road, Burnham	58	3	42MPH

October

Location	Number of Vehicles passed Check Site	Number of vehicles over speed limit	Highest Speed Recorded
Dropmore Road, Burnham	49	1	47MPH
A355 Beaconsfield Road	109	3	37MPH
Lake End Road, Dorney	65	6	41MPH



Marsh Lane, Taplow	9	2	55MPH
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November

Location	Number of Vehicles passed Check Site	Number of vehicles over speed limit	Highest Speed Recorded
Dropmore Road, Burnham	Not completed due to Roadworks		
Lent Rise Road, Burnham	60	2	36MPH
A355 Beaconsfield Road	79	2	37MPH
Lake End Road, Dorney	60	2	36MPH
Village Road, Dorney	75	0	

Taplow Parish Council have new volunteers come forward for our Community Speed Watch. We are currently looking to get them trained up and out and about as soon as possible. This is a great opportunity for residents who wish to volunteer their time to monitor speeding in areas highlighted for concern by fellow residents. If you are interested in helping out then please contact the team or your local Parish Council. or your local community board using the following hyperlink: [Community Boards | Buckinghamshire Council](#)

Priority – Serious Acquisitive Crimes

Offending levels for Burglary have remained the same; with 11 last quarter, and the same this quarter. To combat this, we have increased our patrols around the following locations:

Farnham Common - Crown Lane, Parsonage Lane, Ingleglen and Grange Gardens.
Burnham - The Fairway, Lent Rise Road and Eight Acres
Taplow/Dorney - A4 Bath Road.

We are continuing to combat this with proactive operations which specifically floods rural and cross border areas of the LPA with proactive patrols during peak offending times. This has helped us to detect crime and apprehend cross border offenders who use arterial routes to enter our policing area and to protect residents living within South Buckinghamshire.

With the dark nights upon us please remember these tips to reduce the risk of becoming a victim of burglary.

- Cut back your shrubs and hedges to aid visibility
- Set timer switches to turn your lights on when away, and consider a 'fake TV'
- Avoid leaving valuables in plain view e.g. laptops and tablets
- Set any house alarms or else invest in one: a wireless unit can be acquired at a modest cost and requires very little effort to install



- Lock side gates to prevent access to the rear of your property
- Keep any bins, furniture, tools and ladders stored safely away and not readily available
- Don't advertise that you are away and that your home is empty, by 'checking in' or posting your holiday snaps on social media, until you have returned home
- Consider security film for rear-facing glass doors and windows
- Don't leave windows open at the front of your property when not nearby

The Neighbourhood teams daily review where our burglaries are occurring, and carry out leaflet drops; to raise awareness and encourage residents to improve home security. This quarter we have visited Fairfield Road, Grenville Close, Harcourt Road, Allards Road. These packs include a quick checklist which you can fill in to see where you might need to make improvements to secure your home. Alongside this the team have also been doing pop up HYS street events.

Please take a look at Thames Valley Police Website for further crime prevention advice or contact your local Neighbourhood Team.

Priority – Anti-Social Behaviour

We have seen a decrease in reports of mopeds and dirt bikes riding at speed around Burnham Park, this could be down to public reporting and the continued targeted patrols being carried out by the NH team. The NH team and parish council have been looking at this issue in depth and it was raised about changing the gates to prevent access by the bikes, however at this time this is not an option but will be reviewed at a later date if this continues.

During October and November there were increased high visible patrols over the Halloween and Firework period around the area.

Other News

In October PCSO have been engaging with local schools (Year 6) talking about the risks and dangers around County Drug Lines.

During November the team have been carrying out park sweeps and conducting talks at schools to raise awareness of Knife Crime.
where you can complete a short survey with your concerns

A joint operation has also been carried out with immigration around modern day slavery. The Neighbourhood team joined forces with immigration and carried out visits to various locations where five people were identified as illegal working. Immigration are looking at issuing fines to the business owners of up to £20,000 each.



Over the last three months our Police Cadets have attended the Justice Ceremony with the High Sherriff, assisted signing in guests at an event held by the Heart of Bucks and attended the Remembrance Parade at Beaconsfield. In December you will be seeing them escorting Father Christmas during the Christmas Fayres at Burnham and Beaconsfield. If you are interested in joining the Police cadets is a programme which aims to give young people between the ages of 13-18 years an opportunity to participate within the community, provides training which will encourage positive leadership skills and volunteering opportunities. We meet in Beaconsfield every Thursday evening between 7-9pm and if you would like to join police cadets please contact us at thamesvalleypolicecadets@thamesvalley.police.uk

Offenders Brought to Justice

A male has received a community resolution for public order between two neighbors in Burnham

Three males were issued community resolutions for public order after riding bikes around the store in Sainsburys in Taplow

Two males received a community resolution for drug offences in Farnham Common after a stop check by police

One male has received a community resolution for assault in Burnham.

A female has received a community resolution for assault in Burnham

A male has been arrested and charged for assault on police in Taplow

A male has been arrested and charged for an attempt burglary in Taplow

A male was given a community resolution for drug offenses in Burnham.

Have Your Say Events

We have now started our Have Your Say events again so please keep an eye on our social media where we will advertise where we will be.

In addition to overcome gatherings we have identified areas for us to be present, visible and whilst completing our never-ending paperwork. We want the areas to be key points in each community where people are able to see us safely, varying times throughout the month and locations. Due to various reasons, on demand, operationally commitments and



to prevent large gatherings we will not be publishing times and dates. however we wish to make the community aware of these locations and if you see a Police vehicle or officer at these locations, we are there for you to speak to us, please come and say hello and help us identify any concerns you have or any information, you may feel will assist us.

Taplow/Hitcham – The Parish Car Park, off Rectory Road.

Farnham Royal and Common – Car Park next to Broadway Autocentres.

Burnham – The Summers Road Car Park, Summers Road.

Dorney – The Dorney Lake Car Park off Court Lane

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