NORBITON NEWSLETTER AUTUMN-2025



Norbiton Safer Neighbourhood

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Hello Residents and Local Businesses Welcome to our Newsletter Autumn 2025

Ward Panel Priorities

Anti Social Behavior

Drug Dealing/ Drug Use

Dangerous Driving/ Speeding

The Norbiton ward panel meeting was held at the Queen Mary Hall Cambridge Gardens KT1 3NJ on 23rd October 2025 starting 18:30 Hours. It was opened by the Chairman and followed by introduction and apologies. There was a review of minutes of the previous meeting then the approval. In the Chairman's review he spoke about Violence Against Women and Girls and the ongoing issue of domestic abuse.

Members present agreed that a co-ordinated community response is necessary, as domestic abuse is often hidden by exerting control and power through coercion than physical violence.

There was a call out to raise awareness and create an atmosphere where victims can find help without fear of stigma or reprisals. Members were tasked to consider potential places for flyers to be distributed and informal chats with service providers to be available.

Alcohol and drugs can play a part not only as an escalator for perpetrators but also as a coping tool for victims.

The white ribbon day (25th Nov) could be a good opportunity to deliver bystander training so that everyone knows how to respond if a possible incidence is noticed.

Useful websites:

https://www.kingston.gov.uk/safety-crime-and-emergencies/domestic-abuse/get-help https://mensadviceline.org.uk

https://www.whiteribbon.org.uk/white-ribbon-day

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- 2. Levels of reported crime has remained even, with no significant spikes although reporting appears to remain an issue.
- 3. Drug use and drug supply remains the biggest challenge.
- 4. A number of persons have been recalled to prison or sent back to court after Failing to Appear.
- 5. Resourcing challenges due to injury, maternity leave and wider MPS challenges.
- 6. Closure Order in place on Cambridge Gardens until 23:59 Hours on 07th November 2025.
- 7. Joint partnership work ongoing to tackle current seasonal issues in Kingston Cemetery.
- 8. Work to achieve Closure Orders in a number of blocks on CRE has begun. Some assistance will be needed by obtaining statements from residents to support applications.
- 9. We are looking at using Criminal Behavior Orders (CBO's similar to ASBOs) where they can help add conditions to deter activity and encourage engagement with support services. Speed watching Community Engagement Events were conducted at the junction of Porchester Road and Douglas Road and six vehicles were found speeding in the hour of the event. Another speed watching community event was conducted at the junction of Villiers Road and Old Mills Road though it was disrupted by a heavy downpour of rain.

Community Engagement Events



Above Sergeant Jon EDWARDS attending the Halloween Community Event at Queen Mary Hall Cambridge Gardens on 29th October



Sergeant Jon Edwards and PCSO Geoffrey JJINGO attending the Kingston Tenants and Residents Meeting at the Guild Hall Kingston Upon Thames on 06th October 2025

Metropolitan Police Sergeant, Police Officer, Police Community Support Officer and Police Cadets in a joint collaborative exercise at the RBK Kingston Cemetery. The joint effort successfully cleared the bushes around a hot-spot area. This move will make the area a safer place for the Residents, members of the public who use the paths through the cemetery and residents along Bonner Hill Road.



We held one **'bike security marking even**t on Wednesday 22nd October 2025 between 13:00 - 14:00 hours in front of The New Malden Centre, Blagdon Road. Saturday 25th October 2025 between 16:00-17:00 hours in front of Tesco Express in the Triangle, Coombe Vale.

The next bike marking events will held on 15th November between 13:00 - 14:00 hours outside New Malden Station and also on 28th November 2025 between 15:30 - 16:30 Hours in front of Norbiton Station.



Speed Watch Community Events





We conducted two speed watch events. One at the junction between Villiers Road and Mills Road and another at the junction of Porchester Road and Douglas Road. We will conduct a speed watch community event on Tuesday 18th November 2025 between 10:30 - 11:30 hours at the junction between Gloucester Road and Homersham

Road.





Above attending the Kingston Interfaith event organized by Ahmadiyya Muslim Community UK at the Searchlight Community Centre Hammerton Way KT3 3DU on 25th October 2025 from 19:00 Hours



The Cuppa with a COPPER Engagement Event at the To KEFI (Greek Restaurant & Cafe) 38 COOMBE Road KT2 7AF on Monday 13th October between 10:00 - 11:00 Hours. It was a friendly discussion over a cup of coffee and was attended by PCSO Geoffrey Jjingo, PCSO Matthew Beauchamp together with Norbiton Resident



Above left PCSO Geoffrey JJINGO & PCSO Lisa SWAINE with residents of Riverstone Court after presenting at the crime prevention stall on 14th October.

- We held a Crime prevention stall Engagement event on Tuesday 29th July 2025 from 10:00 11:00 at The RIVERSTONE Court, Queen Elizabeth Road, Kingston upon Thames KT2 6SS.
 The next Crime Prevention Stall meeting will take place at on Tuesday 11th November 2025 between 11:00 -12:00 Hours at St. John the Divine Church New Malden KT3 3RX.
- A FREE Situational Awareness Empowering Training for Women & Girls at Queen Mary Hall,
 Cambridge Garden on 14/11/2025 starting at 17:00

Chelsea Kicks

This project is ongoing at the Chelsea Kingsmeadow sports ground on Wednesdays from 17:00 Hours - 18:00 Hours. The project was started by the Premier League and Metropolitan Police in 2006 with a vision to build safer, stronger, more respectful communities through the development of young people's potential. Its aim is to use football and other activities to bring communities together and engaging with youngsters and guiding them towards a range of healthy and constructive activities. We call upon parents with young family members to sign them up . For more information contact: foundation.enquiries@chelseafc.com

Street a Week

We continue to conduct the 'street-a week' initiative, by asking our residents to sign up to the Met Engage platform and participating in a survey. Below are the street names that Street a Week is conducted in October 2025:

Rayleigh Court Cambridge Road KT1 3NF, Chesterton Terrace KT1 3JD, Westwick Chesterton Terrace KT1 3JE. The effort to sign up Norbiton Residents to our Met Engage Platform is in progress.

The New MPS communication tool "Met Engage "had been launched. PCSO Geoffrey Jjingo and PCSO Matthew Beauchamp from Norbiton SNT will be signing up Norbiton Residents through a doorstep visit. We call upon all Residents to sign up and complete the survey questionnaire.

How to contact us?

Emails to the SNT mailbox:
 Norbiton.365Group@met.police.uk
 (This email is not for reporting a crime, emails are checked only when we are on duty).

- Via Twitter/X @MPSNorbiton

REPORT CRIME

- Via dialling 999 in an emergency and 101 for non –
 emergency.
 - You can report crime online on MET-police website :

https://www.met.police.uk/ro/report/ocr/af/how-to-report-a-crime/

- You can come to Kingston Police station to report a crime