

ELLERKER NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

September 2013

Incidents

I am pleased to report that the only incident we are aware of in the past three months was a young gentleman with no licence or insurance who managed to write off his grandfather's car on Willow Flats. He did not have permission to use the car but fortunately he didn't injure himself or anyone else.

Lock Snapping

This is a method said by some police forces to be used in up to 50% of illegal entries to premises. Most modern doors are fitted with "eurolocks" which can be broken by thieves quite easily but snap proof replacement locks are now available. Full details of what is involved and how to prevent it can be found at www.ourwatch.org.uk

Visibility

Although we have new street lights much of the village is in darkness at night which makes it very difficult for motorists to see people walking on the roads. Please ensure that you and particularly your children wear something light and preferably reflective when you go out at night. This is particularly important if your children are going out collecting at Halloween.

Sports Day

The winner of the Neighbourhood Watch Trophy and Gold Medal was Toby Frary. Silver medallist was Sam Hurley and Olivia Hurley was Bronze Medallist. Congratulations to all of them.

Dog Fouling

This is still a problem in the village. If you witness anyone failing to clean up after their dog or throwing poop bags into hedgerows the council ask that you ring 01482 396301 or e-mail pest.dog@eastriding.gov.uk. If we could catch one of the offenders and have them fined it might deter the others.

Coordinators

We are delighted to welcome a new member to our committee, Linda Wilson, who will be helping as a coordinator in the central village area.

Your coordinators are

John Timperley 425288

Linda Wilson
Blacksmith's Cottage

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

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

John Timperley, Chairman.
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