

Protecting our communities together

West Forum

Date: 15th October 2009

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PACT Priorities

Nuisance vehicles

- Hams Hall
(Agreed 20 targeted patrols)


ASB

- Water Orton - 1/4 mile of Birmingham Road, Friday 4p–12p.
(Agreed 6 targeted patrols)

Off road motorcycles

- Edge Hill/ Wood End - Saturday / Sunday afternoons
(Agreed 12 targeted patrols)

Community Priorities

- Warwickshire Police is obliged to protect communities from harm in line with the 'Police Priorities'.
 - This may mean that in exceptional circumstances SNT officers may be required to work on other policing priorities.
 - If this happens there will be a need to re-negotiate priorities. This will be done in liaison with the Chair and the panel.
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Nuisance vehicles – Hams Hall

Results

- 37 targeted patrols
- EFPN – 49 issued.
- NEFPN – 48 issued.
- 3 drivers reported for multiple offences.
- VDRS – 13 issued.
- 9 x vehicles seized.
- 6 arrests.

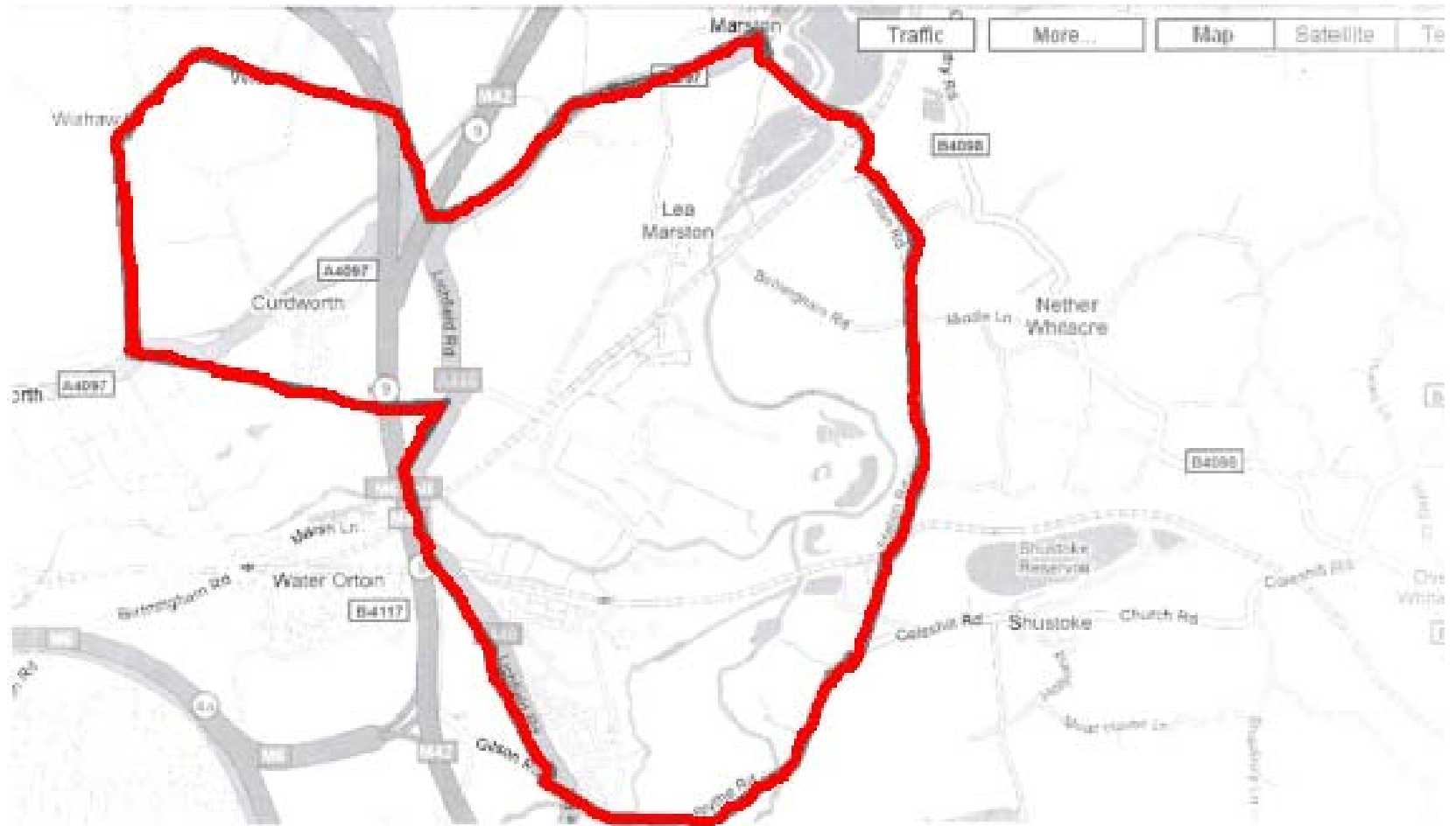
Bids Process.

A successful second vote re the 'Bids process' at Hams Hall has taken place. This is now in the hands of the County Council re implementation of the gating order.

Section 222 notices.

- On 21st August 2009 Warwickshire County Council successfully obtained a civil injunction regarding car cruising events held in the Hams Hall area.
- These notices have officially commenced being issued.
- This is in force until 4.00pm on 21 August 2011.
- All persons are forbidden from participating in a car cruise within the part of the county of Warwickshire, the boundaries of which are delineated in red on map.

SCHEDULE 1



What is a Car-Cruise?

- Congregation of the drivers of 2 or more motor vehicles.
- Between 7.00pm and 7.00am.
- On public highway or place to which public have access.
- Location within boundary of map.
- Includes driver and or passenger of any such vehicle.
- And any driver/passenger of any vehicle perform any activity, which causes the following.

The activities are:-

- Driving at excess speed.
- Driving in convoy.
- Racing other motor-vehicles.
- Performing stunts in motor-vehicles.
- Sounding horns or playing radios.
- Dropping litter.
- Shouting or swearing at, or abusing, threatening or otherwise intimidating (including by the use of sexual language or making sexual suggestions) to another person.

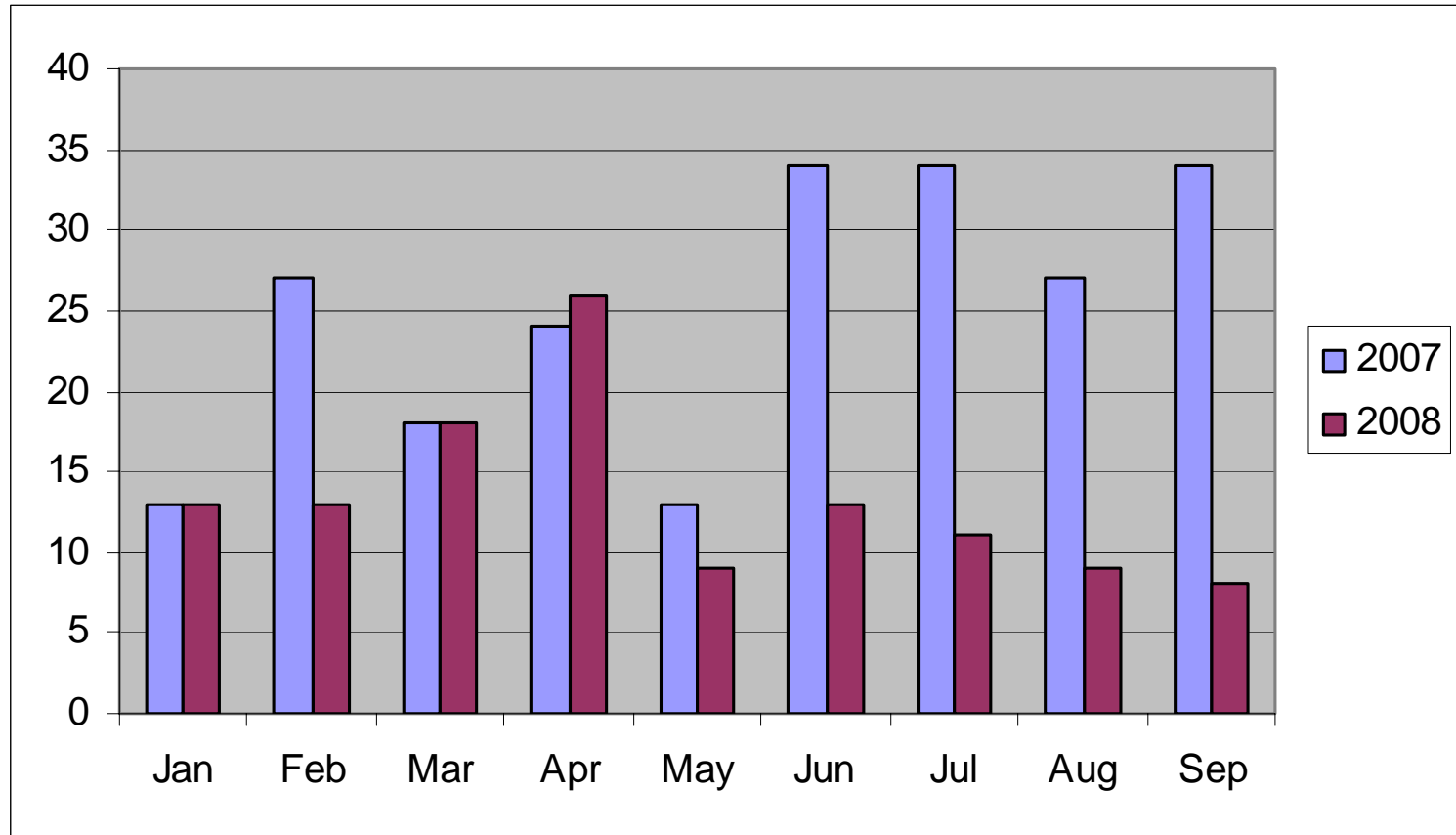
This Causes

- Excessive noise.
- Danger to other road users (including pedestrians).
- Damage or the risk of damage to private property.
- Litter.
- Any nuisance to another person not participating in the car cruise.

ASB:-Table of Results from Incidents Fortnightly Document 2008/09

Area Forum	Oct-08	Nov-08	Dec-08	Jan-09	Feb-09	Mar-09	Apr-09	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09
East	32	48	12	24	19	16	19	18	10	8	23	13
North	10	26	4	23	8	20	10	11	6	6	15	10
South	23	25	7	18	12	19	14	16	13	9	11	17
West	12	22	7	13	13	18	26	9	13	11	9	8

West Forum ASB comparison 2007 – 2008



Anti-social behaviour- Water Orton

Multi-agency meeting, discussing issues and solutions-

Actions:

- Increased Police patrols
- Promote reporting of incidents
- Deliver diversionary activities
- Encourage challenge 21
- Investigating street lighting
- Investigating a teen shelter



Safer Neighbourhoods

Responses/ Action Plan:

Problem to be addressed:		Anti Social Behaviour in Water Orton				
Brief Description of actions/interventions ³		By whom? (lead agency emboldened)	Outputs with key milestones and dates	Outcomes	Risk Assessment/ Contingency Planning	Achievements
Location	Investigate the possibility of increasing Police patrols on a Friday and Saturday night between the hours of 4pm – 11pm	Police	Plans in place for the minimum of 6 targeted patrols in the area. Include the main locations in the PCSO patrol strategy for each shift by Mid July 2009.	Reduced number of young people causing ASB in the area	Police resources deployed elsewhere, young people not located. <i>Likelihood of police resources being deployed elsewhere at this time is relatively low therefore no alternative action is planned.</i> <i>If no young people are located contact to be made with local residents to ascertain where they are now congregating.</i>	10 patrols during first 3 months, whilst still ongoing the total will be in excess of target for period upto next forum meeting in mid October.

³ When identifying interventions consider the 10 Principles of Reduction

PACT: Partners & Communities Together
**Partnership approach to
reports of
Anti Social Behaviour in
Water Orton**



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As residents you are more likely to know the names of the people causing problems we need you to identify and provide the local PCSO and police with the names of the people that may be causing ASB.

We need you to:

- Report all incidents of anti social behaviour to the police on 01926 415000.
- Name the individuals involved.
- Support the Parish, Borough and County Councils to offer diversionary activities for the young people.
- If you live in a Neighbourhood Watch Scheme area, speak with your local coordinator to get the regular police updates.

How the Police and Councils deal with Anti Social Behaviour

1. A letter to parents
2. Monitoring young peoples actions
3. Family asked to attend the police station
4. Young person offered Acceptable Behaviour Contract
5. Evidence collected for an Anti Social Behaviour Order
6. Diversionary and outreach sessions.

Know where they aretake responsibility!



ASB – Water Orton

- 6 targeted patrols during Friday evenings, this was backed up with additional visits during other times/days.
- No issues observed during any visit to area of Birmingham Rd., only one issue reported this relating to youths playing football.
- 4th Sep 5 bottles of lager seized from youths near library.
- Total of 9 reported incidents of ASB reported in Water Orton during the 3 month period July – Sept 2009.

Police Tasks

- Talk to the schools –

6 weekly sessions at Archbishop Grimshaw School starting 15th September 2009. PCSO Jane Owen will be accompanying me and will then in turn roll out the same input in Coleshill School in January 2010.

- Ongoing proactive work with ASB –

This is to be achieved through our inputs at Archbishop Grimshaw & Coleshill School. PCSOs Jane Owen & Hayley Waller have attended Coleshill School and given talks to all year 8 and 9 pupils about ASB, they also hold weekly surgeries at Coleshill School.

- Organise a meeting with West Mids Police to look at cross boarder work

Meeting being arranged with PCSO Emma Sawyer from West Midlands Police. SNT from Castle Bromwich and Chelmsley Wood will be attending the meeting.

- Take young people home and meet at a later date with parents, if not processed on the night –

PCs and Specials have taken youths home. PCSOs working alongside Interventions Officer Kate Martin delivering letters to parents.

- Links with BTP regarding the railway access –

Contact made with PCSO Painter from BTP and appraised of problems/concerns about the railway crossing. He has submitted an intelligence report and has requested 'railway awareness and safety' posters and leaflets for distribution in Coleshill School. Resources requested from BTP for a lesson plan and assistance in delivering talks to schools.

- Challenge 21 –

Pub Watch and Challenge 21 have been re-enforced in the area.

- Youth shelter –

Parish Council liaised with re the funding of a shelter in the area of Open Fields Croft. Currently canvassing local residents.

- West Mids transport - request CCTV on bus for Friday night

No 90 bus now has CCTV cameras installed on all services

- Monitoring CCTV Edward road site –

CCTV camera played important part in catching the two female youths that had purchased 5 bottles of vodka from the shop. CCTV camera is checked on a weekly basis.

Nuisance motorbikes – Kingsbury Link / MOD land

- 16 targeted patrols by SNT.
- Attendance by Off Road team, however their attendance was restricted during July/August due to other Force commitments.
- 2 x Sec 59 notices issued at various locations in area.
- Continued liaison with MOD and Baggeridge Brick.
- Liason with NWBC and Mod is taking place re finance for additional more permanent signage in area of Kingsbury Link.

Good News


- Whilst dealing with an incident in Water Orton PCSO Scott, located a Vauxhall Corsa in Coleshill Road, Water Orton with two males acting suspicious. After calling for assistance, officers found one of the males to have a large amount of snap bags and cannabis hidden under the passenger seat. A further search by officers recovered a bag of cannabis hidden in his sock. They were subsequently arrested and processed.
- On Wednesday 19 August 2009, North Warwickshire Police Officers and officers from Atherstone C.I.D, executed a warrant at an address in Hurley. Officers conducted a search, resulting in the discovery of amphetamines and cannabis. A male occupant of the address, was arrested and processed.

Good News continued.

On 11th October a successful joint crime prevention initiative between police and NHW staff took place in Kingsbury, Hurley and Wood End. We have used the opportunity to train a further PCSO from Atherstone, to carry on with similar project work on the Atherstone Section.

A total of 52 new NHW members were recruited. Locks, alarms, leaflets and packages etc., were also distributed. In particular the group contacted the elderly and other vulnerable groups to reduce their chances of becoming a victim of crime.

We also see an opportunity to further enhance our partnership working, with a further initiative, of a different type, at Hurley and other villages to help the young people there.



Good News continued

- On Tuesday 25 August 2009 a multi-agency graffiti clean-up and general clear was organised by PCSO McMurchie. The agencies involved were Police, NWBC Neighbourhood Wardens, and eight people serving on the Community Payback Scheme and their supervisor. Graffiti was cleaned off/painted over and/or litter pick took place at 8 locations in Kingsbury, Water Orton and Wood End.
- On Saturday 22 August, Hurley Kings Boy's Football Club held their first ever family fun day, held at Hurley Primary School. Local Police Community Support Officer for the Hurley area, PCSO 6162 Gavin Scott was invited to attend where he held a stall giving out free advice to visitors on how to protect their property and belongings.

Number Plate Anti-Tamper Screws

Stealing car number plates seems to be on the up - they are then used on other vehicles to commit further crimes or even shipped abroad. Warwickshire Police can now supply number plate screws for a wide variety of vehicles - free of charge. Once in place, they can't be easily undone without damaging the number plate.

To take advantage of this offer, just contact David Hardman, Vice Chair of North Warwickshire Neighbourhood Watch on 01827 873774.

Some more simple steps to protect your vehicle:



- Always lock your car
- Never leave items on display
- If you have a garage, use it
- If possible, remove the stereo and sat nav
- Fit a lockable fuel cap
- Fit locking wheel nuts
(particularly useful if you have alloy wheels)
- If parking on a road, try to park on a well lit area

Thank you for your time.

Please contact the team should you have any queries
or concerns.

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