



NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING NEWSLETTER

Avon and Somerset Police

Meet your local Police
Community Support Officers for
Taunton West

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Crime Statistics

89 crimes recorded over the last 28 days, in Taunton West;

Some of which included;

Violence against a person - 44

Theft - 10

Public Order Offences - 8

Arson and Criminal Damage - 7

Fraud - 4

Vehicle Offences - 3

Burglary - 2

News from across Taunton

A woman from Taunton has been jailed for more than three years after admitting being involved in the supply of class A drugs.

Sarah Hewitt was sentenced at Taunton Crown Court after pleading guilty to drug offences. She was arrested in April this year and officers seized drugs paraphernalia, a quantity of cash as well as heroin during a search of her home address.

Our enquiries included analysis of Hewitt's phone records and showed she was actively concerned with supplying drugs in Taunton for some time.

Hewitt, of Mansfield Road, was jailed for three years and two months after pleading guilty to being concerned in the supply of cocaine and heroin, as well as possession of a class A drug and a class B drug.

She was also made subject to a seven-year criminal behaviour order preventing her from owning or possessing a mobile phone or SIM card not registered in her name.

Proceedings under the Proceeds of Crime Act are continuing to recover money Hewitt made through her criminality.

News from the Beat

PCSOs Lyndsay and Alex have been busy on the beat this month covering the majority of Taunton West on cycle patrol. They have been offering advice to victims of crime and making Community Speedwatch Enquiries.

Meanwhile, PCSO Marshall was assisting our colleagues over in Sedgemoor with Bridgwater Fair! Many welsh cakes were consumed and over half a million steps between the team were walked.



Priority Patrol Areas

- Staplegrove Church
- Norton Fitzwarren playing fields
- Stonegallows
- Netherclay
- Cheddon Fitzpaine
- Hestercombe Gardens
- Penny's Field
- Kingslake Park

Reminder

If you wish to report a crime, please call 101/999 or go online to the link below. Please do not report crime directly to your local PCSO via their phone. Unfortunately our phones are not monitored 24/7 and therefore if an officer is away for some time, your message may not be picked up.

Neighbourhood Surgeries and Upcoming Events

Neighbourhood Surgery

Wednesday 13th Oct - 11am-12pm - Skittles Café, Norton Fitzwarren

Neighbourhood Surgery

Thurs 14th Oct - 10am-11am - The Hive Café, Trull

Reporting a crime

Emergency: **999**

Reporting a crime or to speak to someone: **101**

Online: www.avonandsomerset.police.uk/

Social Media

Facebook - Taunton Neighbourhood Policing

Twitter - ASPWestSom