

# Parish Council monthly update

**Little Stour and Ashstone**

January 2021

Information provided by: PCSO Eva WINTER Dover Community Safety Unit

## **Crimes of note:**

I am pleased to report that in the month of January there was very few calls made to Kent Police. The ones that were made to us are as follows:

### **Poaching:**

12<sup>th</sup> Jan – Poaching in Staple, officers attended but by the time they attended, the offenders had left the area.

19<sup>th</sup> Jan – Further poaching call to Staple, however on this occasion the offenders had left before officers attended

27<sup>th</sup> Jan – Further poaching call in Staple, this time a vehicle registration was taken which has been passed to the Rural Task force.

If you see any incidents of poaching please call in via 101 and try and obtain any vehicle registration numbers as these are very helpful for our teams working to stop the act of poaching.

### **Other:**

16<sup>th</sup> Jan – Nuisance Youths, in Preston there was a report made of nuisance youths on electric scooters, again when patrols attended there was no youths in the area.

25<sup>th</sup> Jan – Fraud – scam email sent to a resident in Ash about a covid job advert and to follow the link for details, when clicked on link it started to ask for personal details. This was reported to action fraud.

There are numerous scams doing the rounds at the moment, either via phone or email. If anyone is unsure of the nature of these emails or calls, please do not click on links or call numbers back, report to the police and action fraud, both of which take moments on line.

Kent Police Community Safety Unit, in conjunction with Dover District Council



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Community Safety Unit remain jointly working together targeting nuisance vehicles in our rural communities, proactively targeting and disrupting those responsible for nuisance riding in the Dover District

When reporting incidents of anti-social, nuisance and / or suspicious behaviour please consider the advice below:

- The Time/ Day/ Date/ Location of the incident.
- Names of or if unknown, a description of the offender, as full as possible, including clothing.
- Any vehicle markings, such as registration numbers and a full description of the vehicle, including make/ model/ vehicle type, colour, any distinctive markings or damage.
- If images (stills or CCTV) can be obtained at no risk to the informant, please email these to your local officer or [CSU.dover@kent.police.uk](mailto:CSU.dover@kent.police.uk)

PCSO BROOK and PCSO WINTER joined the online Parish Council meetings in January 2021 via zoom. This was in preparation for the ward of Ashstone and Littlestour to be appropriately covered whilst PCSO BROOK is on maternity duties/leave. PCSO WINTER has been put in post to cover the area and will be carrying out all the duties PCSO BROOK would normally perform.

The Parish Council meetings will be joined on a bi-monthly basis by the PCSO. PCSO's will be attending the next meetings in March 2021.

Ongoing high visibility patrols have been maintained in and around the villages of Ash, Wingham, Preston, Stourmouth, Staple and Goodnestone for this period and will continue.



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