

PCSO Monthly Update

This is your ward update for South Portslade, by Corriene Lynfield 43268



Introduction

My name is Corriene, I have had South Portslade as my ward for a while now.

The good news is that I am doing a phased return to the outside world, and therefore I am slowly getting out into the community again which I am very happy and excited about.

CURRENT WARD PRIORITIES

- More patrols in hotpots areas of SOUTH PORTSLADE

WARD PATROLS

I will begin completing patrols in my area soon, watch this space!

Community Meetings

If you want Police attendance at any community meetings call on 101 and quote my shoulder number: 43268 and I will find someone to come to the meeting on my behalf.

Other Key Support

Food, energy & other essential costs

Extra help is available for households struggling to pay for food, energy and other essential costs. The funding is part of the UK Government's Household Support Fund. Due to the limited nature of this fund: we are only able to make one award to each household; we will not be able to accept subsequent applications to this fund from the same household; we may not be able to help every household who applies. The funding does not provide cash. We'll offer vouchers or find another way to help you access essential goods and services.

If you receive benefits and need help to pay for essentials you can't live without, apply for help from our Local Discretionary Social Fund at [Get emergency help with food, energy bills and other essentials](#). If you already claim Housing Benefit or Universal Credit and need extra help to pay your Council Tax, [apply for discretionary council tax support](#). Further information is available at: [Request help and support](#) and [Cost of living support](#).

Help for families

Families can access support through Family Hubs. We provide information, advice and guidance on a range of different subjects including help with cost of living, accessing affordable food schemes, and support for families to get benefit calculations.

Familyhubs@brighton-hove.gov.uk

Professionals can refer to Family Hubs any families who need more specialist support or are in financial crisis and in need of food: [Refer a child or family to Front Door for Families](#)