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1. Crime and ASB.

You can obtain Crime and ASB data for your own area by visiting www.police.uk , clicking on "whats happening in your area" and entering your postcode.

2. Community Priorities.

The Neighbourhood Policing Team meet regularly with partners to ensure we have a multi-agency approach to local issues, individuals and problem solving. These meetings are regularly attended by partners including Humberside Fire and Rescue Service, Youth and Family Support, Housing Officers, Environmental Health and the East Riding Anti-Social Behaviour Team. We share information and resources to deal with local neighbourhood issues, in particular, those identified as causing the most harm in the community. We also continue to patrol Market Weighton and the surrounding rural areas during our shifts and post on Social Media on a regular basis as a way of keeping everyone updated.

3. Crime issues of particular note:

The following list shows some of the crimes that have occurred in the previous month in your area:

- Entry was gained into a secure property in Warter which was then searched and items stolen.
- An honesty box has been stolen from outside a property in Beilby.
- A GPS system has been stolen from a tractor at a farm near Nunburnholme.
- GPS systems and domes have been stolen from 2 tractors at a farm near Shiptonthorpe

4. Crime Prevention Advice.

Bicycle security

Thousands of bikes are stolen every year across the UK, so what can you do to protect your bike?

- If you haven't done so already register your bicycle's frame number along with any pictures and other details you have on **www.immobilise.com**. (Registration on Immobilise only takes a few minutes and it's free. All you need is your bike's make, model, identifying number code(s) and a few photographs). If your bike is stolen or lost this free online register will inform all uk police and registered second hand dealers that your bike is missing and should it be offered for sale to a registered dealer or come into contact with any police force then a check of the system could reunite you with your stolen or lost bike.

- Invest in a quality lock or chain, eg a D lock, to help reduce the risk of your bike being stolen. Consider using two different types at the same time, as thieves rarely carry tools to break two different lock types.

- Lock your bike every time you leave it – it only takes seconds to steal! Keep the gap between the bike and the lock small, so inserting tools is made harder and where ever possible keep the locking barrel facing the ground too as this makes access more difficult.

- Look at where you are storing your bike and make sure that your shed or garage is secured with a good quality lock. Many shed windows are never used, if this is the case – why not screw them shut. Fitting mesh or steel bars across the window from the inside allows light to enter but means the thief has to go to a lot of trouble to remove them. Replace broken glass with laminated glass. Consider putting an alarm on the shed too – this could be a battery alarm or look at having the shed connected to the house alarm if you already have one.

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- Consider buying a cycle anchor that
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- If you are having to leave your bike out on the street, where possible leave it in a well lit area and lock both the frame and wheels to the bike stand. If there is no stand, ensure that it's locked to secure street furniture eg railings or a lamp post. Try and avoid leaving your bike out overnight (even if well secured) and take with you anything that can easily be removed eg lights or quick release wheels.

Also if you are considering buying a second-hand bike, make sure it's not stolen:

- Check the cycle for postcode security engravings and question the seller if the postcode does not match their address.
- Ask for the buyer's pack - original documents, receipts, tools and handbook, which came with the bike.
- Check the seller's knowledge of the bike, its size, make/model, who rode it, why they are selling, is their story credible?

5. Police Surgery dates.

PCSO Nikki Cliffe will be holding a Drop In surgery at Market Weighton Library on the following dates:
12th April (3pm – 6pm), 3rd May – 10am – 12noon, 10th May (3pm – 5pm), 22nd May (11am – 2pm), 31st May (4pm – 6pm)

PCSO Nikki Cliffe will be holding a Drop In surgery at Market Weighton Town Council on the following dates:
11th April (10am – 1pm), 17th April (11am – 2pm), 19th April 4pm – 7pm) 28th April (4pm- 3pm)

Stay informed through our social media channels, find us on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram:

https://www.humberside.police.uk/teams/wolds-weighton
Facebook – Humberside Police – East Riding of Yorkshire West
Twitter - Humberside Police – East Riding of Yorkshire West - @Humberbeat_ERYW

For incidents that don't require an immediate response call our non-emergency 101 line. You can also report non-emergency crimes online via our reporting portal. In an emergency always dial 999.