

# ELLERKER NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

June 2012

## Incidents

One of our local PCSOs, Jessica Watts, attended our last meeting and detailed all the incidents which have taken place this year. Fortunately Ellerker is a relatively crime free area but there were a number of incidents involving theft of metal, usually in the form of cabling, and fuel oil. All that we can do is to repeat our request to keep doors and windows locked and to be vigilant.

Humberside police tell us that approximately one third of all crimes in their area involve unsecured doors and windows.

## Holidays

Many of us will be taking our annual holiday during the next few weeks and at the risk of stating the obvious we would ask that you:-

- Cancel the papers and the post (you can get a form from the Post Office for this)
- Tell a neighbour that you are going away and ensure that someone knows the code for the alarm and has a key
- Ensure that all doors and windows are locked and that nothing valuable is left on show
- If using your car ensure that the SatNav is hidden when you leave the car and that there are no obvious signs that you have one.

## Bikes

.Theft of bicycles is always a problem. To ensure that the police can return your bike to you if it is found please ensure that you have a record of the frame number which can usually be found near the pedal axle.

There are secure websites on the internet where you can store details of the serial numbers of a wide range of your possessions.

## Dog Fouling

We continue to receive complaints about people not cleaning up after their dogs. If you witness any such antisocial behaviour please ring the police on 101 who will issue a fixed penalty notice to offenders. The dog fouling notices in the village have been repainted and we also have some new stickers, if you want one of these please contact Mike. Parker

### Annual General Meeting

At the AGM the existing officers were re-elected unopposed and a new Constitution was adopted. If you are interested in this please contact our Secretary, Mike Parker, on 421132.

The officers are:-

Chairman - John Timperley

Vice Chairman - David Wood

Secretary - Mike Parker

Treasurer - Janet Green

### Communications

Our job is to help to keep the village safe and secure. If you see or hear anything suspicious please tell the police and your local co-coordinator, their phone numbers are at the end of this newsletter. If we hear of a serious matter which merits informing the whole village your coordinators will contact every house by putting a note through the door. Less serious matters are usually resolved by us talking with the local Police Community Support Officers who are always very helpful.

John Timperley, Chairman. Telephone 425288

Police telephone numbers: - 101 or in an emergency 999

Your coordinators are

If you are unable to reach them please contact Janet Green on 423601

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