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Hello, Mary here, your Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator, **and** Crime Officer **(Have now got the Certificate to prove it!)** I attended this Month's P.A.C.T. (Police and Communities Together) Meeting held on Tuesday 6th July; here is a summary of the main topics communicated/discussed;

N.H.W. community update/items discussed;

The police reported that the current priorities for the Marton area are;

- Reports of drivers using mobiles
- Unknown persons leaving waste in green areas of the Ward
- Youths gathering outside shops at the junction of St Leonards and Worcester Roads

Criminal damage on Whitegate drive; Wordsworth Avenue, Stanley Park, Fredora and Royal Bank Avenue:

At last month's public meeting we asked what problems you had experienced in the area. You told us criminal damage. Damage on Stanley Park reduced to only one incident reported. Two offenders have been identified for two incidents on the ward.

Speeding issues on Kipling drive; Wordsworth Avenue, Preston old road, Doncaster and St Leonards:

The team have applied for a handheld speed Gun. 2 motors have been seized and section 59s issued.

(Section 59: Vehicles used in a manner causing alarm, distress or annoyance)

Dog fouling issues on Worcester, Lawson, and St Leonards Roads: Action days have been organised with Park Rangers and offenders fined. Incidents have reduced.

Other news; 19 youth referrals were issued by the Team and alcohol confiscated.

Community Local News

As promised full itinerary of forthcoming events for Youth Week: (May be subject to Change)

In conjunction with "Lancaster Constabulary" "The Friends of Stanley Park", "N.W. Air Ambulance", "Fylde Neighbourhood Watch" "Blackpool Model Village" and many others, all working together to bring to you....

"MEGA"



Date: 9th - 13th August 2010 – 12pm-4pm daily.

Venue: Stanley Park, West & East Park Drives, Blackpool

Monday 9th August 2010

- Ambulance Service
- Bike coding
- Boxing
- Buzz bus and the HUB
- Dog warden
- Fishing (under 12's) 12:00pm-14:00pm
- Fire & Rescue Service
- Football coaching 12:00pm -15:00pm
- Graffiti board and artist
- Jiu jitsu display
- Lambretta scooters
- Open top bus with ghost and heritage tour
- Road Service and Dr Bike
- The Clock Tower

Wednesday 11th August 2010

- Army
- Trim trail with a police officer
- Wheelchair slalom (disabled children team versus the Police)
- Boxing
- Buzz bus and the HUB
- Children's Police Academy
- Circus school
- DJ Keenan
- The Clock Tower
- Dog warden
- Football coaching
- Graffiti board and artist
- Jiu-jitsu
- Lambretta scooters
- Open top bus with ghost and heritage tour
- Lancashire Police Authority (stall) - competition - prize £20 voucher
- Rugby coaching
- Underwater search team

Friday 13th August 2010

- Foxy and the Wonder James band
- Boxing
- Buzz bus and the HUB
- Clock Tower
- Dog warden
- Football coaching
- Graffiti board and artist
- HUEY helicopter
- Healthy Weight
- Blackpool Family Information Service
- BSafe
- Stop Smoking
- SHINE Children & Young People's Centre •
- The Zoo (face painting and educational stall)
- Lambretta scooter
- Open top bus with ghost and heritage tour
- Spitfire (shell of an old spitfire)

Tuesday 10th August 2010

- Army (assault course)
- Circuit training with a police officer • Boxing
- Buzz bus and the HUB
- Children's Police Academy
- The Clock Tower
- Dog warden
- Fishing (under 12's) 12:00pm-14:00pm
- Fire & Rescue Service
- Football coaching 12:00pm -15:00pm
- Graffiti board and artist
- Jiu jitsu
- Lambretta scooters
- Open top bus with ghost and heritage tour
- Underwater search team

Thursday 12th August 2010

- Foxy and the Wonder James band
- Boxing
- Buzz bus and the HUB
- Children's Police Academy
- The Clock Tower
- Dog warden
- Fishing (under 12's) 12:00pm - 14:00pm
- Fire & Rescue Service
- Football coaching
- Graffiti board and artist
- Jiu jitsu
- Lambretta scooters
- Open top bus with ghost and heritage tour
- Rugby coaching
- Professional skateboarders from Manchester (Robert Smith, Ollie Tyreman)
- Professional BMXer from Manchester (Lewis Scott)
- Youth and outdoor PACT meeting (Police and Community Together)
- **Skateboarding Competition**
- **Skateboarding Prize Giving**
- **Children's Police Academy Presentation and Passing Out Parade**



CHILDREN'S POLICE ACADEMY



Your Child will have the opportunity to become a Police Cadet, complete with a provided “special uniform”.

Each day they will have to complete a “Police Task” by solving a “Crime” that has taken place in “The Model Village”

At the end of their “FUN TRAINING”, they will be presented with a *Personalised Certificate* and Police Badge by Chief Inspector Karen. Simister.

N.B. Places are strictly limited.

If you would like to enrol your Child in the “Academy”, please contact Mary N., on Tel. 01253 765491, for an entry form or, you can download or complete the form, from the Marton N.H.W. website www.fyldeneighbourhoodwatch.co.uk/marton

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Next P.A.C.T Meeting Date

Many thanks to all of you, who attended this month's meeting, and to Ann Marie of RETRO for the use of the premises, and provision of refreshments.

The next P.A.C.T. Meeting will be held on TUESDAY 3rd AUGUST at 4pm Venue: RETRO on St. Leonard's Road (Next door to the Launderette). If you would like to discuss or comment on any of the above topics, or would like to add input to the next N.H.W. Newsletter, or maybe even assist in any way, give me a call on Marton Tel. No. 765491, alternately you can email me at mary.naylor54@btinternet.com/hoods57@btinternet.com or visit; www.fyldeneighbourhoodwatch.co.uk/marton

If you are unable to attend the above meeting there is a secondary P.A.C.T. Meeting/ Councillors Surgery held, every second Thursday of the Month 12th August 6.00-6.30 at The United Reform Church Hall, Preston Old Road (entrance, rear building on Kingsley Avenue)

Regards,

Mary N.

Neighbourhood Watch co-ordinator, representing Doncaster, Prescott Place, Southbourne, Worcester, Lancaster Abbotsford and Lawson Roads.



Mary's moan of the Month

When Larry, our Lawn mower eventually died a horrible death and ascended to the 'Great Lawn in The Heavens', I kept hinting to "hubby" that he should go and get a new one as soon as possible.

But, somehow he always had something else to take care of first, clean the Barbeque! Sort out the car, go on the internet...always something more important...

Finally, after losing my little dogs yet again in the long grass, I thought of a clever way to make my point.

Hubby arrived home one day, to find me seated in the tall grass, busily snipping away with a tiny pair of sewing scissors... He watched me silently for a short time and then went into the house.

He was gone for quite a while, (Great I thought he has gone out to buy a new Lawnmower!!!) but when eventually he came back out again, he handed me a toothbrush.....

And said, "When you finish cutting the grass, you might as well sweep the driveway as well"

The doctors say, he will walk again, but will always have a limp!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



HAVE YOUR SAY!



HAPPY DAYS!!!!

Hello, remember me Digby? I was looking for a new home because my "Human" Mummy and Daddy had to go into a Rest Home.

Well I just thought you would like to know that I now have a lovely new home and family, but that is not the best bit..... I am now a Mancunian!!!

Yes, I now live in Manchester, what is so special about that I hear you say – well, guess where my Mummy and Daddy's Rest Home is? - correct, Manchester.

So I call in and see them all the time, talk about the best of both worlds eh!!!

"Thank You", to everyone who took the time and trouble for me, and a "Special Thank You" to "Aunty Lisa (Page) My Dog Walker and Dear Friend" xxx