Haddenham Annual Parish Council Meeting 23/05/22

This yearly report is supplied by Waddesdon Neighbourhood Police Team. The incidents recorded are just a snapshot of incidences that occurred within the parish between 23/05/21 and 23/05/22. The examples are given with the belief that they are of interest to the parish and public alike. I have however used my discretion to leave out incidents which I do not think are in the public interest. I have tried to provide accurate data but given the variable information around addresses using our current police system, there may be some incidents under reported.

Fraud - 7 report received.

Fraud against the public is a growing issue that affects us all. We would urge residents to be aware of strangers making contact by phone, e-mail, mail, or door to door persons asking for your details. Do not give your personal details to anyone that you do not know! For further information you can google "The Little Book of Big Scams" which is in its fourth edition. Or if this isn't possible we have limited copies and can put a copy through your letter box if required.

Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB).

There were some incidents of ASB reported but this was more neighbour specific complaints. Examples of general ASB would include riding around with a noisy exhaust on a motorbike, or kids loitering in an area while causing a nuisance to the community etc.

Burglary - 1 reports of burglaries to non-dwelling (garage)

Now that we are into Summer I would urge anyone venturing out to tend to their gardens to be aware of where they store their garden machinery and power tools etc. Unfortunately criminals are always looking for ways to take your property. Check your locks, consider lighting, cctv and laser alarms to protect your property.

Theft from Vehicles. 2 incidents reported.

There were 2 incidents of number plates being stolen from vehicles. This would be done in order to commit further crimes using another vehicle with the stolen plates. Number plates can be protected by fitting anti-theft screws. which Thames Valley Police have a small amount of stock and may be able to provide on request. The screws can also be got from diy shops or car parts shops. Please also do not leave anything on view in your vehicles for would -be thieves to feel tempted.

Criminal Damage There were 14 incidents of criminal damage reported.

Examples of these incidents included damage to a bus shelter, damage to the scout hut, damage to the playground (graffiti) and damage to a caravan.

Road Traffic Collision. (RTC)

There were 16 non-injury RTC's reported in the area.

There were 7 minor-injury RTC's reported in the area

There were 2 serious injury RTC's reported in the area.

On a lighter note, since PC Tom Chalk has left Thames Valley Police, we have welcomed Eleanor Fenemore our new PC supervisor to Waddesdon in May. She grew up around these parts and has a wealth of knowledge regarding farming, crime and members of the farming community. Also one of our PCSO's Denise Grayburn has also left the service in the hope of retiring and getting a well-earned rest. While Thames Valley is going through some challenging times regarding resourcing, I am happy to say that the Waddesdon team should not be greatly affected by this. I have been informed that the resourcing issue should be resolved by the end of the year.

Kind regards

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