BIDFORD ON AVON PARISH COUNCIL In the County of Warwickshire



This crime summary is a look at the crimes of public interest that occurred on the Bidford, Great Alne and Long Marston policing area over the last 14 days. We do not as normal practice include crimes of shoplifting, bilking, domestic violence or fraud. Week ending Friday 6th October 2006





BURGLARY DWELLING

Between 1945 hours and 20.45 hours on 25th September 06 unknown offender/s approached a property on Falcon Crescent, Bidford on Avon. They have entered the rear garden by climbing a high wall and kicking through the rear door. An untidy search of cabinets has been made and numerous pieces of porcelain removed. Believed offender/s were disturbed by owners returning as stolen property was found discarded by the rear fence.

Incident number 616 of 25th September 06 refers.

Some time prior to 30th September 06 unknown offender/s approached an empty property on Tower Close, Bidford on Avon. They then smashed a pane of glass in the rear porch and entered via the unlocked front door. Nothing believed stolen. Incident number 370 of 30th September 06 refers.



BURGLARY COMMERCIAL AND OTHER BUILDING

Between 2100 hours on 24th September 06 and 0900 hours on 25th September 06 unknown offender/s approached brick built buildings adjacent to a farm in Irons Cross, Salford Priors. They have then stolen a 14lb sledgehammer and some bails of hay. Incident number 218 of 25th September 06 refers.

Some time prior to 28th September 06 unknown offender/s approached business premises in Bidford on Avon. They then rammed both gates and broken into the offices. Once inside they have stolen fire extinguishers, first aid kits and keys from the key safe. Incident number 93 of 28th September 06 refers.

Between 1530 hours and 1630 hours on 2nd October 06 unknown offender/s approached a property in Dorsington, Stratford on Avon. They then used a wide bladed instrument to lever the door to a detached annex building. Once inside they forced open an empty cash box. Offender/s have also stolen two bikes from outside. Incident number 569of 2nd October 06 refers.



Between 0900 hours and 0930 hours on 28th September 06 unknown offender/s approached a property on Old School Mead, Bidford. They have then stolen a trials bike from the driveway. Possibly either taken in a vehicle or pushed away. Incident number 129 of 28th September 06 refers.



CRIMINAL DAMAGE

Between 2100 hours on 23rd September 06 and 0730 hours on 24th September 06 unknown offender/s approached a silver Ford Explorer parked on a driveway on Turnpike Drive, Lower Quinton. They have then thrown a pot at the vehicle causing scratching to the bonnet and cracking the windscreen.

Incident number 208 of 24th September 06 refers.

Some time prior to 4th October 06 unknown offender/s approached a motor vehicle parked on Turnpike Drive, Lower Quinton. They then used a sharp object to slash the rear off side tyre.

Incident number 139 of 4th October 06 refers.



THEFT

Between 2200 hours on 22nd September 06 and 0800 hours on 25th September 06 unknown offender/s approached a tractor parked on Station Road, Salford Priors. They then gained entry to the tractor cab by forcing the rear window latch. Once inside they have stolen a fitted radio and a socket set.

Incident number 406 of 27th September 06 refers.

In the week prior to 25th September 06 unknown offender/s have approached a Rover 75 Classic motor vehicle parked on High Street, Bidford on Avon. They have then stolen both front and rear vehicle registration plates.

Incident number 344 of 25th September 06 refers.

At approximately 0330 hours on 26th September 06 unknown offender/s approached a motor vehicle parked in Marleigh Road, Bidford on Avon. They then smashed the rear tail gate window to gain entry. Once inside they have stolen a black rifle bag containing a B B gun.

Incident number 76 of 26th September 06 refers.

At approximately 2020 hours on 1st October 06 two males approached a Scania lorry parked at Atherstone Airfield. They have then stolen a quantity of diesel from the lorry. Incident number 375 of 2nd October 06 refers.

Between 2100 hours and 2120 hours on 2nd October unknown offender/s approached a motor vehicle parked in Saxonfields car park, Bidford on Avon. They then gained entry by smashing the rear near side window. Once inside they have stolen a briefcase from the footwell.

Incident number 662 of 2nd October 06 refers.

Between 0100 hours and 0740 hours on 5th October 06 unknown offender/s approached two white Fiat Diablo vans parked on a driveway in Priors Grange, Salford Priors. They then gained entry by punching the skin of the sliding nearside door next to the doorlock. Once inside they have stolen a quantity of power tools.

Incident number 100 of 5th October 06 refers.





BE AWARE

If you have any information or have witnessed the above incidents, please can you contact Alcester Police on 01789 762207. Thank you. Please note Alcester Police station is temporarily based at the former Alcester Infant School, Moorfield Road, Alcester (towards Somerfield).

All to note a Public Service Desk at Headquarters is now operational. The Public Service Desk (PSD) is designed to put Police Officers back in the control room, thus enabling a better service delivery to members of the public wishing to speak to a Police Officer on any matter which does not necessarily need Police deployment. Anybody wishing to speak to the Police about any issue that does not require a Police Officer to attend can do so via this Desk. Contacting any of the Police station telephone numbers will direct you to the switchboard where you can then ask for the Public Service Desk.

We are often asked the best way to report an incident or to make contact with a Police officer. Should a member of the public witness or be affected by a crime whereby there is a threat of injury, injury or damage or theft of property and the

incident is ongoing and offenders are still at the scene, they should ring 999, classed as an emergency or an immediate response incident.

Should the incident have already occurred and is not ongoing, for example waking up and find your car has been broken into, you should ring one of the normal Police station numbers and ask to report a crime or an incident. You will be put through to the force control room or the crime desk. Please ask for an 'incident number' – you should be given one. If a crime has been committed against you, you will be given a crime reference number by the crime desk or by the officer who attends the incident. Such incidents are 'managed' and you should be given an indication of when an officer can attend.

If you wish to speak to an officer about a non-urgent matter, please use the list of contacts, which are always included in our newsletters.

Hopefully the Public Help Desk will help members of the public when they wish to speak to the Police.

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If you did have information regarding the displayed incidents, but for whatever reason do not wish to contact the police directly, then you can ring 0800 555 111 and give the information to the Crimestoppers Charity. Crimestoppers will then pass the information to the Police without revealing any details of the caller. You may also receive a reward.

BIDFORD, GREAT ALNE AND LONG MARSTON COMMUNITY POLICING TEAM

Below is a list of some of officers on the community Policing Team who police your communities – please feel free to contact the team direct.

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