

Alcester - Bidford on Avon - Welford on Avon - Kinwarton - Aston Cantlow - Temple Grafton - Salford Priors

INCIDENT OVERVIEW

Incidents recorded for the Alcester South Safer Neighbourhood Team for March 2010:

<i>Incident Type</i>	<i>MARCH 2009</i>	<i>MARCH 2010</i>
Anti Social Behaviour	42	49
Burglary Dwelling	3	7
Burglary Other	10	10
Criminal Damage	12	17
Theft form Motor Vehicle	15	7
Theft of Motor Vehicle	3	2
Violence	12	12

* FIGURES CORRECT AS OF TUE 30TH MAR 2010.

CRIME IN YOUR AREA

This section looks at the crimes of public interest that have occurred on the Alcester South Safer Neighbourhood Team policing beat, crimes such as burglary, theft, auto crime and criminal damage:



BURGLARY.

- ❖ Break ins/Burglaries up slightly this again this month, with farms continuing to be the main target. Inc 49/030810 relates to Aluminium panels and wheels being stolen from Coughton.



AUTOCRIME.

- ❖ Thefts from motor vehicles and thefts of Motor vehicles both down on this time last year.
- ❖ Sets of Number plates were stolen from Jubilee Close in Bidford, and Grafton Lane, Bidford. Inc 238/300310 and Inc 73/290310 respectively.
- ❖ A hard top from a blue MG was taken from Roman Way, Alcester. Inc 145/310310.
- ❖ Sets of wheels were taken from a VW Transporter on Queensway, Bidford overnight on Thursday 18th March, Inc 78/190310 and from a Skoda Fabia on Aluana Avenue in Alcester overnight of the 23rd March, Inc 271/24/0310.



THEFT.

- ❖ A large amount of Aquatic equipment was taken from Clifford Chambers. Offenders have broken in via a fire exit and took approximately £1000 of fish tanks and filters. Inc 92/060310.
- ❖ A large number of metal poles, 1.7metres in length, costing £10 each, used for growing strawberries were stolen from a farm in Dunnington. Inc 180/270310
- ❖ Around 3000litres of diesel was stolen from a farm in Bidford over the weekend of 20th/21st March. Inc 77/220310.
- ❖ A white compressor with the lettering "Morgamest" and the numbers "COM00089" in purple was taken from and address on the Industrial estate in Alcester o the night of 16th March. Inc 07/170310.



CRIMINAL DAMAGE.

- ❖ Inc 51/030310 & 72/030310 relates to damage done to vehicles at the bottom end of High St, Bidford. Unknown offender(s) have scratched body panels on two cars causing considerable damage.

INFORMATION & ADVICE

Car crime can be a big worry for motorists. Protect your car by following our simple advice from crimestoppers-uk.org - it might just be enough to deter thieves from targeting your car.

- Lock the doors and close the windows when you leave your car, however long you are leaving it for.
- When parking at home, always use your garage if you have one and lock both your vehicle and your garage.
- If you don't have a garage, try to park in a well-lit, open place.
- When parking outside, always try to park your car in an attended car park.
- Don't leave anything on display. Even an old coat or plastic bag can be a tempting target for a thief.
- Remove the stereo if you can.
- Don't keep valuables or important documents in the glove box. Leave the glove box open to show there's nothing inside.
- Tuck in wing mirrors and put the aerial down to discourage vandals.
- Never store your car's documents in the car.
- Have the windows etched with the car's vehicle registration number (VRN) and make a note of its chassis number.
- Keep your car keys in a safe place, even in your house, so that someone breaking-in cannot steal your car too.
- Secure your wheels using locking wheel nuts.
- Mark all equipment, e.g. car stereo, with your car registration number.
- Get an alarm fitted. Alarms can deter thieves not only from stealing your vehicle, but also from taking items from it. You can get more information about alarms, immobilisers and other security devices by phoning the Vehicle Security National Help line on **0870 550 2006** or the Sold Secure Help line on **01327 264 687**



 **CRIMESTOPPERS**
0800 555 111
Call anonymously with information about crime



Joining Neighbourhood Watch

For anyone interested in setting up a Neighbourhood Watch scheme around Alcester or getting involved they can email: nhwalcester@aol.com To find out more info about Neighbourhood Watch in general, just click on the link [Neighbourhood Watch Association](#).

WE NEED YOUR HELP NEEDED...

WHO IS "HALLIX"?

We are still looking for the elusive "Hallix" who is responsible for the stencil like pictures around Bidford.

If you have any ideas who "Hallix" is or see anyone spraying graffiti, then please contact us **01789 762207** or email peter.groom@warwickshire.police.uk



HAVE YOU SEEN THIS MAN?

Police continue to look for this man who attacked a young girl in Southam on Tuesday 9th February 2010. The incident featured on the BBC CrimeWatch on Monday 29th March but we still need your help.

If you know him or where he is, please email opbretona@warwickshire.police.pnn.uk or call **01926 415000**

And Remember....

Never Open the Door to Strangers

&

Always stick together and avoid walking alone



ALCESTER SOUTH SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD PRIORITIES

Current priorities as chosen by members of the public at the last Community Forum held 09/02/10 at Temple Grafton Village Hall:

Anti Social Behaviour around Alcester, especially the Hopkins Precinct. ASB in the vicinity of Hopkins Precinct, Alcester. 20 directed patrols to be carried out to enforce dispersal area introduced in this area on 1st February 2010, which will run until 1st August 2010. Consultation is to take place between residents, shop owners, landlords and partner agencies to develop action plan. Work is continuing in this area to provide youth and family facilities.

Vehicle Crime in Bidford on Avon and Welford. *Autocrime. 12 x 2 hour patrols in relation to a recent increase in vehicle crime in Bidford on Avon and Welford wards. Implement crime prevention messages through newsletter circulation.*

Anti Social Behaviour around Bidford on Avon. *ASB within Bidford on Avon at weekend evenings in vicinity of Wards Lane, Marleigh Park, High Street and allotments near to Crawford Hall. Damage has been caused to fencing and allotment poly tunnels. 15 directed patrols to these areas, full use to be made of Stratford district Council ASB officer in terms of referrals.*

The Next Community Forum will be held on Tuesday 22nd June 2010 @ 6pm. Venue TBC

GOOD NEWS

- A games night was held at Alcester Pavilions. There was a mixture of Playstations, xBox 360's, Nintendo Wii's and local youths were invited to pop along and take part. The night was a great success and enjoyed by all, and gave the kids something more fun to do than hang around Tesco's. It is hoped to have further such events soon.
- A large quantity of alcohol was seized from youths around Alcester after an operation on Friday 12th March. Anti Social Behaviour letters have been sent to all those involved with a view to possible prosecutions for further offences.



- Officers from the Alcester South Team are currently trialling handheld Blackberry/PDA devices with a view to rolling them out Force wide. Officers can check on people and vehicle details at the roadside without having to tie up the Airwaves. In addition they can send and receive emails and take photos of incidents as well as updating jobs out on the street.
- A 20 years old Alcester man was charged with Damage to the Town Hall in Alcester back in February.
- The probation service are set to come and clear the graffiti and plant bushes in Marleigh Park, Bidford on Wednesday 7th April.

MEETINGS/EVENTS

- Alcester Town Council Surgery. Meet members of the Safer Neighbourhood Team along with Town Councillors to discuss local issues. Saturday 3rd April at Church House, Butter St, Alcester 10.00 - 12.000
- "How to Drug Proof your Kids" workshop Wednesday 5th May 2010 7pm - 9pm at The Greig Centre. Contact Zoe Langley at Alcester High School for details of this and other drug awareness events for parents.
- "Cyber Safety" workshop Thursday 21st April at Alcester High School 7pm - 9pm. For parents with children in Years 4 to 9, how to keep your kids safe online when using social networking websites. Contact Zoe Langley at Extended Services at Alcester High School for details.
- The mobile Police Station is out in Alcester on Thursday 8th April from 9.30am - 12.30pm at both Waitrose and Tesco Express. Your chance to meet local officers and raise any concerns.
- The mobile Police Station is out in Bidford on Friday 9th April. 9.30am - 12.30pm at Budgens and 2.00pm - 3.30pm on the high Street.

MONTHLY MESSAGE:

"IT WOULD BE HARD TO SINGLE OUT ANY AREA OF SERVICE DELIVERY FOR PARTICULAR PRAISE AS PERFORMANCE ACROSS THE FORCE AS A WHOLE HAS BEEN EXCEPTIONAL. BY ANY MEASURE WE HAVE DELIVERED SIGNIFICANTLY MORE PROTECTION DURING THE PAST TWELVE MONTHS THAN THE YEAR BEFORE." **MR. KEITH BRISTOW, CHIEF CONSTABLE**

CONTACTING US:

If you wish to speak with an officer about a non-urgent matter, please use the list of contacts below:

Alcester South Safer Neighbourhood Team
Alcester Police Station
Priory Road
Alcester
Warwickshire
B49 5DZ

To contact the Safer Neighbourhood Team about a non-urgent matter, please telephone: **01789 762207** or leave a Voicemail on **01789 444816** alternatively E-Mail us at: alcestersouth.snt@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk



But remember, if it's an emergency or you can see something bad happening call us on **999 or 112 ASAP.**

Regards
Alcester South Safer Neighbourhood Team.

YOUR SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM

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