

I have sent this Alert to all those on either the TWRA or the Neighbourhood Watch distribution list.

Flood Reporting

I have seen reports of problems with blocked drains during the very heavy rain that fell on our area during the week before last. If you suffered from flooding in your property or you observed drains being unable to cope then these issues should be reported to the relevant authorities as indicated on the TFLAG (Tadworth Flood Action Group) page on the TWRA web site see here: www.twra.org.uk/community/tflag/

It would also be helpful if you could advise TFlag directly either by using the Contact page on the TWRA web site or by replying to this email bulletin.

Health Issues

Please be aware that COVID levels are on the increase and whilst the symptoms may not be severe there is increasing evidence that some people can suffer long term health issues from it so you should take precautions if you start to experience flu' like symptoms. Testing kits can be purchased for around £2

Police News

The Chief Constable and the Police & Crime Commissioner (PCC) are taking part in an online version of Policing in Your Community on 16th January at 7.45pm for Reigate & Banstead - click the link below to register your interest in participating with an opportunity to raise any issues you may have.

[19:45-20:45 Tuesday, 16 January – Reigate & Banstead](#)

You can join the meeting via [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#) (please note, you do not have to have an account to be able to access either link).

Local Burglary Reports

05/01/2024 17:20 Ruden Way, Epsom. Attempted Residential Burglary. Method of Entry – Attempted forced entry through a first floor bedroom window, using a ladder.

Stolen: Nothing taken (PR 45240001870)

23/12/2023 18:16 Downs Way, Tadworth. Residential Burglary. Method of Entry – Forced entry through the patio doors.

Stolen: Gold Ring, Bracelet and Key Ring. (PR 45230146868)

27/12/2023 17:00 White Beam Way, Tadworth. Residential Burglary. Method of Entry – Forced entry through a first floor bedroom window.

Stolen: Two Rings, assorted Jewellery and Perfume. (PR 45240000959)

18/12/2023 17:26. Chapel Road, Tadworth. Residential Burglary. Method of Entry – Not confirmed at this time.

Stolen: Not confirmed at this time. (PR 45230144389)

Vehicle Crimes

Stolen: Car (Mercedes), Gucci Canvas Bag, Gold Chain, Two Pairs Hermes Sandals, Purse, Trainers and Two pairs of Sunglasses. (PR 45240000715)

Contact the Neighbourhood Team

As always, the local Neighbourhood Team are keen to receive information on all crime spotted or believed to have occurred as this can assist with ongoing enquiries, as well as helping to pool information to build a wider understanding.

If you believe you have any information relating to relevant information or concerns you can:

- Call 101
- On line reporting <https://www.surrey.police.uk/ro/report/ocr/af/how-to-report-a-crime/>
- If you have social media, why not give us a follow. You can also message us if you want to report something to us

Our Facebook is Reigate and Banstead Beat (Surrey Police) and our twitter is ReigateBeat

You can also give information totally anonymously by contacting the Independent Charity Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111; or through their anonymous online form <https://crimestoppers-uk.org/>

In an Emergency please contact 999.

As ever if you have any questions or queries please don't hesitate to get in touch with us.

Best wishes,

Reigate & Banstead Safer Neighbourhood Team

SCAMS

Surrey and Sussex Police marked World Braille Day on 4 January with the release of a braille version of The Little Book of Big Scams V5.

We are delighted to be able to now provide these to those who will benefit from this product and are working with our Neighbourhood Teams, Victim Fraud caseworkers and local sight loss and blindness charities to make this widely available within our two force areas.

If you identify a victim that could benefit from a braille book of [The Little Book of Big Scams V5](#), or know of any local sight loss organisations that may benefit from these, please email: operation.signature@sussex.police.uk

The trading Standards Newsletter including SCAM warnings can be read here:

<https://news.comms.surreycc.info/NLI/ViewHtmlEmail.aspx?a=7B5BAFA1B77411CF19CA1D95ED6329F1&b=01F4B13A40364CE91726DC55FB126466>

National Neighbourhood Watch Newsletter

The link below is to the latest edition of our newsletter for Neighbourhood Watch supporters across England and Wales.

These are some highlights in January's edition:

- Protect your Pa\$\$w0rds - password protection in three easy steps
- ERA's experts offer guidance on how to pick the best home security system for you

[READ THE JANUARY NEWSLETTER HERE.](#)

Roadworks

Southern Gas Networks roadworks are expected to continue in Epsom Lane North until 26th Jan.

Note visit www.twra.org.uk to see weekly details of Surrey Highways planned roadworks.

UPCOMING EVENTS' LIST

Saturday Jan 20th Good Shepherd Coffee Shop from 10.30 am and regularly on Saturdays thereafter - usually held in the Church.

26th & 27th January Church of the Good Shepherd Family Pantomime "Treasure Island" tickets available from December 16th contact 01737 362610 or events@goodshepherdadworth.org.uk adult £12.50 child £7.50 family (2 + 2) £35

Friday 26th Jan Curzon Cinema at The Riddell Hall presents "Oppenheimer" 1.50 pm and 6.50 pm all seats £7

Sunday February 4th from 12.30 pm Good Shepherd Parish Lunch in the Hall – note you must book by putting your name on the list at the back of the church. (Note it is usually on the 1st Sunday in a month)

Saturday February 17th 12 noon to 1.30 pm Please note the usual Walton Village Kitchen on the 2nd Saturday is suspended for 2 months as it is replaced by weekly soup Saturdays through the six weeks of Lent, starting on Saturday the 17th February and weekly through to March 23rd. At these events a variety of homemade soups with bread and cheese are served in the Riddell Hall.

Thursday 15th – Sat 17th Feb. at 7.30pm and on Sat. at 2.30pm KADDS presents "Alice in Wonderland" in Kingswood Village Hall, Waterhouse Lane, KT20 6EB. Tkts. adult £12, child £6 online at www.ticketsource.co.uk/KADDS or from Kingswood Village Store.

Saturday February 17th early warning of the Good Shepherd Jumble Sale - please start putting aside suitable items to donate.

For details of the many Group Activities and Events organised by Banstead u3a for those no longer in full-time work, visit here <https://u3asites.org.uk/banstead/home>

Please let me know if you have an event taking place in the next 2 months.

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Note. The next issue of "The Tribune" is expected to be distributed in May. If you wish to read an online version of the current or previous versions of The Tribune please visit the TWRA web site here <http://www.twra.org.uk/about/t...>