



NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH HELPS TO REDUCE THE OPPORTUNITY OF CRIME!

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THE WEEKLY NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH NEWSLETTER MONDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER 2025

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THEFTS FROM A PERSON

BRAINTREE EAST

Sunday 7th September

Between am & pm

Suspect unknown removed items from a person

THEFTS FROM MOTOR VEHICLES

BLACK NOTLEY & TERLING

Friday 12th September am

Suspect unknown removed items from a motor vehicle.

BRAINTREE CENTRAL

Wednesday 10th September am

Suspect unknown removed items from a motor vehicle.

BRAINTREE EAST

Sunday 7th September am

Suspect unknown removed items from a motor vehicle.

BRAINTREE SOUTH

Friday 12th September am

Suspect unknown removed items from a motor vehicle.

WITHAM NORTH

Between Monday 8th September am

and Thursday 11th September pm

Suspect unknown removed items from a motor vehicle.

DWELLING HOUSE BURGLARIES

BOCKING NORTH

Between Saturday 6th September am

to Tuesday 9th September pm

Suspects unknown entered a dwelling house...

BRAINTREE CENTRAL

Wednesday 10th September am

Suspect unknown entered a dwelling house...

CRESSING & STISTED

Between Thursday 11th September pm

and Friday 12th September am

Suspect unknown entered a dwelling house...

THREE FIELDS

Between Thursday 11th September am

and Saturday 13th September pm

Suspect unknown entered two dwelling houses

Essex Police Neighbourhood Policing Team Supports Braintree District Neighbourhood Watch



On **Wednesday 3rd September**, a member of Essex Police's Neighbourhood Policing Team attended the District Neighbourhood Watch meeting in **Gosfield**, reinforcing the strong partnership between local policing and community-led safety initiatives.

Neighbourhood Watch plays a vital role in keeping communities safe, connected, and informed.

These groups are made up of dedicated residents who work together to prevent crime, share information, and support one another—creating a powerful network of vigilance and care.

Essex Police is proud to support and collaborate with any group that shares its commitment to community safety. By building strong local networks and encouraging proactive engagement, Neighbourhood Watch helps make our towns and villages safer places to live.

The BDNW Steering Group meeting in **Gosfield** was a valuable opportunity to strengthen ties, share updates, and encourage more residents to get involved in local crime prevention efforts.

PC James Draper, Community Safety and Engagement Officer, said: "Neighbourhood Watch is a fantastic example of how communities can come together to look out for one another. These meetings are a great way for us to listen, support, and work alongside residents who are passionate about keeping their neighbourhoods safe."

Interested in joining Neighbourhood Watch?

Email braintreenwsg@btinternet.com

Or telephone 0750 8057636

and speak to Clive Stewart Chairman BDNWSG

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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THEFTS AND ATTEMPTED THEFTS OF MOTOR VEHICLES

BRAINTREE SOUTH

Friday 12th September am

Suspect(s) unknown stole a motor vehicle

UPPER COLNE

**Between Friday 12th September pm
and Saturday 13th September am**

Suspects unknown stole two motor vehicles...

BOKING NORTH

**Between Thursday 11th September pm
and Friday 12th September am**

Suspects unknown stole two motor vehicles....

SUDBURY Melford Road

Sunday 7th September between 18:30hrs & 20:30hrs

**Police are appealing for information after a black and
Blue Moped Lexmoto E50 registration KY20WEU was
stolen outside a home**

**Any information contact Suffolk Police tel 101
or Do it Online or Crimestoppers 0800 555 111**

CRIMINAL DAMAGE INCIDENTS

**Sadly there were many occasions where suspects
unknown caused criminal damage in the locations
below**

***Between Saturday 6th September
and Friday 12th September.***

BOCKING BLACKWATER,

BOCKING NORTH,

BRADWELL,

SILVER END,

RIVENHALL,

WITHAM NORTH (2)

GREAT NOTLEY & BRAINTREE EAST(2)

BRAINTREE WEST,

WITHAM SOUTH

AND YELDHAM

IMPORTANT NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH SAFEGUARDING POLICY BRAINTREE DISTRICT

September

**Essex Police and Neighbourhood Watch
Network have requested all Neighbourhood
Watch Associations in England and Wales
to tighten up their Safeguarding Policy in
fact this is just a usual procedure every so
often.**

**If you consider yourself to be a pro-active
Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator, and
have been so for many years, you will be
requested to sign a new form which
confirms that you are willing to remain a
local Co-ordinator....**

**You may be have already received such a
form. Please note that it is NOT mandatory
but it will protect your integrity when
visiting NW members in their homes and
also protect them as well**

**So IF you feel , as a Co-ordinator, that you
need to meet up frequently with NW
members either at their home or in your
own home, and also meet face to face on
NW matters very often please can you
contact Clive Stewart Braitree District NW
Chairman and Co-ordintaor (who has been
involved with NW for over 37 years and has
signed the form) and he will arrange to
have the form sent to you.**

**I know that many of you have been NW
local/street co-ordinators and have never
signed a form at any time and do not wish
to do so even now..**

**This is understandable ..so that is why it is
not mandatory but only if you agree.**

Clive Stewart,

Braintree District NW Co-ordinator

Email brainteenwsg@btinternet.com

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THEFT FROM A SHED

HATFIELD PEVEREL

Saturday 13th September

Between am & pm

Suspects unknown entered a shed and stole items...

ABOUT CRIMESTOPPERS IN ESSEX

Crimestoppers is an independent charity which takes information about crime anonymously, online or by phone.

We don't take names or any identification, just listen to what you know and pass it on securely, 100% anonymously.

There's no police contact, no witness statements, no courts. Information is taken in more than 150 languages.

Online forms at www.crimestoppers-uk.org and calls on 0800 555 111 are untraceable. Calls won't show on phone bills. We're open 24/7, 365 days a year. Crimestoppers passed over 7,500 crime reports to Essex police last year.

See how it works at <https://youtu.be/TV5k3QFBI3U>

PLEASE NOTE NEXT WEEK'S NEWSLETTER

WILL BE ONE DAY LATE

This newsletter covers:

Acton, Alphamstone, Ashen, Belchamp St. Paul, Belchamp Otten, Belchamp Walter, Bocking, Borley, Bradwell, Braintree Town areas, Bulmer, Bures, Burtons Green, Castle Hedingham, Coggeshall, Colne Engaine, Cornish Hall End, Cressing, Earls Colne, Fairstead, Feering, Finchingfield, Foxearth, Gestingthorpe, Gosfield, Great Henny, Great Maplestead, Great Notley, Great Yeldham, Great Waldingfield, Greenstead Green, Halstead, Hatfield Peveral, Hundon, Kelvedon, Lamarsh, Liston, Little Henny, Little Yeldham, Little Maplestead, Long Melford, Middleton, Ovington, Panfield, Pattiswick, Pebmarsh, Pentlow, Radwinter, Rayne, Rivenhall, Shalford, Sible Hedingham, Silver End, Stambourne, Stisted, Stoke by Clare, Sturmer, Sudbury, Terling, Tilbury Juxta Clare, Toppesfield, Twinstead, Wethersfield, and Witham.



**Clive Stewart Braintree District NW Chairman
Telephone 0750 8057636**

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