

# COMMUNITY UPDATE

## SHERINGHAM SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM

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**WE ARE YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM – WANT TO GET IN TOUCH?**

**YOUR LOCAL BEAT MANAGER**

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### UPDATE FROM YOUR ENGAGEMENT OFFICER

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Chief Constable Paul Sanford is urging Norfolk residents to use the Street Safe online tool to report areas where they feel unsafe in the county.

The Street Safe tool enables anyone to anonymously flag public places and mark on a map the areas where they feel unsafe while remaining anonymous, and while anyone can use it, women and girls are particularly being encouraged to use the online platform.

Launched by the Home Office and Police Digital Service, the tool, which is being piloted across England and Wales until the end of November can be accessed by clicking on: [www.police.uk/streetsafe](http://www.police.uk/streetsafe)

If you are in immediate danger you should still call 999. Police 101 is the non-emergency number. Some charities and organisations will also be offering support, please see the list on our website if you need to contact someone for support or advice: <https://www.norfolk.police.uk/advice/assault-abuse-threats/domestic-abuse>

### WHAT'S HAPPENING IN YOUR AREA?

Sheringham Safer Neighbourhood Team held a community Safer Neighbourhood Action Panel meeting on the 8<sup>th</sup> September and gave details of the work that had taken place to deal with Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) in the area of Station Approach and Ottendorf Green, Sheringham. The increase in foot patrols, positive policing, and working with Sheringham Town Council and North Norfolk District Council had reduced the number of calls to the area relating to ASB. Residents had also noticed a fall in the numbers of persons using the area inappropriately, Patrols continue in the area to deter any further issues. The next SNAP meeting will take place on the 6<sup>th</sup> December 2021.

Officers will be working with the Sheringham Community Speed Watch to promote the scheme, as volunteers are needed bolster the team. Speeding is a concern to most communities, Community Speed Watch helps to reduce speed of vehicles using the roads, helps to educate drivers and supports Norfolk Constabulary. If you are interested in finding out more about Community Speed Watch please contact Sheringham SNT on [sntsheringham@norfolk.pnn.police.uk](mailto:sntsheringham@norfolk.pnn.police.uk)

### CURRENT NEIGHBOURHOOD PRIORITIES

- Promote Community Speed Watch in Sheringham

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Virtual SNAP Priority Setting Meeting – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> December
- Local Engagement Surgery – TBC



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### CRIME UPDATES (1st to 30th September)

Offence	Numbers	What could this entail
Arson	1	Damage caused as a result of fire.
Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB)	3	Harassment, alarm or distress is caused in a non-crime incident.
Burglary business and community	0	A person commits theft in a building or structure that is not lived in.
Burglary residential	1	Entry and theft in a building or a structure that is lived in.
Criminal Damage	3	A person destroys or damages property belonging to someone else.
Domestic	4	Domestic incidents where a crime has not occurred. Parties are aged 16 or over and have been intimate partners or family members regardless of sexuality.
Hate Incident	0	Any incident where a crime has not occurred which the victim, or anyone else, thinks is based on someone's prejudice towards them because of their race, religion, sexual orientation, disability or because they are transgender.
Race or Religious aggravated public fear	0	Any crime determined to have a hate element as per above.
Possession of controlled substance	0	Unlawful possession of a drug classified in class A, B or C.
Possession of weapons	0	Unlawful possession of an article used as a weapon.
Public fear, alarm or distress	5	Public order offences e.g. from a verbal altercation to offences just short of violence.
Robbery	0	Includes a range of offences where force is used, threatened or the victim is put in fear.
Theft from a motor vehicle	0	Any item stolen that was in, on or attached to a motor vehicle.
Theft or unauthorised taking of a motor vehicle	0	Any motor vehicle including those abandoned.
Theft of pedal cycle	0	From a public place, if stolen from a shed or garage this would be a BOTD.
Theft from a person	0	Purse being taken from a handbag, or a mobile phone from a shopping basket.



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