

ELLERKER NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

June 2016

Incidents

We have had no incidents reported in the last six months other than fly tipping on farmland but we have to face the fact that there are dishonest people wandering around the area during the hours of darkness and whilst it is unlikely that they pose any danger to residents they will help themselves to anything of any value which is easily portable. Please be on your guard and keep everything of value locked up.

Immobilise.com

The police are often unable to identify the owners of property which they recover. Please consider entering details of your valuables on immobilise.com, a site to which only the police have access, so that in the unfortunate event of loss or burglary the police know what they are looking for.

Alarms

We repeat our plea to owners of houses with burglar alarms to ensure that a trusted local friend or relation is able to turn the alarm off if it false alarms whilst you are out or away.

Safe and Sound Grants

Grants of up to £1000 are available to provide home security measures for eligible residents. Details are on the back of this newsletter.

Help Available

Residents from HMP Humber have found the recent projects with which they have been involved in in Ellerker, namely the refurbishment of the notice boards and the Millennium Bench and 'Clean for the Queen', both worthwhile and enjoyable. They are keen, as is the Governor, for them to undertake other practical projects in and for the local community. This helps enormously with their rehabilitation back into society, particularly when they are working alongside volunteers from the community.

If any of the committees in the village have projects with which they need help, then please contact Claire Wood (424474), who can advise on the process to secure their support.

No Cold Calling Zone

Most of the village is now covered by this. You should not get any more unsolicited calls but if you do please ring either the police on 101 or your NHW coordinator.

Neighbourhood Watch Quiz

This will be held in the Village Hall on Friday 21st October. We will be contacting all the village groups/societies shortly to ask for their support.

Your coordinator is John Timperley 425288

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

Please report any incidents to them or to the police on 101

John Timperley, Chairman.