



Community Council Report

This report covers progress we have made in dealing with your priorities for the Craigiebuckler & Seafield Community Council.

The report aims to highlight emerging issues in your area, and to provide crime prevention advice and guidance to Community Council members and residents you represent. Our focus is to reduce crime and disorder, help create safer communities and respond effectively to local concerns.

Community Policing Priorities

Antisocial behaviour, Violence and Disorder:

On the 29th of Feb, the resident of Craigiebuckler Avenue called and reported that the neighbouring properties window had been smashed, officers attended and got the property resecured. The incident occurred late in the evening and there was no CCTV of the incident.

On the same evening the resident of Craigden had a stone thrown from the Woodend Bridge towards the back of their house, resulting in a large double glazed window smash. Due to the location, there are numerous avenues to escape on foot, a CCTV trawl was carried out, however no one was identified. This would have been the 3rd time this has happened to this property in the last 2 months. The resident can give no reason why they are being targeted.

On the 10th of March, a taxi driver was driving along Queens Road when he had a stone thrown at his windscreen which caused it to shatter. The 3 youths were described as dressed all in black and they were seen to run off down one of the side streets. Luckily there was no injuries to the taxi driver or the passengers in the car.

Acquisitive Crime:

The filling station on Springfield Road reported 2 fuel drive offs on the 7th of March, as the store had allowed them to leave after filling in an agreement to return and pay for the fuel, it therefor becomes a civil dispute, and the store will have to reclaim the money.

Road Safety & Road Crime:

On the 27th of Feb between 2 vehicles, at the junction of Royfold Crescent and Queens Road, whilst the damage and both parties exchanged details, one of the drivers

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appears to have given false contact details and the driver of the affected car is unable to contact them. Suitable advice was given to the driver regarding Insurance Companies being able to access the DVLA details and directed it to them.

Community Engagement & Reassurance

There has been a number of complaints regarding youths from Hazlehead Academy congregating in the high-rise flats around the schools, during lunch breaks and after school, with some of the behaviour getting very dangerous with items being set alight in communal areas. As a result, Police worked with a number of residents who had CCTV images of some of the incidents and identified the youths. They were thereafter sent letters by both the school and Early Interventions Officers regarding their behaviour. Scottish Fire and Rescue also organised an open evening for the residents of the effected high rises. This was attended by all agencies, Police SFR, Aberdeen City Council, Housing Officers, and Councillor Grieg. This was well attended and give the residents safety and security advise.

Follow us on Twitter @NorthEPolice #WestEndCPT

Also available are the following contact email addresses for the West End:

AberdeenSouthCPT@scotland.police.uk

The primary purpose of this e-mail addresses is for residents to **report non-criminal queries**, such as passing attentions, information, advice and non-criminal quality of life issues, such as youth annoyance. These e-mail addresses are not for reporting crimes or offences.

Should you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to discuss these with the Officer attending your Community Council Meeting or by emailing the above e-mail addresses or our Service Centre. It is not necessary to wait until the meeting and your local CPT Inspector, PI Searle welcomes your contact.

Contact Us

- Always dial **999** in an emergency
- By phone – 101 for non-emergencies (+44 (0) 141 308 1070 if calling from out with the UK. Network charges may apply).
- Our service advisors spend a lot of time each day answering calls on matters that are not actually the responsibility of the police. Please read the **Read this before you call 101** page first to ensure Police Scotland can assist with your non-emergency issue.
- Online – for issues of a non-serious nature using our **Contact Us form**
- In person – Find your local [Police Stations](#) and check the [Public Counter opening hours](#)
- Text Relay - 18001101 for deaf, deafened, hard of hearing or speech-impaired callers

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- [Support for British Sign Language users/speakers](#)
- 0800 555 111 - Crimestoppers.

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