

BRAINTREE DISTRICT NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

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THE WEEKLY NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH NEWSLETTER

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THEFTS FROM PERSONS

GREAT NOTLEY The Square ,Notley Green

January 25th between 13:23hrs & 17:27hrs

Suspects unknown removed an unattended handbag from the trolley in Tesco .Items stolen were a maroon wide hand held leather snake skin style pattern handbag containing a black wallet with a gold zip, sunglasses, varifocals, driving licence, National Insurance card, letter containing personal details , keys and key fob

COGGESHALL Stoneham Street January 25th

between 15:00hrs & 21:22hrs

Suspect unidentified removed victim's purse from their bag that was under victim's desk whilst at work.Victim recived a call saying they were from Santander and asking for a pin number

HALSTEAD Trinity Street January 29th between

13:00hrs & 14:07hrs

Suspect unidentified saw victim's green Galaxy S20FE mobile phone in the doorway of the pub, stopped inside picked up the phone and concealed it in his pocket before leaving.

WITHAM

The Grove Centre Jan 23rd between 13:10hrs &

13:13hrs

Suspect unknown entered a staff room a removed an unattended purse from a handbag

Spinks Lane Between Jan 23rd 12:05hrs & Jan

28th 10:07hrs

Suspect unknown removed a black overcoat from a classroom

DWELLING HOUSE AND ATTEMPTED DWELLING HOUSE BURGLARIES

BOCKING Blackwater Way Jan 25th between

15:00hrs & 19:45hrs

Suspects unknown forced entry via the rear door of a property and conducted a messy search

GREAT NOTLEY Skiddaw Close Between Jan 25th

22:00hrs & Jan 26th 08:00hrs.

Suspects unknown attempted entry to a property via bedroom window whilst victims were asleep in bed .Suspects made off when distrurbed

BURGLARIES OF BUSINESS PREMISES

WITHAM THE GROVE CENTRE

Jan 23rd between 13:00hrs& 13:13hrs

Suspect unidentified removed cash from a business safe after finding the key in a staff room. **Suspect is described as age 30's, white male, 5ft 11, wearing a black beanie hat , black mask, black trousers, dark shoes, with a grey/green hikers bag .**

BRAINTREE , Braintree Village

Between Jan 22nd 17:30hrs & Jan 23rd 11:11hrs

Suspects unknown cut a metal fence backing onto a car park.Once inside suspects cut a large metal bolt to a container at the rear of the shop and removed one hundred boxes of stock.

ESSEX POLICE: WITHAM FAECBOOK & TWITTER



On Saturday night 28th January

Officers deployed the knife arch equipment at The Swan PH on Bridge Street WITHAM agreement with the Landlady Melba Hume. The arch was set up in the main entrance way into the walled garden area and was very well received by customers already in the Pub who came out to investigate and try it out. Every new customer was happy to walk through the arch as they entered the pub.

Thank you Melba for your support throughout the evening and we will see you again soon .



Foot patrols to deter anti-social behaviour and drug related activity .Criminal damage to public toilets in the Town park .Concern for children pl;aying on frozen pond .Please talk to your children to keep them safe...

WOULD YOU LIKE TO VOLUNTEER TO WORK WITH ESSEX POLICE AS AN ACTIVE CITIZEN TO HELP REDUCE CRIME IN BRAINTREE DISTRICT ? ESSEX POLICE ARE RECRUITING NOW IF SO PLEASE SEND YOUR FULL NAME, POSTAL ADDRESS TELEPHONE NUMBER & EMAIL ADDRESS TO active.citizen@essex.police.uk Or contact PC James Draper Braintree Community Safety & Engagement Officer Mobile 079809 17130

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BRAINTREE POLICE FACEBOOK



BRAINTREE January 25th 15:53hrs

A man who failed to attend court on **17 October 2022** was arrested on **Sunday 20 January** after being stopped for having a light out on his car. Officers were patrolling **Broad Road** then they noticed a car driving with a light out. After stopping the vehicle safely, officers made the relevant checks and discovered the man was wanted. He was taken to police custody and taken to court first thing on Monday.

WITHAM Last night, **26th January**, Officers were patrolling they were alerted to a car in a carpark. As they approached the car, a young man the officers recognised got out the back and run off. When the car was searched, multiple bags of cannabis, cash and a bag of what's suspected to be class A were found. The young man was later arrested at their home address on suspicion of drug dealing and taken to custody. Despite previous intervention and support from the police, the young man has had to spend the night in police cell He has now been released on bail to return to the police station at a later date whilst more enquiries are made.

If you have information you want to pass to police but don't want to give your name you can visit [Crimestoppers: www.crimestoppers-uk.org](http://www.crimestoppers-uk.org)

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NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH MEMBER OR TEAM OF THE YEAR 2023 FORMS HAVE BEEN SENT OUT

We are looking for Neighbourhood Watch Member(s) of the Year acknowledging their dedication to Neighbourhood Watch where you live. **This may include someone whom you know has been keeping you informed on Neighbourhood Watch for more than a year. So I look forward to hearing from you...** Clive Stewart, Chairman Braintree District NW

THEFTS OF AND FROM MOTOR VEHICLES

BRAINTREE

Reu des Jeunes Jan 29th 14:46hrs

Suspect unknown removed a black & red Lex moto Echo plus 50 motorcycle reg EF71RSU

Chaucer Crescent Jan 29th between 10:39hrs & 10:53hrs. Two male suspects unidentified removed a blue Yamaha MT125 motor cycle -which was recovered

Hillside Gardens Jan 29th 12:50hrs.. Suspect unknown removed a red Lex Moto ZSF index EX17YYE from a driveway

WITHAM Mulberry Gardens .. Jan 24th between 00:10hrs & 07:20hrs .. Suspect unknown removed a white Ford Tipper index MT67AVW which included bricklayers power toolss, handtools, balck digital stop watch, green boots, camouflage fishing jumper, tan slip in work boots

HALSTEAD

Hedingham Road

Between jan 20th 17:00hrs & Jan 23rd 09:26hrs

Suspect unknown gained entry to a grey Toyota Hilux and removed power tools.

Catley Cross

Between Jan 27th 18:00hrs & Jan 28th 16:28hrs

Suspect unknown removed five wheels from two horse trailers and caused damage to a fence..

Braintree District NW Co-ordinator comments:

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Clive Stewart Braintree District NW Co-ordinator

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