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Warden Monthly Report

July 2025 – Pulborough Parish

Report by Carol Boniface, Neighbourhood Warden

I'm back in the village after supervising the wider Warden team for 4 years and am looking to get myself stuck in again to everything Pulborough!! I've been in post for just under 2 weeks so not much to report for now. We have a second Warden joining the team in August and her name is Lottie. I'll be showing her around the parish and introducing her to the community.

Pulborough Village Market – Saturday 26th July

I attended the village market to say hi and reintroduce myself to the community. Needless to say, not much has changed! I had lots of good engagement and came away with some questions from the community that I will go on to support them with.

Vulnerable People

I visited an older vulnerable resident to check in with them to see how they're doing as their mobility has decreased. All ok.

Clubs and groups

I've been in contact with Age UK regarding the future of the Silver Bullet and will look to see how we can improve attendance in the Autumn. A big thank you to Tom at Macklin's for hosting this so far. The Dungeons and Dragons club continues to meet in Storrington every second Saturday. I also attended the Wednesday Wellbeing Café to engage with residents.

Silver Bullet Men's Social Group



Silver Bullet

Men's social group in Pulborough

The 1st Tuesday of every month 2pm – 4pm



Macklin's @ The Riverside
Swan Bridge
Pulborough
RH20 2BJ

For more information call 01403 260560
or email info-horsham@ageukwsbh.org.uk
No booking necessary – just turn up!

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Fly-Tipping/Littering/Graffiti

I have reported 2 lots of fly-tipping so far which have been removed by our cleansing team.

I've been made aware of the broken gate at the entrance to the Brooks at the bottom of Barn House Lane. This is being investigated and repaired by WSCC Public Rights of Way team.

I reported the broken office swivel chair, that has been sitting outside Domino's for a while, to our fly-tipping team.

Other

I reported a dangerously positioned A board to Highways. This board was obstructing the line of sight for drivers exiting at a T junction. Glad to say the board has now moved.

I've received reports of overgrown hedges and have advised residents to take a photo and send it to Highways for their consideration.

I also received a query regarding wheelie bins blocking a pavement. I will keep an eye on the area and contact our waste team if the issues continue.

I've had queries regarding the Catholic Church site along Church Place being insecure. I've spoken to the developers who have made it secure and are waiting for planning permission to move forward on developing the site.

I attended a full Warden team meeting to share ideas and talk through everything 'Warden'.

I supported and helped a resident who wishes to donate some good quality furniture to someone in need and have signposted her to the Wholesome Warehouse in Storrington.

I had a query regarding a red car with no number plates driving around an area. This is difficult to deal with as we don't know who it belongs to but I will continue to patrol the area in question.

I liaised with a resident regarding a motorcyclist that was doing wheelies and wheel spins in Rectory Lane. This has hopefully been captured on dashcam of another vehicle and been reported to Operation Crackdown.

Another resident approached me regarding some suspicious activity by a company. I've advised them to contact the company directly with their concerns, for them to follow up.

I've had reports of vapes and alcohol being sold to underage people. I am working with Trading Standards on this matter.

Useful links for reporting litter, fly-tipping or graffiti:

You can report litter issues to HDC at the following link:

<https://www.horsham.gov.uk/waste-recycling-and-bins/litter-and-street-cleaning/litter>

You can report a damaged or overflowing litter bin here:

<https://www.horsham.gov.uk/waste-recycling-and-bins/litter-and-street-cleaning/report-a-damaged-or-overflowing-litter-bin>

If you witness fly-tipping in action, please call Sussex Police and, if possible, provide them with the registration of the offending vehicle and subsequently any relevant dash cam footage you may have. You can also report it direct to HDC at: <https://www.horsham.gov.uk/waste-recycling-and-bins/litter-and-street-cleaning/fly-tipping>

Abandoned shopping trolleys can be reported on the "Trolleywise" website at: https://www.wanzl.com/en_GB/360-degree-service/TrolleyWise

You can report incidents of graffiti direct to Horsham District Council via their website:

<https://www.horsham.gov.uk/waste-recycling-and-bins/litter-and-street-cleaning>

Dog Related Issues

I had a call from a very worried member of public that the dog they were dog-sitting, had escaped. She ran off through the RPSB, Wiggonholt and ended up safely in Storrington after a few tense hours of us searching for her.

Dog fouling

Dog fouling can be reported via the HDC website: <https://www.horsham.gov.uk/waste-recycling-and-bins/litter-and-street-cleaning/dog-fouling>

Dog attacks

Any attacks by dogs need to be reported immediately to Sussex Police. Their advice is that if there is an immediate threat to human or animal life to call 999. Otherwise report to the police on 101 or via the Sussex Police website reporting form. <https://www.sussex.police.uk/ro/report/ocr/af/how-to-report-a-crime/>

Dogs Roaming Free

If you find a dog roaming free and not being supervised, you may wish to consider reporting it to Horsham District Council's approved contractor on 07512 089777 and they will come and collect. ***This is a 24/7 service, but the dog does need to be contained for them to collect.***

***** Please note Horsham District Council does not have Dog Wardens *****

Social Media

Please do follow us at:

<https://www.instagram.com/pulborough.wardens/>

<https://www.facebook.com/HDWardens>

<https://X.com/HorshamWardens>

Contact details – 07584 337475 or pulborough.wardens@horsham.gov.uk

Reporting crime and anti-social behaviour

☎ 999

- A crime is happening now.
- Someone is in immediate danger or at risk of harm.
- Property is in danger of being seriously damaged.
- A serious disruption to the public is likely.

☎ 101

or report online
www.sussex.police.uk

- All non-emergency incidents where the crime has already happened or there is no immediate risk of harm.

CrimeStoppers.

☎ 0800 555 111

crime
stoppers-uk.org

- To report crime 100% anonymously.
- Crimestoppers is not the police – it is an independent charity working to help communities.
- Information given will be shared anonymously with the police.

British
Transport
Police

☎ 0800 40 50 40
Text 61016

- Non-emergency incidents on a train or at a station can be reported direct to the British Transport Police online: www.btp.police.uk/reportcrime.
- There is also a Railway Guardian app.

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- Report general anti-social behaviour and repeated public nuisance to the ASB team at Horsham District Council.
- You can also report litter, fly-tipping, graffiti, dogs and dog fouling online: www.horsham.gov.uk/report.

See it. Report it.

Reporting crime and ASB means we can work together to reduce it.



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NEIGHBOURHOOD
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THE WORK WE DO IN YOUR COMMUNITY

Based within the community, your Neighbourhood Wardens work alongside partner agencies to improve the quality of life for everyone and promote community cohesion and resilience. The Wardens undertake a number of activities, ranging from enforcement to community development.

Neighbourhood Wardens can help the community in the following ways:

- Meet the needs of the community and improve the quality of life for the residents, through engagement, promotion and support.
- Develop projects that benefit the local residents, to tackle community safety issues and promote inclusivity.
- Promote community cohesion, resilience and solidarity to encourage and empower communities to resolve issues.
- Support vulnerable members of the community with activities, advice, welfare checks and signposting.
- Engage with residents daily to get to know their local community and become a trusted friend to offer advice and guidance.
- Offer education and advice when required, before taking enforcement action.
- Contribute to the delivery of the Community Safety Partnership plan by working with other agencies.
- Provide a highly visible and reassuring uniformed patrolling presence.
- Provide an effective eyes and ears service aimed at reducing the fear of crime and improving quality of life.
- Work alongside the Police and submit reports regarding drug use, criminal damage and anti-social behaviour.

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In an emergency always dial 999



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