

Dear Ward Member

Welcome to this month's edition of the Eastcote and West Ruislip Newsletter. We have updates on what the team have been up to recently as well as news on some changes to our website and teams.

Recent activities by the team

Officers from both wards were seconded to assist other colleagues for high visibility and reassurance patrols around the ANZAC war memorial in Harefield. This was in response to the criminal damage of the headstones in 2015 where numerous graves were defaced with spray paint. Officers utilised plain clothes and uniform tactics in order to deter any further issues. The event was a success and passed without incident.



Operation Sceptre

This operation was launched in July 2015 with the aim of reducing knife crime and the number of

families affected by knife crime across the whole of London. Operation Sceptre seeks to target not only those who carry and use knives, but also the supply, access and importation of weapons. With recent coverage in the media covering knife crime in the capital the Commissioner is keen to tackle this issue.

PC Johnston and PS Quinn of West Ruislip ward conducted a weapon sweep of the High street, Ruislip. This included the alleyways and car park towards the Iceland store car park.

Below are items seized as a result of the search. None of the items are believed linked to crime.



There are three knife bins across the borough:

Devonshire Lodge Car Park, Eastcote HA4 1JP

Pump Lane Car Park, Hayes UB3 3NB

Judge Heath Lane (Barra Hall Circus), Hayes UB3 2NU

Good News

PC Roe of West Ruislip ward and PC Murphy of Eastcote ward conducted a complex investigation of two cases, including theft with attempted theft and criminal damage. The suspect was not known to the area but was a prolific offender, images were circulated and recognised by a local officer, once this information was gathered PC Roe and PC Murphy swiftly located the suspect who resided on another borough and arrested him for these offences. The suspect was charged with three offences and given conditions not to enter Field End Road and High Street, Ruislip.

A community engagement was held at Eastcote Library on the 17th of April. This was hosted by PCSO Brighton and PCSO Robinson. This was well attended. Topics covered ranged from fraud, burglary, crime prevention and counter terrorism. During the event one of the attendees handed over a set of number plates that had been thrown in his garden. One of the plates came back to a vehicle stolen in a burglary. This has opened further enquiries for the investigating officer.

New website

Our new Safer Neighbourhood web pages have launched. You can now view Crime Maps of Eastcote and West Ruislip as below and compare crime rates against other areas within Hillingdon as well as the rest of the Metropolitan Police area.

<https://beta.met.police.uk/>

Upcoming meetings and events

Please come along to our police surgeries to have a chat, get crime prevention advice or raise any concerns you may have about crime in the area:

Tuesday 16th May

2-3pm

Eastcote Library

Saturday 20th May

4-5pm

McDonalds, 144 High Street, Ruislip

Friday 19th May

2-3pm

Eastcote Library

Wednesday 31st May

2-3pm

Waitrose, Ruislip

The Metropolitan Police safer transport team in conjunction with Halfords are conducting bicycle marking at the Victoria Road branch in Ruislip. This will be held on Wednesday 31st of May 2-4PM

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