

# Hingham, Deopham and Wicklewood

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## Message from Inspector Andrew

This will be my final newsletter update for South Norfolk as from 23rd April I am being posted to Thetford. My replacement will be Inspector Jason Selvarajah, who some of you may have already met as he has worked on South Norfolk for some time, where he is currently the Diss Inspector. There have also been a number of officer postings on area, with PC Banes. PC Locke and PC Barnard being successful in their application to join the Beat Manager team. They will be joined by Sgt Jason Ellis who is returning to South Norfolk.

I would also like to wish PC Sansbury and PC Paine all the best in their new roles, and thank them for all their efforts whilst on South Norfolk. PC Sansbury has moved to CID and PC Paine to Community Safety, where I am sure they will continue with their hard work. I have enjoyed my time on South Norfolk and meeting those of you that I have, and I wish you all the best.

## Crime Updates

Offence	Numbers	What could this entail
Arson	0	Damage caused as a result of fire.
Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB)	1	Harassment, alarm or distress is caused in a non-crime incident.
Burglary - Business and community	0	Thefts committed in shops, businesses and other property
Burglary - Residential	1	Entry to any building within the curtilage/boundary of a residence, e.g. garden sheds and garages
Criminal Damage	2	A person destroys or damages property belonging to someone else.
Domestic	5	Domestic incidents where a crime has not occurred. Parties are aged 16 or over and have been intimate partners or family members regardless of sexuality.
Hate Incident	0	Any incident where a crime has not occurred which the victim, or anyone else, thinks is based on someone's prejudice towards them because of their race, religion, sexual orientation, disability or because they are transgender.
Race or Religious aggravated public fear	0	Any crime determined to have a hate element as per above.
Possession of controlled substance	0	Unlawful possession of a drug classified in class A, B or C.
Possession of weapons	0	Unlawful possession of an article used as a weapon.
Public fear, alarm or distress	3	Public order offences e.g. from a verbal altercation to offences just short of violence.
Robbery	1	Includes a range of offences where force is used, threatened or the victim is put in fear.
Theft from a motor vehicle	0	Any item stolen that was in, on or attached to a motor vehicle.
Theft or unauthorised taking of a motor vehicle	1	Any motor vehicle including those abandoned.
Theft of pedal cycle	0	From a public place.
Theft from a person	0	Purse being taken from a handbag, or a mobile phone from a shopping basket.



## Message from your Engagement Officer

We have received a number of reports of cold calling at addresses on the district offering generators and power tools for sale door to door.

Please remember you do not have to open your door to cold callers. Close and lock your back door before answering the front door. If you do not recognise the person, speak through the closed and locked door.

"If they are selling something or offering to do any work on your house or garden, tell them you are not interested and ask them to leave. If they persist tell them you will call the police and call us on 999. If you have any doubt – keep them out."

Colleagues at Norfolk County Council's Trading Standards advise that residents should never agree to buy goods from, or have work done, by someone that calls unannounced at their door, or approaches them on the street.

Anyone feeling threatened by a cold caller should call **999** immediately. Anyone with information about suspected rogue traders should contact police on **101**, Trading Standards on **03454 040506** or alternatively Crimestoppers anonymously on **0800 555 111**.

## What is happening in your area

### Message from your Beat Manager Pc Read

During March we experienced numerous ASB reports at Cemetery Lane Car Park, Wymondham. Through partnership working with the Council I am pleased to say that we seemed to have put a stop to this.

I have conducted foot patrols at the ASB hotspots on the foot print when I can. In the last week this has resulted in two persons being dealt with after being found in possession of cannabis. If anyone sees or suspects any drug related activity in their neighbourhood then please get in contact so that we can deal with it accordingly.

We continue to receive reports of rural thefts from farms and other isolated businesses, so please remember to secure any property as well as you can and report any suspicious activity to the police via the phone on 101 or online via the Norfolk Constabulary website or Crimestoppers. Your assistance can really help us prevent crime and disrupt criminals before they disrupt you.

## Neighbourhood Priorities

### Currently the team are working on the below areas -

Drug related issues, Nuisance Vehicles and ASB.

### Next Street Surgery-

To be confirmed

### Point of contact

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[www.crimestoppers.co.uk](http://www.crimestoppers.co.uk)

[www.norfolk.police.co.uk](http://www.norfolk.police.co.uk)

[SNTWymondham@norfolk.pnn.police.uk](mailto:SNTWymondham@norfolk.pnn.police.uk)

### Partner contacts



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