

Steyning Parish Council

Neighbourhood Wardens Report for Steyning July 2015.

Anti-Social Behaviour and Crime

On the 29 June just before 2.30 am the front door of Steyning Opticians was smashed by two unknown men using a chair. 40-50 pairs of high value sunglasses were stolen.

On the 24 July a VW Polo was broken into whilst parked in the Leisure Centre Car Park between 11.30am -12.30pm. The Passenger window was smashed and a green satchel containing two i-phones was taken.

On the 20th July Paving stones were taken from Fletchers Croft in the early hours of the morning. Thieves also returned and took more flagstones several evenings later. Horsham District Council has since removed the remaining flagstones to prevent further theft.

On or around 22 July no less than 17 counts of Graffiti took place in and around Steyning. We have been unable to connect the identifying tags with anybody known to us but continue with enquiries.

On the 10th July at 2200hrs a young male riding a moped in Charlton St was stopped by Police carrying a passenger without a protective helmet.

On the 4th of July during the S.D.S. Acoustic event at the Flint Barn, we had to intervene and persuade a group of four males who were heavily intoxicated to leave the venue.

Community.

On the 6th July we took part in the Steyning Downland Discovery Day. Over 150 pupils from Steyning Grammar school attended and during the day we spoke to groups on the impact of litter to the rural environment and staying safe in the countryside.

On the 4th July we supported the annual Steyning Downland Acoustic Event at the Flint Barn.

We continue to support and organise events for the Dingemans & Friends club.

We are working alongside Age UK & Impact Initiatives towards a community event for older people, to be held at Dingemans on Sunday 9th August.