



# LYNDHURST & ASHURST SAFER NEIGHBOURHOODS REPORT APRIL 2010



Sgt Phil Raymond

Welcome to the latest newsletter from your Safer Neighbourhoods team for Lyndhurst and Ashurst.

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There were 73 reported incidents in April.

### Burglary

There was only one dwelling burglary this month which was in Wood Road, Ashurst. The offenders smashed a conservatory window to gain access to the house and steal a large quantity of jewellery.

### Burglary – non dwelling

Storage sheds were broken into at the rear of a charity shop in Lyndhurst High Street and clothing was stolen. Also, a rare valuable four wheel driving carriage was stolen from a barn in Emery Down.

### Assault

None of the assaults reported this month were of a serious nature.

### Theft from motor vehicles

There were six vehicles broken into in April. Three of these were at the Andrew Mares car park. Please remember to remove all valuables from your vehicles. Even hiding them in the boot or under the seat is not enough, as often the thieves are waiting and watching people as they leave their vehicles.

### Theft

A shop in Lyndhurst had a selection of jewellery stolen from a display cabinet and a taxi driver had a customer refuse to pay in Lyndhurst High Street.

Current Safer Neighbourhoods team priorities include:

1. Reducing rowdy behaviour
2. Patrolling New Forest car parks to help reduce vehicle crime.

### Criminal damage

Two men have been arrested in connection with criminal damage offences to a dwelling on Lyndhurst Road, Ashurst.

In separate incidents, a car was damaged and had a tyre slashed in Acres Down car park and a horse box had its tyres damaged in Woodlands.

### Rowdy and Inconsiderate behaviour

A motorist was the victim of road rage in Southampton Road, when the offending driver reversed into their car.

In response to concerns expressed by the community, we will be conducting extra patrols of the parks and open spaces, where drinking can take place, over the spring and summer months to help reduce rowdy and anti-social behaviour.

We will also be conducting extra patrols of the Forest car parks due to the number of thefts from motor vehicles.

### Beat Surgeries - Come and meet us!



### Budgens, High Street, Lyndhurst

The first Wednesday of every month, 11am - 12pm

### The Welcome Store, Ashurst

The first Wednesday of every month, 1pm - 2pm

Call the Safer Neighbourhoods team on 101 or email: [fordingbridge.snt@hampshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:fordingbridge.snt@hampshire.pnn.police.uk)



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In an emergency, dial 999.

