

# Park Hill & Whitgift Newsletter

## Youth Engagement:

I went to Park Hill Infant School on Monday 15/07/2024 and spoke with a Year 1 pupil, who is interested in Police. The visit left a lasting impression!

*'I liked it a lot when the police came. We had juice and biscuits and I saw his walkie talkie that he catches the bandits with! The police walk around the school to make sure its safe and no bandits come in. Can he come back again as I want to find out what he's been doing'.*

## Cuppa With A Copper

Monday 30/09/2024

1430 – 1530 hours

Lloyd Park Café;

Monday 14/10/2024

1430 – 1530 hours

Lloyd Park Café

Monday 25/11/2024

1430 – 1530 hours

Lloyd Park Café

Monday 16/12/2024

1430 – 1530 hours

Lloyd Park Café



Receiving my  
Coronation Medal

## Ward Panel Meeting & AGM – Thursday 22/08/2024

Chair – Graham Lyon; Vice Chair – Natasha Parry; &  
Secretary – Sunetra Chakravarti

The following are the new ward priorities:

1. Protection of Women & Children;
2. Motor Vehicle Crime; &
3. Burglary



## JUNE

Classification	Location	Date	Time
Theft From Motor Vehicle – The victim left the vehicle, when they returned the next day, the front and rear number plates had been stolen.	Engadine Close	05/06/2024- 06/06/2024	1900-0900
Burglary – The suspect(s) appear to have come through the car park, and round to the rear, using the footpath. The point of entry was via the fire exit doors in the rear of the Church after 2/3 failed attempts at the rear of the Church. Cash and small items of silverware were stolen, and various items damaged in a variety of locations within the building.	St Matthew’s Church, Chichester Road	08/06/2024- 09/06/2024	2300-0755
Theft of Motor Vehicle – The vehicle was left locked and secured outside the address. When the victim looked the next day, the vehicle had gone. The victim retains both sets of keys, in the vehicle were some items of clothing and footwear, and also a blue Disability badge.	Chiltern Close	13/06/2024- 14/06/2024	2200-0830
Theft of a Motor Vehicle – The victim parked their car on the driveway, and it was locked and secured. Two suspects took seconds to steal the victim’s vehicle. The vehicle had a tracker, however this was disabled within 5 minutes if the vehicle being stolen.	Fitzjames Avenue	17/06/2024	2205-2230

## JULY

Classification	Location	Date	Time
<p>Theft of Motor Vehicle – The suspects forced open the electric gates, and the vehicle from the driveway. The victim still has the keys.</p> <p>The vehicle was recovered the following day from SE23, the victim came and collected it.</p>	Ranmore Avenue	04/07/2024	0350-0352
Theft From Motor Vehicle – The suspect climbed over the fence of the business, and accessed the van, and stole tools from inside, worth approx. £1600 in total.	Oaks Road	07/07/2024	1750-1830
Burglary – The suspect entered the property via the open garage door, went into the house, and left, with some old, leftover piping.	Brownlow Road	08/07/2024	0551
Common Assault – The suspect entered the shop, stole some alcohol. The victim challenged the suspect at the door, the victim was by the suspect, who then left.	The Kiosk, Chichester Road	08/07/2024	0815
Wounding with Intent to do Grievous Bodily Harm – The victim was walking their dog in the park, when they noticed the suspect following them. The victim turned round and kicked the suspect, the suspect stabbed the victim in the leg. The victim later attended hospital, and is now back at home.	Lloyd Park	08/07/2024	1800-1830

## JULY (continued (1))

Classification	Location	Date	Time
Business Burglary – An unknown suspect(s) entered the cafe, by removing a wooden panel at the front of the café, before this, an attempt appeared to have been made to gain entry via the roof, with some tiles having been removed. The suspect(s) stole 2 freezers of ice creams, a fridge of drinks, and boxes of crisps amongst other items totaling approx. £500 of stock stolen. When the victims attended the café, the Police were already there.	Park Hill Park	11/07/2024- 12/07/2024	0350-0352
Burglary – The victims left their address, locked and secured, when they returned, they could not get in through the front door, as the latch was on. The victims then went round the side of the house to try and get in, where they discovered the door handle, had been broken. The victims entered the property, and discovered cupboards opened, and bags searched. A number of items, including: jewellery, bank/credit cards, and documentation were stolen	Mapledale Avenue	13/07/2024	1730-2205
Burglary – The victim discovered that copper piping had been stolen from the garage of a property, which was being refurbished. The garage door had been removed as part of the refurbishment preparations.	Brownlow Road	15/07/2024	0330

## **JULY (continued (2))**

<b>Classification</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>
<b>Robbery – The victim was followed along Chichester Road by 3 suspects, who was pushed to the floor and assaulted. The victim was then searched. The suspects stole a substantial amount of cash and the victim’s mobile phone.</b>	Chichester Road	20/07/2024	2325
<b>Possession of Cannabis – The suspect was stopped and searched. The suspect was found in possession of Hash.  The suspect was issued with a Community Resolution for Cannabis.</b>	Coombe Road	26/07/2024	2112
<b>Theft – The victim ordered a tablet, and when the package was delivered, the tablet was not inside.</b>	Stanhope Road	28/07/2024	1430
<b>Theft Of Motor Vehicle – The victim’s vehicle was parked in front of their property, it was stolen during the night, but the victim retains the keys.</b>	Radcliffe Road	30/07/2024	0235-0236

## AUGUST

Classification	Location	Date	Time
Exposure – The suspect had been in the park, and then after exiting the park, in the alleyway, which leads onto Stanhope Road, the suspect was seen to be openly pleasuring himself, whilst filming the occurrence. Police attended and the area was searched, with no trace.	Stanhope Road alleyway entrance to Park Hill Park	01/08/2024	
Theft From Motor Vehicle – The victim parked their car on the roadside in the morning, and when they returned in the afternoon, the front and rear number plates had been stolen.	Sandilands	02/08/2024	0730-1600
Theft Of A Motor Vehicle – The victim left their vehicle parked on their driveway, and when they looked the next day, it had been stolen, the keys were not taken. The vehicle was recovered the next day from Westwood Hill, SE26, it was located thanks to a tracker. There was no damage to the vehicle, and nothing had been stolen from within. The victim collected it, and drove it away.	Stanhope Road	03/08/2024- 04/08/2024	2300-1225
Robbery – The lone suspect approached the victim at the tram stop, asked the victim where they were from and then demanded their phone. The victim was signing out of their phone, when the suspect said “Don’t try to stall or run, or you’ll get yinged”, which means stabbed. The victim handed over their phone, and the suspect walked off towards East Croydon.	Sandilands Tram Stop	20/08/2024	1945

## **AUGUST (continued)**

<b>Classification</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>
<b>Theft of Motor Vehicle – Victim called Police, and stated that their vehicle had just been stolen, they still had the keys, and there had been a wheel lock on it as well.  Just under 3 hours later, the vehicle was located in SE23, thanks to its tracker. The vehicle’s owner was notified, and came to collect it, from the location.</b>	Stanhope Road	23/08/2024	0030-0032
<b>Theft From Motor Vehicle – The victim’s front and rear number plates were stolen from a private parking area.</b>	Chichester Road	20/08/2024- 24/08/2024	1000-1500
<b>Theft From Motor Vehicle – The victim left their vehicle, and when they returned, found that the front and rear number plates had been stolen.</b>	Engadine Close	21/08/2024- 27/08/2024	0001-1515
<b>Theft From Motor Vehicle – The victim returned from holiday, and found that there front and rear number plates had been stolen, and in their place, another set of front and rear number plates left.</b>	Steep Hill	06/08/2024- 31/08/2024	2000-0920