



# FLEET & DISTRICT NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

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## NEWSLETTER

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### A quick guide to reporting crime

#### Police emergency - call 999 if:

There is danger to life

A crime is happening now or has just happened

You have immediate concerns for safety

There is a dangerous incident on the road/motorway

You see something suspicious that needs attention

#### Not an emergency – call 101

Crimes that are not in progress

Non urgent information

Criminal damage/theft/theft from vehicle (can be reported at

<https://www.hampshire.police.uk>)

General information & advice

<https://www.hampshire.police.uk>

**Calls to 101 are now free**

#### Crimestoppers

If you don't want to talk to police you

can call 0800 555 111 anonymously

This is NOT an emergency service

<https://crimestoppers-uk.org/>

#### Reporting Fraud and Scams

Call Police on 101 quoting:

'Operation Signature'

Keep up to date at Action Fraud

<https://www.actionfraud.police.uk/>

Tel - 0300 123 2040

Citizens Advice Consumer Service

Tel - 0808 223 1133

[www.citizensadvice.org.uk](http://www.citizensadvice.org.uk)

Postal and competition scams

[www.thinkjessica.com](http://www.thinkjessica.com)

#### Doorstep Callers/Rogue Traders

Never employ passing tradesmen

Know your rights e.g. 14 day cooling

off period. Contact Citizens Advice

Consumer Service Tel - 0808 223

1133 or [www.citizensadvice.org.uk](http://www.citizensadvice.org.uk)

Tell Trading Standards if you have

been called on by doorstep callers

with as much information as you can

If intimidated or threatened call 999

## Chairman's Report

Although the Covid pandemic may be two years ago, its effect is still with us because unfortunately the virus has not gone away. We know people who have suffered recently despite having received all vaccinations offered.

It has hit our organisation badly with the loss of NHW coordinators and advertisers in our quarterly newsletter; however, we remain positive with a trickle of new members, although it has become increasingly difficult to recruit newcomers. Many of our existing coordinators are retired as are your committee, so finding the energy to go around the district knocking on doors to gain new members is not really realistic. If anyone reading this can assist themselves or know of a likely new member, please let your committee know. Our contact details are on the last page of this Spring newsletter.

In the last month or so I have refurbished or replaced several NHW signs, and I am aware of others needing attention, but I need a calm dry day, hopefully not freezing cold as most sign work requires me to use a ladder.

Our editor will confirm that our AGM will be later than usual this year, and we will have a police presence and a presentation at this year's meeting. Please put 10th October in your diaries.

Let's hope we all enjoy a good spring and summer, remaining safe and crime free.

*David Bunclark - Chairman*

## FLEET & DISTRICT NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

### 2024 Annual General Meeting

will be held at

The Crookham War Memorial Hall

Sandy Lane, Church Crookham, Fleet GU52 8LD

on

Thursday 10 October at 7:30 pm

In addition to the usual agenda items, this year's AGM will be attended by our local Police Sergeant and it will include a presentation by Rachael Wilkinson, the Safer Communities Manager. All of the members of the Fleet and District Neighbourhood Watch are invited to attend the AGM. Any member who wishes to put forward an item for inclusion in this year's agenda or who would like to propose an amendment to the NHW Constitution is requested to contact the Chairman in writing by:

**Friday 13 September 2024.**

### ***E-newsletters - please sign up now***

As with all of our recent editions, this Spring 2024 newsletter will only be distributed by email.

#### ***How do I receive E-newsletters?***

It is easy: you can either sign up as a subscriber free of charge on the NHW website ([fleetnhw.co.uk](http://fleetnhw.co.uk)) or send your email address to me, my contact details are on the last page. You will then receive regular quarterly emails with the NHW E-newsletter attached.

*Editor - Alan MacGregor*

### **Police & Crime Report**

The Police have advised us that they will no longer be able to provide a bespoke quarterly police report for our NHW newsletter. They have said that the information we require is now available online for everyone to see and they have advised that it can be accessed via the following website:

<https://www.hampshire.police.uk/area/your-area/hampshire/hart/fleet/about-us/crime-map>

We understand that via this website you can enter a postcode and search by crime type and also be provided with a map where you can drill down to road level.

This change in reporting is disappointing news and there will no doubt be further discussions with the police. However, meanwhile we strongly recommend that you sign up for Hampshire Alerts via:

<https://www.hampshirealert.co.uk/Content/Pages/Sign-Up>

You can choose what information you want to receive and the area you want covered. You can also choose how you want to receive the information; eg by email.

We also recommend that you read the monthly online national NHW newsletter called "Our News" which is issued by the Hampshire Alert organisation and the monthly "Crime Prevention Bulletin" which is issued by the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Constabulary.

### **HAMPSHIRE AND IOW NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH**

These incident reports are produced for us by our team of NHW Police volunteers so we can see burglary, theft, vehicle crime and criminal damage incidents in our local areas. The information given to us is strictly limited so we do not compromise future police investigations. **Please encourage your neighbours to report** any information on the incidents below (quoting the reference number) and all other crimes and suspicious events to the police by calling **101** or using online reporting at [www.hampshire.police.uk](http://www.hampshire.police.uk).



Beat:	Ref No:	Type:	Date & Time:	Notes:
Fleet Courtmoor	44240000924	Criminal damage	01/01/2024 19:37	Car passenger window smashed - Linkway, Fleet
Crondall	44240001116	Criminal damage	01/01/2024 23:38	Caravan broken into and locks damaged, nothing stolen - The Street, Crookham Village
Fleet Courtmoor	44240001509	Theft from vehicle	02/01/2024 10:24	Vehicle broken into and personal items stolen - Wickham Road, Church Crookham
Odiham	44240001949	Criminal damage	02/01/2024 14:53	Car paintwork keyed - West Street, Odiham
Odiham	44240002210	Criminal damage	02/01/2024 17:13	Damage to vehicle - Runnymede Drive, Odiham
Fleet North	44240002612	Theft from vehicle	03/01/2024 00:40	Damage to vehicle and number plate stolen - The Fairway, Fleet

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Fleet Pondtail	44240004331	Criminal damage	04/01/2024 07:52	Van broken into overnight - Hotel car park, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240004584	Criminal damage	04/01/2024 10:45	Damage to vehicle parked overnight - Fleet Services, M3 Motorway
Fleet Pondtail	44240007590	Criminal damage	06/01/2024 08:34	Living room window smashed - Westover Road, Fleet
Crondall	44240007984	Theft from vehicle	06/01/2024 14:53	Van side door lock drilled out and tools stolen - Jubilee Drive, Church Crookham
Fleet West	44240008026	Criminal damage	06/01/2024 09:20	Unknown persons throwing items at car Windscreens - Willowbourne, Fleet
Fleet Courtmoor	44240008203	Theft from vehicle	06/01/2024 17:40	Rear number plate stolen from vehicle - Folly Close, Fleet
Fleet North	44240010261	Theft from vehicle	08/01/2024 12:11	Van side door broken into and tools stolen - Waleron Road, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240011910	Criminal damage	09/01/2024 13:10	Vehicle curtain slashed while parked overnight - Fleet Services, M3 Motorway
Fleet Central	44240013373	Theft from vehicle	10/01/2024 11:54	Front number plate stolen - Old Dairy Close, Fleet
Long Sutton	44240017705	Theft of vehicle	13/01/2024 03:06	Quad bike stolen - Well, Hook
Crondall	44240018222	Hare Coursing	13/01/2024 15:26	Two sets of gates broken to enable access to fields - Clare Park, Farnham
Crondall	44240019955	Criminal damage	14/01/2024 23:46	Fence damaged - Ewshot Lane, Farnham
Long Sutton	44240020636	Criminal damage	15/01/2024 13:01	Rear window on driver's side damaged with a ball bearing - The Street, Long Sutton
Long Sutton	44240020863	Criminal damage	15/01/2024 14:37	Gate to farm land damaged and a sheep injured - Well, Hook
Odiham	44240020979	Criminal damage	15/01/2024 15:22	Gate damaged to gain access to field with vehicle - Bidden Road, North Warnborough
Church Crookham East	44240021819	Criminal damage	16/01/2024 08:26	Car broken into overnight - Coxmoor Close, Church Crookham
Fleet Central	44240024307	Burglary Business	17/01/2024 16:33	Person broke into staff only area of shop and stole items - Fleet Road, Fleet



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Odiham	44240028513	Theft of vehicle	20/01/2024 13:00	Vehicle stolen overnight - Crumplins Meadow, Odiham
Fleet Central	44240030366	Theft from vehicle	22/01/2024 07:05	Trailer stolen from services car park overnight - Fleet Services, M3 Motorway
Fleet Pondtail	44240031567	Burglary Business	22/01/2024 18:02	Attempted break-in - Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet Pondtail	44240032601	Theft from vehicle	23/01/2024 13:20	Attempted theft from vehicle, driver's door window smashed - Wood Lane, Fleet
Fleet North	44240035053	Theft from vehicle	25/01/2024 06:56	Van broken into and tools stolen - Hotel car park, Cove Road, Fleet
Odiham	44240039377	Criminal damage	27/01/2024 21:07	Car rear tyre slashed - West Street, Odiham
Crondall	44240042537	Criminal damage	29/01/2024 23:02	Stone thrown through window - Pankridge Street, Crondall
Fleet Pondtail	44240042676	Theft from vehicle	30/01/2024 04:57	Attempted break-in to van - Hotel car park, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet Pondtail	44240044443	Theft from vehicle	31/01/2024 07:31	Van window smashed and tools stolen - Hotel car park, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet West	44240044685	Criminal damage	31/01/2024 10:41	Rocks thrown at passing vehicles, windscreen smashed - Reading Road South, Fleet
Fleet North	44240046943	Theft from vehicle	01/02/2024 14:43	Attempted break-in to van, door lock damaged - Ancells Road, Fleet
Crondall	44240047880	Arson	02/02/2024 03:47	Commercial vehicle stolen from industrial estate, stripped for parts and then set alight - Redfields Lane, Church Crookham
Church Crookham East	44240047928	Theft	02/02/2024 06:45	Van jacked up and all wheels stolen - Sandy Lane, Church Crookham
Fleet West	44240048306	Burglary Business	02/02/2024 11:49	Workshop broken into and items stolen, alarm activated - Hitches Lane, Fleet
Fleet North	44240048493	Criminal damage	02/02/2024 13:36	Ring doorbell camera damaged with sharp instrument - East Hundreds, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240048972	Criminal damage	02/02/2024 17:46	Criminal damage to toilets - Hart Centre, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet North	44240050739	Criminal damage	03/02/2024 23:25	Window deliberately smashed - Giffard Lane, Fleet
Fleet West	44240052015	Theft of vehicle	05/02/2024 05:36	Vehicle stolen from outside property between 22:15 and 05:20 - Mulberry Walk, Fleet
Crondall	44240052890	Criminal damage	05/02/2024 14:57	Gates damaged and fields entered, possible poaching - Clare Park, Farnham
Long Sutton	44240053128	Criminal damage	05/02/2024 17:09	Electric fence damaged and fields driven into for hare coursing - The Street, Long Sutton
Fleet Pondtail	44240054122	Theft from vehicle	06/02/2024 11:43	Two vans broken into - Fleet Railway Station, Fleet

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Odiham	44240054273	Criminal damage	06/02/2024 13:09	Electric gate smashed to gain entry for poaching - Bidden Road, North Warnborough
Crandall	44240054562	Arson	06/02/2024 15:21	Caravan dumped in field and set alight - Bowling Alley, Crandall
Fleet Central	44240055269	Theft from vehicle	07/02/2024 05:20	Curtain side of parked trailer cut open - Fleet Services, M3 Motorway
Crandall	44240056964	Burglary Business	08/02/2024 00:35	Gate rammed open by silver Subaru Forester and attempted burglary of two units - Clare Park, Farnham
Fleet Central	44240057747	Theft from vehicle	08/02/2024 14:13	Laptop stolen from car overnight - Church Road, Fleet
Fleet North	44240058741	Theft from vehicle	09/02/2024 08:23	Vehicle side door forced open and tools stolen - Hotel car park, Cove Road, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240059367	Criminal damage	09/02/2024 14:19	HGV tarpaulin slashed to gain entry, nothing stolen - Fleet Services, M3 Motorway
Long Sutton	44240060532	Criminal damage	10/02/2024 09:11	Electric fences trashed and land damaged by vehicles - Woodhill Lane, Long Sutton
Long Sutton	44240061275	Criminal damage	10/02/2024 21:31	Vehicle damaged with a catapult - The Street, Greywell
Long Sutton	44240061356	Criminal damage	10/02/2024 22:53	Vehicle window smashed - The Street, Greywell
Fleet Central	44240062822	Theft of vehicle	12/02/2024 09:29	Vehicle stolen - Albert Street, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240065646	Criminal damage	14/02/2024 07:51	Car windscreen smashed overnight - Upper Street, Fleet
Fleet North	44240065737	Theft from vehicle	14/02/2024 08:44	Unsuccessful attempt to break into a van - Hotel car park, Cove Road, Fleet
Fleet North	44240065877	Criminal damage	14/02/2024 10:04	Gate entry system keypad damaged - Pale Lane, Hartley Wintney
Fleet Pondtail	44240066141	Theft from vehicle	14/02/2024 13:16	Van broken into, side door lock drilled out - Hotel car park, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet Pondtail	44240066152	Theft from vehicle	14/02/2024 13:26	Van broken into and power tools stolen - Hotel car park, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240066248	Criminal damage	14/02/2024 14:22	Business door damaged - Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet West	44240066798	Criminal damage	14/02/2024 21:33	Large stones thrown at passing car - Reading Road South, Fleet
Crandall	44240074368	Theft of vehicle	20/02/2024 08:27	Car stolen from car park overnight - Humphrey Park, Church Crookham
Crandall	44240074793	Criminal damage	20/02/2024 12:35	Caravan damaged - The Street, Crookham Village
Fleet Pondtail	44240075660	Theft from vehicle	20/02/2024 20:36	Van broken into - Waterfront Business Park, Fleet

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Fleet Pondtail	44240075986	Theft from vehicle	21/02/2024 07:09	Van broken into by drilling hole near lock Mechanism, entry gained but nothing stolen - Hotel car park, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet North	44240079427	Burglary Business	23/02/2024 10:52	Office broken into by removing window, tools stolen - Barley Way, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240083868	Theft from vehicle	26/02/2024 13:52	Helmet stolen from parked motorcycle - Fleet Library, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240085534	Theft from vehicle	27/02/2024 14:19	Cooking oil stolen - Fleet Road, Fleet
Church Crookham East	44240086427	Theft of vehicle	28/02/2024 06:48	Car stolen from driveway, keyless car theft - Atbara Road, Church Crookham
Church Crookham West	44240086488	Theft of vehicle	28/02/2024 08:09	Car stolen from outside house - Decouttere Close, Church Crookham
Crandall	44240087035	Theft from vehicle	28/02/2024 13:14	Attempt to open car door on driveway, 3 persons - Cook Avenue, Church Crookham
Fleet West	44240088465	Theft from vehicle	29/02/2024 11:40	Bag stolen from car - Church Grove, Fleet
Fleet Pondtail	44240089471	Theft from vehicle	29/02/2024 22:53	Attempted break-in to vans - Hotel car park, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet West	44240090087	Theft of vehicle	01/03/2024 11:20	Car stolen - Tavistock Road, Fleet
Crandall	44240090887	Criminal damage	01/03/2024 19:02	Vehicle driving on field and causing damage - Penn Croft, Crandall
Odiham	44240090896	Criminal damage	01/03/2024 19:12	Suspected poaching - Rye Common, Odiham
Fleet Courtmoor	44240100563	Theft of vehicle	08/03/2024 06:43	Car stolen overnight from driveway - Fairmile, Fleet
Church Crookham East	44240100579	Theft of vehicle	08/03/2024 07:22	Car stolen overnight - Corringway, Church Crookham
Church Crookham East	44240100580	Theft of vehicle	08/03/2024 07:17	Car stolen overnight - Compton Road, Church Crookham
Fleet North	44240104672	Arson	11/03/2024 04:03	Van set on fire - Minley Road. Fleet
Church Crookham East	44240106311	Theft of vehicle	12/03/2024 03:05	Car stolen from driveway - Award Road, Church Crookham
Fleet West	44240108789	Criminal damage	13/03/2024 14:00	Two windows of clubhouse smashed, but no entry gained due to metal bars installed - Reading Road North, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240110943	Theft from vehicle	14/03/2024 18:12	Van broken into and tools stolen - Hotel car park, Fleet Road, Fleet
Fleet Pondtail	44240111609	Criminal damage	15/03/2024 09:51	Damage to car - Hotel car park, Fleet Road, Fleet
Crandall	44240112228	Criminal damage	15/03/2024 16:28	Window smashed with projectile - Surgery, Redlands Lane, Crandall

Beat:	Ref No:	Type:	Date & Time:	Notes:
Crandall	44240114359	Criminal damage	17/03/2024 04:25	Window damaged by projectile - Croft Lane, Crandall
Fleet North	44240115058	Criminal damage	17/03/2024 16:28	Car scratched - Fleet Services, M3 Motorway
Fleet North	44240116221	Criminal damage	18/03/2024 13:32	Construction site broken into, vehicles damaged and attempted break-in to unit - Bramshot Road, Fleet
Crandall	44240116986	Criminal damage	18/03/2024 21:21	Window smashed and attempted break-in - Jubilee Drive, Church Crookham
Crandall	44240117795	Criminal damage	19/03/2024 13:16	Damage to roof tiles and use of slingshot - Golf Course, Heath Lane, Crandall
Crandall	44240119288	Criminal damage	20/03/2024 11:32	Stone thrown at window - Redlands Lane, Crandall
Fleet West	44240122700	Criminal damage	22/03/2024 10:32	Scratch down one side of car - New Barn Close, Fleet
Fleet North	44240123375	Burglary Business	22/03/2024 16:14	Cash box stolen from hotel reception - Cove Road, Fleet
Fleet Central	44240126557	Criminal damage	25/03/2024 03:38	Car damaged while parked in car park - Oatsheaf Parade, Fleet Road, Fleet
Crandall	44240127077	Burglary Business	25/03/2024 12:12	Attempted break-in by two males on e-bikes - Church lane, Ewshot
Odiham	44240129039	Criminal damage	26/03/2024 10:19	Rear number plate stolen from parked van - Oak Tree Close, Odiham
Crandall	44240131794	Criminal damage	28/03/2024 10:19	Outside lights damaged on village hall - Croft Lane, Crandall
Odiham	44240131989	Burglary Business	28/03/2024 11:58	Cash stolen from shop - Hook Road. North Warnborough
Crandall	44240133919	Criminal damage	29/03/2024 19:25	Damage to Speed Indicator Device, marble sized dents - Pankridge Street, Crandall
Fleet North	44240134398	Theft from vehicle	30/03/2024 07:23	Attempted break-in to vehicle, rear window smashed, nothing stolen - Tunworth Close, Fleet

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