



LYNDHURST & ASHURST SAFER NEIGHBOURHOODS REPORT. SEPTEMBER 2009



Sgt Brian Goodhall

Neighbourhood Priorities for Lyndhurst and Ashurst are:

1. To work with all partner agencies to ensure that issues affecting the quality of life in residential areas are dealt with promptly and effectively.
2. Through high visibility cycle and foot patrols, to challenge and deal firmly with those engaged in anti-social behaviour in public places, in particular swearing, spitting, littering and dog fouling.
3. Patrolling of New Forest car parks to help reduce vehicle crime.

Sgt Brian Goodhall (left), heads up the Safer Neighbourhoods team for New Forest North.



PC Andy White

Crime Summary:

There were 73 reported incidents in September

- Assault – 1
- Criminal Damage – 0
- Theft from Motor Vehicle – 2
- Theft of Vehicle – 0
- Theft – 7
- Road Traffic Incidents – 5
- Dwelling Burglary – 1
- Non Dwelling Burglary – 5

Assault:

The only assault recorded was against a police officer while dealing with a prisoner in the custody centre

Theft from Motor Vehicle:

Two cars were broken into at Andrew Mares car park



PCSO Lisa Quinn

Theft:

An elderly man who lives alone in Lyndhurst had money taken. The suspect was identified, arrested and charged with the offence.

Someone stole a purse from a closed handbag while in a Lyndhurst charity shop.

Theft from a charity box in the public library in Lyndhurst.

Local convenience store in Ashurst was subject to shoplifting.

Scrap metal fittings were stolen from carport.

A mountain bike was stolen from compound at the Happy Cheese, Ashurst.

Non-Dwelling Burglary:

A Lyndhurst hotel was a victim of distraction burglary where a man made off with money from a till.

Three motorbikes were stolen from a shed in Ashurst after offenders removed the shed door from its hinges. One motorbike has since been recovered.

Someone broke into a garage and stole four mountain bikes and several petrol driven items.

If you have information about criminal offences or who might be involved, please contact your local Safer Neighbourhoods team on 101 or e-mail them on new.forest.north.snt@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

or visit them at their monthly Beat Surgeries held at:

Lyndhurst Community Centre, 6-7pm
on the 2nd Tuesday of every month

Colbury Church Hall, Ashurst, 6-7pm
on the 3rd Tuesday of every month



To report anti-social behaviour and neighbourhood issues, call 101.



In an emergency, dial 999.

