



Welcome to my monthly Partnership Funded PCSO report for Nov 2019

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**UPDATES:**

**RUSHMERE HEATH –**

Whilst I have not received any further reports of ASB in this area patrols have continued and as you will see from the stats an investigation has been recorded for possession of a controlled substance as a result of encountering youths in the area and a search being conducted by officers. I am hopeful this acts as a deterrent and shows local youths that police will take action where necessary.

**INCREASE IN PEDAL CYCLE THEFTS IN KESGRAVE AREA**

As you may already be aware there has been an increase in Pedal Cycle Thefts in the Kesgrave area, and as a result I would like to urge members of the community to ensure that they invest in reliable bike locks and where possible ensure that they are locked away in sheds and not left on display.

I am happy to report that after we received a call from a member of the public on the East of Ipswich reporting that 2 bikes had been found abandoned in her street, Ipswich Central SNT carried out relevant research and were able to reunite one of the Bikes to its owner. Upon doing my stats this month I also made a point of checking each pedal cycle theft and looking at the description details of each and as a result I have discovered that the second bike found matched one that has also been taken from Kesgrave, This has also been reunited with the owner.

**CRIME REDUCTION ADVISE**

This month stats show that Rushmere St Andrew has suffered 2 Burglary's and 2 Motor Vehicle Thefts. Kesgrave has suffered with Pedal Cycle Thefts which have included garage and shed breaks.

Where possible victims will receive support and guidance on crime prevention however I would like to share with you a handy link on the Police website that covers a wide range of topics that anyone can access and we like to promote to the public to have a read and see where possible security can be improved and provide general knowledge on local issues such as ASB and Thefts etc. We call this First Principle and the link is as follows:

Below shows the range of topics covered:



Anti-social behaviour



Beach hut security



Counterfeit banknotes



County lines



Cyber crime



Building site security



Caravan security



Card security



Cycle theft



Dangerous dogs



Dog fouling



Cash machines



Catalytic converter



Church security



Domestic violence



Domestic CCTV



Extending or refurbishing



Cold callers



Commercial CCTV



Communal mail



Farm security



Fraud



Grooming



Hate crime



Heating oil security



Home security



Personal safety



Power tool security



Replacement doors and windows



Horse and stables



Keyless theft



Lock snapping



Residential design guide



Security alarms



Shed and garage security



Neighbour disputes



Occupiers liability



Parents guide to social media



Small business security checklist



Social media security



Suspicious behaviour



Personal safety



Power tool security



Replacement doors and windows



Vehicle security



Victim and witness information



Using a key safe



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## POLICE ADVICE AND GUIDANCE

As you know I am always happy to give advice and guidance where I can. If it is something that I cannot give an immediate answer too, then I am obviously ideally placed to seek advice from other professionals. Members of the public wanting advice on many police-related matters can be signposted to the Suffolk Constabulary website advice page at <https://www.suffolk.police.uk/advice>

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