

# Quorn

**Neighbourhood Watch**

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Crime Stoppers

## **Neighbourhood Watch Report 29th April to 28th March 2008**

### **Assault**

None reported.

### **Burglary dwelling**

None reported.

### **Burglary other than dwelling**

3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Overnight; A building to the rear of Rawlins campus was targeted with the apparent objective of stealing a large television inside. Fortunately, the television was bolted down and so was not stolen.
12 <sup>th</sup> May	During the evening, a garage on Woodhouse Road was targeted and power tools were stolen. We believe this was witnessed and so enquiries continue.
18 <sup>th</sup> May	Another effort to get the television from Rawlins. Those responsible didn't even get inside the building this time!
19 <sup>th</sup> May	At some point over the previous 6 days, another garage on Woodhouse Rd was targeted and golf equipment was stolen. Enquiries continue.

### **Damage**

30 <sup>th</sup> April	The glass pane on a front door in Beardsley Road was found to be damaged at some point during the previous 24 hours. There are no enquiries to follow.
11 <sup>th</sup> May	Two vehicles parked on Loughborough Road were scratched overnight. There are no enquiries to follow.
14 <sup>th</sup> May	A window on Unitt Road was damaged during the evening. We believe this was witnessed and so enquiries continue.

### **Theft**

29 <sup>th</sup> April	Overnight; hub caps were stolen from a vehicle on Peter McCaig Way. There are no enquiries to follow.
10 <sup>th</sup> May	Overnight; a Sat Nav was stolen from a vehicle on Barrow Rd, by smashing a window.

There have been only 4 reports of anti social behaviour, over the telephone, during the month of May. These were:-

10<sup>th</sup> May Loud music coming from a car parked at Stafford Orchard Park entrance, during the evening.

15<sup>th</sup> May Youths playing on the scaffolding at the church, during the evening.

16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> Youths being loud and moving wheelie bins, near to the Castledine Street flats, during the evening.

This is all low-level and is not directed at anyone in particular, so we have to see the positive side in this.

I would encourage anyone who witnesses anti-social behaviour to telephone the police at the time of the incident so that it can be properly recorded and, where possible, an officer can visit the area

at the earliest opportunity.

For a number of reasons, I have not been available recently. I am now back. As you are aware, I have a good success record so far, with a number of local issues being tackled successfully. I anticipate a rise in relatively low level anti social behaviour as the weather improves.

However, I feel it is important for the Council to note that there has been a significant improvement in the attitudes and behaviours of most of our younger neighbours and I hope they will prove this to you.

Cllr Cawdell has kept me up to date with the CCTV project. I am happy that we appear to be approaching a decision and would encourage the Council that this will allow us all to tackle any emerging (and existing) issues in the relevant area. I feel that even just the one camera will have a strong, positive effect on the community and my ability to serve you all.

**PC 1845 Mike Green**

**Beat Manager**

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**If anyone has any information regarding the above crimes please contact Mike Green**

TEL. 0116 222 2222 for reporting crimes already committed and 999 call for emergency call.

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### **Membership of Neighbourhood Watch is Free**

A number of NHW members in the North Policing Area have had leaflets dropped through their door inviting them to be members of the City and County NHW Association. The fee for each household is £7. 00. Our advice is don't pay for a service which does not have any co-ordinators or the facilities already provided the Police and the NHW Association in the North Policing Area.

### **News from South Charnwood**

1. Good news to start with! The number of reported crime has reduced over recent weeks, so hopefully we all are doing something right.
2. Theft from motor vehicles continues, with one occurrence between 7.30 pm and 8.20 pm at Deans Lane, Woodhouse Eaves on Saturday, when a leather wallet was stolen, and another occurred at Castle Hill, Country Park, Anstey. The method of entry is by smashing a window and doing a thorough search (under the dash board, boot, door pockets), so it is advisable not to leave anything in the vehicle.
3. Also the thieves are after catalytic converters, due to the precious metal that can be extracted Ford transits and hire vehicles are being targeted. Please use your garage to secure your vehicle.
4. Operation Angelfish will be continuing throughout the summer months, when officers will be confiscating alcohol from under-age drinkers Over this weekend, one occurred in Syston and another in Birstall, but there have been many over the last few weeks.
5. Officers have discovered a cannabis factory in Thurmaston and it has now been dismantled. Enquiries are continuing to identify the offenders and any information will be appreciated. Be aware of properties where the curtains are continually drawn and only sporadic visits are made to the property.
6. Also with the summer months and hopefully warmer weather approaching, please be extra vigilant about leaving doors and windows open, particularly when sitting in the garden, as it is so easy to enter a home, steal items and slip out the same way. Opportunists are just looking for this type of property.



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