



# Neighbourhood policing newsletter

15 January 2010

## Devonport

### CRIME.

Crime figures for the period 18<sup>th</sup> December 09 to 15<sup>th</sup> January 10 are up from 44 crimes reported last year to 60 this year.

The main offences were: -

Assault - 18

Theft - 8

Burglary - 7

Criminal damage - 7

Shoplifting - 4

Drugs – 3 ( Drugs warrant carried in Granby Street - cannabis seized)

Anti-social behaviour incidents recorded in the same period in 2008 were 39 compared with 61 for this year.

A Street audit has been completed in Granby Street following the problems there early in December.

Residents were asked the question ‘How safe do you feel?’

58% said they felt safe.

Plans are in hand to try and utilise an unoccupied flat for a multi-agency type surgery there.

Marlborough Street Activity Day - Weds. 17<sup>th</sup> February, 10.00am to 2.00pm.

"A day to beat those winter blues - where everyone *springs* into action!"

PC Cher Dunbar and Crime Prevention Officer Sarah German are planning a day of fun for the community in Marlborough Street.

You will be able to get involved with your local neighbourhood team and partners who will be hosting a range of activities for big kids and little kids to all enjoy.

### Your local police station:

**New Deals for Communities**

**7 Marlborough Street**

**Devonport**

**Plymouth**

**PL1 4AE**

**Tel. 01752 568254**

**General enquiries: 08452 777 444**

### Meet your neighbourhood policing team:-

Sgt. Sid Siddall

PC Phil Dinwoodie

PC Warren Marks

PC Cher Dunbar

PCSO Tracie Bellerby

PCSO Martin Critchlow

PCSO Mark Whiddon

PCSO Clare Worcester

The Devonport Neighbourhood Police website can be viewed [here](#).

For further information concerning Devon & Cornwall Constabulary and issues in and around your neighbourhood, please visit our website:

[www.devon-cornwall.police.uk](http://www.devon-cornwall.police.uk)



New PCSO for Devonport.

PCSO Andrew Ferguson is due to join us on 15<sup>th</sup> February, he will replace PCSO Phil Strong.

Andrew is pictured (right) at the Scott Memorial with PC Cher Dunbar and Sarah German (Crime Prevention Officer).

### Latest

A fire started in the recycled cardboard containers outside Iceland, Marlborough Street today causing a lot of smoke—Sgt. Siddall was quickly on the scene with fire extinguisher to put it out, later assisted by the fire brigade. (Photo on website)



## PACT priorities in your neighbourhood



The Bobbies on the Beat steering group met on Weds. 30<sup>th</sup> December 09 and set the following priorities for the team for the following 6 weeks: -

1. Drug dealing and use.
2. High profile policing to combat anti-social behaviour, with emphasis on youth behaviour in the Tower Blocks and Cumberland Corner.
3. Control of dogs.

The next meeting of the Bobbies on the Beat Steering Group is on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February at 5.00pm at Brickfields Sports Centre, Devonport.

If you would like to report a crime or need information and advice, please telephone:

**08452 777 444**



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