



News Bulletin

Western Rural Round-up-

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1. More burglaries this time in Waverton. At 3am a man disturbed two white males breaking into his house. The men made off and we are unable to obtain any vehicle details for their vehicle. If you do see something suspicious in the night, then please report it to us.
2. Sightings please for a White Ford Fiesta index number E 11 FOG. This vehicle's occupants were seen acting suspiciously in Farndon. I believe the vehicle originates from North Wales.
3. We conducted a crack down on uninsured vehicles this week on A 41 at Backford. We seized 4 vehicles and reported a number of people for traffic offences.
4. I have managed to secure some funding to provide every child at High School who cycles to school with a set of quality bike lights. I ran a similar initiative a couple of years ago and it was a great success. I will be meeting with the school representatives of Bishop Heber and Christleton this week to finalise the details.
5. We had a couple of burglaries overnight Sunday/Monday morning. A vehicle was taken from Rookery Drive Tattenhall and the offenders then broke into a garage in Oaklands. The offence occurred around 3am and it appears the thieves were after pedal cycles. The vehicle later turned up in Wrexham.
6. Following reports of a robbery in Malpas officers attended and arrested 3 men from West Mercia who attempted to steal a motorbike from a young man around Springfield, Malpas. The men were in possession of an airgun and are currently in custody awaiting interview.
7. Currently in custody awaiting interview are a man and a woman from the Kelsall area who it is alleged crashed a vehicle into a local pub. We believe the vehicle may have been taken unlawfully and enquiries are continuing.
8. Following Halloween and Bonfire Night we have experienced lower levels of anti social behaviour than in previous years. We did experience incidents in Kelsall, Tarvin and Farndon that were problematic, however, increased policing allied to joint working with Cheshire West and Chester in pinpointing illegal bonfires and having them removed clearly worked well. I will be looking to run similar operations next year, but if you do have any suggestions then please forward them to me.

Regards

Inspector Phil Hodgson