

KCC COMMUNITY WARDEN REPORT MARCH 2018

- 1) Clunking drain cover and hole in tarmac surrounding it in High Street 0- Reported to KCC Highways.
- 2) Fly tipping next to communal bins in Wickham Close – 4 x tins paint and a very large section of sponge.
- 3) Dog seen frequently roaming in High Street ripping open black rubbish sacks - finding out who owner is.
- 4) Suspect possible attempted burglary in Callaways Lane as CCTV cameras were turned away from property by someone late at night. Resident's dogs barked, then cameras were readjusted – Advised reporting incident to Kent Police.
- 5) Suspected bogus workman calling at elderly resident's bungalow, wanting excessive amount of money for cleaning front garden drive/path – Resident called police who attended and made reassurance visit after incidence. Fortunately she did not part with any money!
- 6) More fly tipping in Wickham Close next to communal bins – Reported to S.B.C.
- 7) Cold callers in The Tracies selling burglar alarms – Collected sales brochures to pass onto KCC Trading Standards.
- 8) Two rear wheels stolen from a vehicle in Wickham Close – Police aware.
- 9) Dog fouling on verges in Bull Lane.
- 10) Bingo club cancelled due to the snow.
- 11) Bogus workman attempting to get £2000.00 for repairing drains from elderly resident in Playstool Road. She contacted neighbour and Police were called, luckily she did not part with any money.
- 12) Public footpath in High Oak Hill partially blocked and now unable to access – Reported to KCC Right of Way officers.
- 13) Fly tipping in High Oak Hill – Reported to S.B.C.
- 14) Youths throwing snowball at shops in High Street – Police aware.
- 15) Youths riding quad bikes in snow – Police aware.
- 16) Concerns from residents regarding the recently sold triangle of land in Iwade Road/High Oak Hill. The new owners have completely cleared the site chopping down trees that were believed to be protected.
- 17) Dog fouling in small play area corner of Bull Lane/Dennis Wilcocks Close – monitoring area.
- 18) Complaints from resident concerning rubble on verge in Playstool Road – This has now been cleared away as building renovations completed.

- 19) Concerns regarding excessive dog fouling down track off Callaways Lane that leads to Monkey Island – Monitoring area.
- 20) Forced entry by Police into House in Playstool Road – Unfortunately elderly lady found deceased.
- 21) Complaint from resident regarding vehicles parking on verges in Playstool Close – Monitoring area.
- 22) Abandoned fire damaged vehicle on land off High Oak Hill – Police aware.

Due to dog fouling on the increase again around the village, I will run one on my 'spray paint' projects which will make residents and dog owners aware of the amount not being picked up.

New art group starting on Friday morning, 6th April, between 10.00 and 12.00 midday. I have put up some posters and given out flyers for this new group.

It will be held on the first and third Friday of each month at St. Mary's Church. £2.00 donation towards tea, coffee, heating etc.

