



Sanderstead Update June 2017



Dear Ward Member

Welcome to the latest edition of the Sanderstead update. We would like to give you an update about crime and policing information in the Sanderstead area, which also includes parts of Riddlesdown and Hamsey Green.

Local police officers together with the ward panel members for Sanderstead have set three 'ward promises'. These promises are what your local policing team will focus their efforts on in order to reduce crime in the area.

PROMISES

Burglary

Over the last 4 weeks Sanderstead had a total of 11 residential burglaries and non-residential burglaries (●) as marked on the map. Sanderstead had number of break-ins from garages during the late evening of Tuesday 27th June into the early hours of Wednesday 28th June 2017 in Theresa's Walk, off St Mary's Road in Sanderstead. The suspect(s) has managed to break in to at least seven garages in the area. Although it is not clear at this time if anything has been stolen, it appears the suspect has been looking for specific items, such as power tools. Burglars will usually try a shed or garage first before they burgle a house or business because they can find the tools they need to get into the building. For further advice visit <https://www.met.police.uk/crime-prevention/non-residential-burglary/secure-shed-garage/>

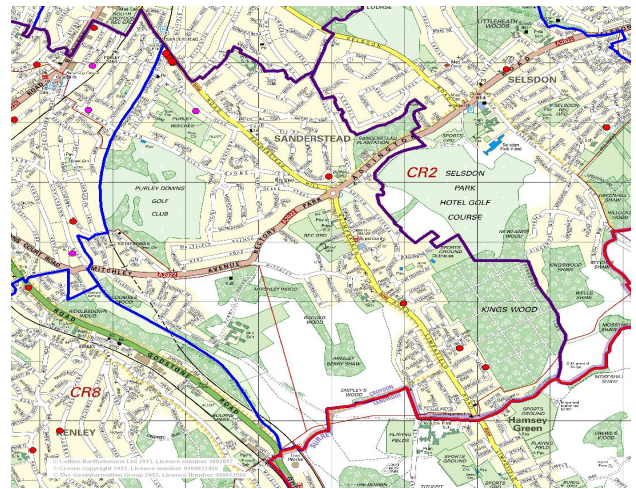
Motor Vehicle Crime

Over the last 4 weeks Sanderstead had just 1 'theft from motor vehicle' as marked on the map (●) Don't let thieves get an easy ride. Locking your vehicle, even when filling up or parked on your drive, greatly reduces the possibility of it being targeted by an opportunist thief. Even if you have locked your vehicle, check you haven't left any windows or the sunroof open. It is actually illegal to leave your vehicle running unattended while you put the air condition on to cool your vehicle or warm it up in cold weather. If someone takes it while it's left like this, your insurer won't pay out because you won't be covered.

Anti-Social Behaviour

The team continues to work hard to reduce all forms of Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) on the ward. The team regularly patrols areas such as Sanderstead Recreation Ground and Wettern Tree Garden at relevant times of the day.

Gruffy Fayre - Sanderstead/Selsdon officers attended the Gruffy Fayre. We were glad to see many residents from the ward attend. This is always a great way to meet the residents of Sanderstead. If there are any upcoming events that you would like us to attend, just let us know.



OTHER NEWS

School Presentations

It's has been a month of presentations by Sanderstead officers. We have visited Ridgeway Primary, Atwood Primary Academy and Riddlesdown Collegiate. Workshops and classes were led by PC Wilson and included subjects relevant to each year group.



MEETINGS

The next **'Street Briefing'** will be held at Riddlesdown Common car park, Riddlesdown Road, CR8 on Saturday 22nd July at 11.15am.

The next **'Ward Panel Public Meeting'** will be held at Riddlesdown Collegiate, Honister Heights, Purley CR8 1EX on 28th September at 6.30pm

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