

Warden Monthly Report

August 2024 – Pulborough Parish

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| Patrol hours TOTAL: | 83 | ASB (Anti-Social Behaviour) incidents reported to us TOTAL: | 4 |
| Foot | 62 | Noise | 0 |
| Vehicle | 21 | Neighbours | 0 |
| Notices/warnings TOTAL: | 0 | Driving/vehicles | 0 |
| Verbal warning | 0 | Bicycles | 1 |
| Parking alert | 0 | Alcohol | 0 |
| Yellow card warning (ASB) | 0 | Other | 3 |
| Community Protection Warning/Notice | 0 | | |
| Fixed Penalty Notice | 0 | Clear up/disposal reports TOTAL: | 0 |
| Reports into Police TOTAL: | 2 | Fly tipping / flyposting | 0 |
| Phone (including 101 and 999) | 0 | Graffiti | 0 |
| Online | 0 | Dog fouling | 0 |
| Intelligence report | 0 | Litter | 0 |
| Verbal | 2 | Drug litter | 0 |
| E-Mail | 0 | Hazards | 0 |
| Media Reports TOTAL: | 6 | | |
| Press release/Community magazines | 0 | | |
| Social media posts | 6 | Community events attended | 5 |
| Admin hours | 18 | School contact | 2 |
| Vulnerable people welfare checks | 7 | Youth engagement | 17 |
| Signposting | 9 | Reports to DVLA | 0 |
| Safeguarding referral | 0 | Reports to Operation Crackdown | 0 |

KEY:

ASB: Anti-social behaviour

HDC: Horsham District Council

Operation Crackdown: A joint initiative with Sussex Safer Roads Partnership and Sussex Police to report abandoned vehicles or anti-social driving.

PCSO: Police Community Support Officer

PPC: Pulborough Parish Council

WSSC: West Sussex County Council

WSFR: West Sussex Fire and Rescue

CSAS: Community Safety Accreditation Scheme

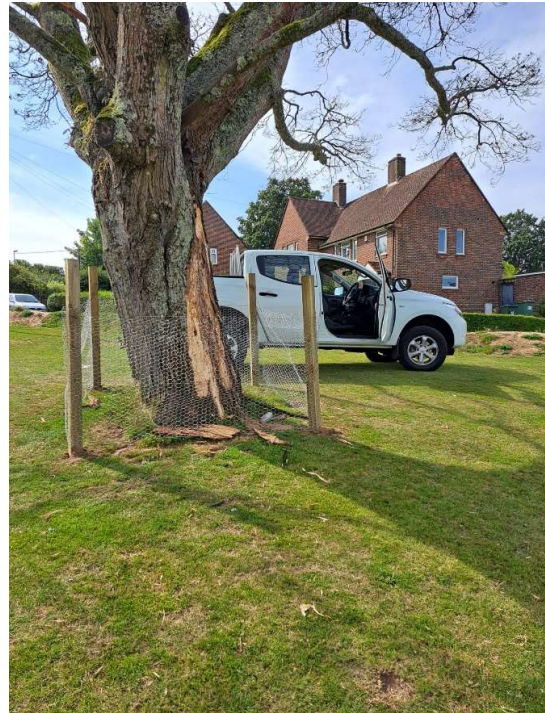
ASB/CRIME

- Damage to the Muga (Multi-Use Games Area)

In an attempt to retrieve an errant ball, damage was caused to the fencing of the MUGA. We have spoken to the parent of the young person involved to ask them to not do this again in the future.



- Youths attempted to start a fire on a footpath in Pulborough and were asked to stop by a member of the public. Said member of the public was spat on and punched. The Police were called and we were issued with descriptions of the offenders. We have provided support to the victim.
- A tree on the main recreation ground had bark stripped off it. A fence was installed and this too was pretty much immediately vandalised.



Parking/Vehicles/Road

Cycling down Potts Lane again! - A member of the community was almost run over by a delivery cyclist for Dominos, cycling down Potts Lane. We recently had the No Cycling signage replaced, so there was no acceptable reason for this.

We designed a poster explaining the cycling regulations and delivered it the store and spoke to the manager, who assured us that he would speak to all of his staff and remind them of what they can and can't do...



Useful vehicle related links:

To report a vehicle with no MOT and/or no tax please see links below to the Government website:

<https://www.gov.uk/report-no-mot>

<https://www.gov.uk/report-untaxed-vehicle>

For anti-social driving and abandoned vehicles, please report to Operation Crackdown at:

<http://www.operationcrackdown.org/>

Fly Tipping/Littering/Graffiti

We have not found or had reported to us any fly tipping this month.

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: www.trolleywiseapp.co.uk

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>

Patrols (foot/visible and car)

We have been focusing our patrols on the areas of the village where we have seen anti-social behaviour occur at this time of year and as we do each month, we have focused our vehicle patrols on the fly tipping hotspots on the more rural roads of the parish and checked that the carriageways are kept clear of debris.

Older, Vulnerable People and Youth

Older People

Silver Bullet Men's Group – COMING SOON!

We have had some positive news that Age UK have had a volunteer come forward to start up a Silver Bullet Men's Group in Pulborough which will hopefully replicate one that already runs in Horsham. Thanks to the kindness of Macklins @ The Riverside, we will be holding this meet-up session in their lovely waters-edge cafe and bar.

Youth

Youth Sports Activities – COMING SOON!

In collaboration with the Chanctonbury Leisure Centre, the Parish Council are running multi-sports activity sessions at the Village Hall for young people in our community aged 8-12.



Dog Related Issues

We continue to remind people to please remember to pick up after your dogs.

Dog fouling can be reported via the HDC website:

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

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 *****

Parish specific/other

Pulborough Community Allotment

Our Community Allotment continues to grow and evolve; we have a fantastic working group and a cracking team of volunteers, who are helping to drive this project forward.

We are soon going to be extending the allotment into a neighbouring bed, where the plan is to sow our winter crops.

We recently took delivery of a load of hand tools which are being put to good use by our wonderful team.

If you have any questions about this initiative, or would like to get involved, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

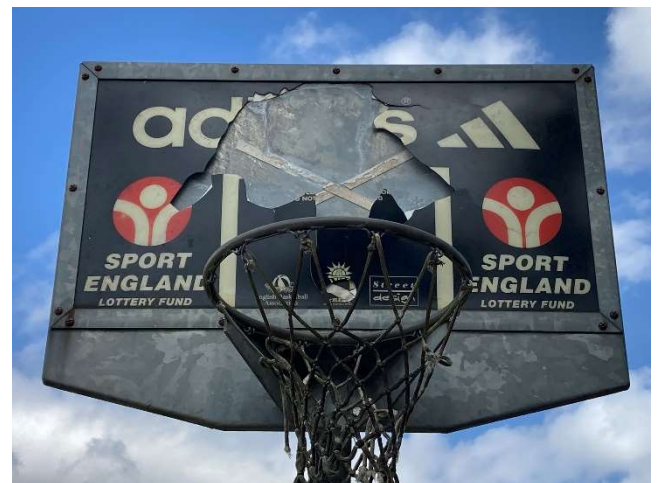




Thank you to Chris Poore, Storrington & Sullington Warden, for the donation of some gardening tools.

Pulborough Community Allotment Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61563502016842>

Basketball hoop by the Sports Pavillion – we reported the poor condition of the backboard and line markings to the Parish Council for their information.



Accessibility issues of pavement in Link Lane –

We notified the housing authority, who manage the property, about the hedgerows growing over the pavement and they have organised a cut back.



Pulborough Shedders



This month we have once again enjoyed calling into the Sheddars and seeing all the work going on restoring old pieces and creating new items such as bat boxes.



It was also a pleasure to take along some donated tools from our colleague Chris Poore, Storrington & Sullington Warden. The Sheddars have been sorting through both their power tools and hand tools, cleaning and repairing as they go.

Those that are surplus to the group's needs will be displayed at the forthcoming Pulborough Harvest Fair on the 28th September where donations can be given in exchange for the tools. This will provide much needed funds for the ongoing running of the group.

Pulborough Shedders Facebook page can be found here: <https://www.facebook.com/pulboroughshedders>

Pulborough "Journey" support group for parents and carers of children with Autism and Special Educational Needs (SEN)



Journey
A support group for
Parents and Carers of
Autistic and SEN Children

Come along this month to any of our sessions and meet with other parents on a similar journey to you.

No diagnosis required, no pressure, just a free cuppa and a chat.

Ashington*
ashington.wardens@horsham.gov.uk
Friday 13th Sept | 10am - 11am
Ashington Church,
Church Lane, RH20 3JX

Billingshurst*
billingshurstwardens@horsham.gov.uk
Monday 23rd Sept 9.30am - 10.30am
The Depot, 83a High Street,
Billingshurst

Pulborough*
pulborough.wardens@horsham.gov.uk
Temporarily postponed. Due to work on premises.

Storrington & Sullington
storrington-sullington.wardens@horsham.gov.uk
Tuesday 17 Sept | 12pm - 1pm
Storrington Library, (North Street)
Storrington Car Park.
6 North Street Storrington. RH20 4NZ

We have temporarily suspended our Journey support group in Pulborough due to both a decline in attendance and works being carried out to the kitchen area at the Sports & Social Club. We are signposting to the groups in our neighbouring areas until we decide on the longer-term future of the group.



Autism & SEN Family Fun Day



FAMILY FUN DAY

Horsham District Neighbourhood Wardens in Partnership with Chanctonbury leisure centre, are hosting an Autism and SEN fun day.

Friday August 2nd
10:30am – 3pm at Chanctonbury Leisure Centre.

Activities available for everyone, bring the whole family.

For more Info: Contact Storrington-SullingtonWardens@horsham.gov.uk

NEIGHBOURHOOD WARDENS

DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN!

CHANCTONBURY LEISURE CENTRE
Providing a happy community





On Friday 2nd August we held an Autism and SEN family fun day in partnership with Chanctonbury Leisure Centre and our colleagues from Ashington and Storrington & Sullington. The day was a huge success with a large number of families attending. It was brilliant to see the young people having a go at wheelchair basketball, as well as archery, table tennis and soft play. The enjoyment the day brought to so many felt like an amazing achievement by us all.

The feedback we received was so positive. Here are some examples of what the parents said:

"My 3 boys had a great time and really enjoyed it. It wasn't too overwhelming, and it was really lovely that all 4 of the wardens chatted to everyone, adults and children and were also able to relate to many of us. Mine would definitely be up for another event similar!"

"My little boy and I had the best time! The staff was fantastic! I am so grateful to them for making our day so special, especially as we have just arrived from another country and my little one was so nervous to attend this event as he is too scared to speak in English. It was incredibly heart-warming to see how one of the staff members interacted with him. I want to express my sincere thanks and apologize for how tiring the table tennis match must have been with my son :) Thank you so much! I'm also thankful to Louisa for giving me so much attention and engaging in great conversations with me. :) We'd love more sessions! :) Kind regards"

"I went with my 2 grandchildren who thoroughly enjoyed it, and I know my daughter would welcome more sessions for them to go to. I think it was well equipped, not too overwhelming for them and staff really made the effort to engage with them. Really good 👍"

"We went and absolutely loved it! More of these sessions would be great, we'll be there!!!"

Weekly Multi Sports for Autistic & SEN Children

After the success of the fun day on the 2nd August and with the continued support of Andi Dunstan from Chanctonbury Leisure Centre, we have now arranged to run some weekly multi sports sessions for Autistic and SEN

FREE

MULTI SPORTS FOR AUTISTIC & SEN CHILDREN



**WEDNESDAY
4PM - 5:30PM**

**25TH OF SEPTEMBER - 23RD OF OCTOBER
6TH NOVEMBER - 4TH DECEMBER**

**DROP IN SESSION, COME AND HAVE A GO!
AT CHANCTONBURY LEISURE CENTRE, SPIERBRIDGE ROAD
STORRINGTON-SULLINGTONWARDENS@HORSHAM.GOV.UK**





children on the dates listed on this poster. We will again be running these in partnership with our colleagues from Ashington and Storrington & Sullington.

Refurbishment of Carpenters Meadow Play Area (Horsham District Council)

We are very excited about the upcoming refurbishment of this area, which is long overdue and will hopefully make a big difference to the lives of children in the area.





HORSHAM DC - CARPENTERS MEADOW

QUOTATION REF: 28324



PLAYSAFE
PLAYGROUNDS LTD



L1 The timetable for the award of this Contract is as follows:

| Event | Date |
|---|--|
| Deadline for Submission of Quotes | Friday 26 th July 2024 |
| Contract Award Notification | Week beginning 5 th August 2024 |
| Provisional Contract Start Date (on site) | Monday 23 rd September 2024 |
| Practical Completion Date | Friday 18 th October 2024 |

Support on the Move

Come and visit our advice vehicle for advice and support.

Advice on offer:

- Benefit checks
- Debt Advice
- Career advice
- Housing

*Pulborough Pantry Sports & Social Club
Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday
9:30-10:30*

Horsham Matters
Meeting Needs, and Improving Lives
CHARITY NUMBER: 1116253

INFO@HORSHAM-MATTERS.ORG.UK 0300 124 0204 WWW.HORSHAM-MATTERS.ORG.UK

Horsham Matters Mobile Support Hub continues to visit the Pulborough Pantry on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month between 9.30 and 10.30am. Horsham Matters, which supports residents suffering from food and energy poverty, is taking its advice services on the road in a bid to ensure residents across the Horsham District can access face-to-face support on issues such as housing, utilities, budgeting, benefits, and debt.

This is very much a use it or lose it service so please do help promote it!

Social Media

Please do follow us at:

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

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

<https://twitter.com/HorshamWardens>