



COUNTRY WATCH

Western Weekly:

17th April 2014

Colleagues,

This week's newsletter comes to you a day early due to the Easter break. Next week I am taking a short break and PC Scott Graham will be sending you the newsletter.

Please take extra care if walking in the New Forest or parking your car at beauty spot car parks over the Easter weekend as with an increase in visitors, we are likely to see an increase in thefts from vehicles in these areas. Don't leave your possessions in the car, not even if you have hidden them.

Spring is also likely to see the emergence of foals over the next few weeks so please be on the look out for them on the forest and bear in mind when you are driving along unfenced forest roads.

The improvement in the weather will also see people letting their dogs out into their gardens unattended. Please keep an eye on them. There are dog thieves about and also check your gates and fences to ensure they cannot escape. We are still receiving reports of dogs worrying livestock.

Have a lovely Easter and please take care on the roads which are likely to be busy over the weekend.

Kind Regards

Debby Holman
Western Country Watch Sergeant

Rural Theft

- 14/04 Marchwood Copper cabling stolen from electricity posts
- 14/04 Lyndhurst Club house for football club broken into, damage done and a silver trophy, football kit and balls stolen
- 12/04 Fordingbridge 2 secure cycles stolen.
- 12/04 West Wellow Unknown persons seen on private land suspected travellers.
- 13/04 Ringwood Garden trellis damaged and partially removed.
- 13/04 Totton Integral garage broken into £450 mountain bike stolen.
- 13/04 Fawley Mudguard from tractor removed valued at £700.
- 13/04 Fordingbridge Childrens recreation area set fire to £2000 damage.
- 14/04 Totton Insecure shed entered items stolen to include dog leads/Pool filter.
- 14/04 Totton Several concrete blocks removed from building in an attempt to remove metal used for milling.
- 13/04 Hamble 8 batteries stolen from temporary traffic light pods.
- 13/04 Eastleigh Garden shed broken into 3 chairs and camping table stolen.
- 14/04 Burseldon Insecure bicycle stolen from rear driveway.

- 14/04 Botley Secure van broken into within secure yard nil stolen.
- 14/04 Lymington Metal gates to field stolen.
- 15/04 Romsey Garden shed entered by removing hinge bolts nil stolen.
- 15/04 Ringwood Summer house entered by removing window small table stolen.
- 16/04 Lymington Small amount of scrap metal stolen from local tip overnight.

Poaching

- 12/04 Keyhaven Roe deer remains found butchered and dumped in plastic bags roadside.
- 14/04 Romsey Illegal fishing warning letters sent Police dealing.

Fly Tipping

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| 08/04/2014 | Fly Tipping | Large fly tip of general waste | Stoney Cross |
| 08/04/2014 | Fly Tipping | Garden Waste | Hawkhill |
| 10/04/2014 | Fire | Report of a car on fire/suicide | Blackwater |
| 10/04/2014 | Fly Tipping | Waste oil dumped on green. | Yew Tree Heath |
| 11/04/2014 | Fly Tipping | Green waste | Barrow Moor |
| 11/04/2014 | Fly Tipping | 4 black bin liners of food waste and food packets. Delivery note found on site | Bull Hill |
| 12/04/2014 | Fly Tipping | Television, mattress, side table. | Osmonds Bushes |
| 14/04/2014 | Fly Tipping | Washing machine | Wootton Bridge |
| 14/04/2014 | Fly Tipping | Timber | Brownhills |
| 14/04/2014 | Fly Tipping | Children's toys and a table (table looks to be from a set, of which one was collected on 14/04/14 from same location) | Osmonds Bushes |

Theft From Motor Vehicle

- 11/04 Martin Theft from car parked at Sillens Lane Car Park. Entry gained by damaging door locks with a sharp implement. Handbag stolen from boot.
- 16/04/14 Ringwood 10 litres of diesel siphoned from parked HGV offender fled when disturbed by driver.
- 16/04/14 Ringwood Vehicle broken in to tools stolen.

Off-Road Vehicles

- 11/04 Burley Report of 2 boys riding an offroad motorcycle at Holmsley on the New Forest and riding at the horses scaring them. Culprits not located on police attendance.
- 11/04 Ashurst Report from horse rider that she has seen two off road motorcycles being ridden in Ironshill Inclosure – riders rode off when noticed they were being watched.
- 12/04 Thorney Hill Off roading bikes in local field.
- 12/04 Romsey Motorbikes seen riding in field Police called gone on arrival

Animal Accidents

Week commencing MONDAY 7 APRIL 2014

| Day | Date | Time | Details | Location | Agister |
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| Thursday | 10/04/2014 | 11:00 pm | Brown Pony - Injured & Destroyed | Bwtn Wootton Bridge and the Rising Sun pub | R Maton |