

Community Safety

Report to Etchingam Parish Council, 19th October 2023

Updates of incidents in the area in recent weeks supplied by PCSO Emma Phillips.

Reports relating to the area for the month of September, not a great deal reported during the month, one incident marked as Etchingam, and a few in neighbouring villages, and some more fairly local incidents. Vandalism was fairly high in the list, and shed break ins and catalytic converters continue to be targets.

LOCATION	TIME FRAME	POLICE REFERENCE	OCCURRENCE
Battle Meadow Bank	13/08	SXP-20230902-0647	Damage has been caused to a vehicle.
Battle Recreation Ground	15:10 – 15:20 02/09	SXP-20230902-0924	Damage has been caused to a bins.
Ashburnham Church Road	23:30 13/09	SXP-20230914-0058	A residential property has been burgled.
Robertsbridge Bishops Lane	15:40 – 23:00 14/09	SXP-20230915-0751	Report of youths causing antis social behaviour and attempting to cause criminal damage.
Netherfield Darvel Down	13/09	SXP-20230916-0356	Damage has been caused to the bus shelter.
Battle Marley Gardens	23:25 16/09	SXP-20230916-1630	Report of youths causing anti social behaviour and throwing items.
Battle Market Square	20:00 16/09 – 01:00 17/09	SXP-20230917-0764	Damage has been caused to the book donation box.
Crowhurst Old Forewood Lane	21:00 – 21:10 16/09	SXP-20230917-0899	A dirt bike has been stolen
Etchingam Borders Lane	09:30 – 09:45 19/09	SXP-20230919-0417	There has been an attempt break to a residential property.
Hooe Top Road	08:30 – 12:54 19/09	SXP-20230919-0670	A residential property has been burgled.
Robertsbridge Ludpit Lane	20:45 – 21:15 18/09	SXP-20230920-0468	An off road bike has been stolen

Hooe Kiln Lane	18/09 – 20/09	SXP-20230920-0871	A residential property has been burgled.
Netherfield Darvel Down	13/09	SXP-202309210958	The bus shelter has been damaged.
Ninfield Manchester Road	09:50 – 10:00 22/09	SXP-20230922-0393	Attempt break to a residential property.
Burwash Spring Lane	19:00 26/09 – 07:15 27/09	SXP-20230927-0279	A pickup truck has been stolen.
Dallington Prinkle Wood	21:15 – 21:30 27/09	SXP-20230927-1453	Tyres have been set alight.
Battle Picardy Close	20:30 27/09 – 07:25 28/09	SXP-20230928-0284	A vehicle has been stolen
Stonegate Forge Field	11:30 – 15:30 28/09	SXP-20230928-1087	Report of an attempt burglary to a residential property.
Battle Whatlington Road	01/09 – 28/09	SXP-20230929-0802	A trailer has been stolen.

Other items to take note of;

Dark evenings;

The dark evenings and long winter nights are with us again, while you are nice and cosy in your home those people who want to relieve you of your property are still very much active outside. Make sure that all your garages, outbuildings and vehicles are secure, if possible fit motion activated lights where you can, burglars do not like being illuminated. If you see anything suspicious at a neighbours property report it straight away, do not wait till the next day.

Make sure and report all incidents and break in attempts as soon as possible, even if nothing is stolen, report to **101**, **BUT** if you are sure a criminal act is in progress **999**.

This document can be viewed on the Parish Council website <https://etchinghamparishcouncil.org.uk/document-category/community-safety/>

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