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| **Faversham Town Council** | February 2021 |
| Information provided by: | PCSO Sarah Jones |

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| Crimes of note: |
| * **Local Stores** – Nine reports of shoplifting from local stores since the beginning of February.
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| * **Penhurst Road** – Vehicle broken into and tools stolen.
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| * **Priory Place** – Victim noticed their window had been broken, neighbours did not hear or see anything.
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| * Multiple reports of groceries being stolen from the front porches of properties around Faversham.
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| Anti-social behaviour and other incidents of note: |
| * **Thomas Neame Avenue** – Report of a nuisance vehicle being revved continuously while music is being played.
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| * **St Mary’s Road**– Two males going door to door stating they were from a charity, when residents didn’t give any money to the males, they would become aggressive in their tone.
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| * **Recreation Ground, Edward Vinson Drive, Wildish Road & Ivory Close** – Multiple reports of a yellow quad bike being used around Faversham; officers often patrol the area, but this vehicle has not been seen in use.
* **Horsford Walk –** A group of youths throwing eggs and stones, patrols attended and did not locate any youths and no damage was identified.
* **Barnes Close –** Further reports of youths throwing eggs at a property, no damage caused.
* **Whiting Crescent & Napleton Road–** Reports of youths throwing snowballs at properties and filling wheelie bins with snow. Patrols attended and did not locate youths.
* **Athol Place** – Report of a dirt bike on pavements and rider not wearing a helmet.
* **Bysing Wood Road** – Report of youths playing in the road and not moving for vehicles, patrols attended, and no youths were located.
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| Items of good work: |
| * We have been focusing on electric scooters in Swale and educating the riders on the law. We have stopped multiple and given words of advice, we have a process which we follow in order to deal with the issues effectively. On a first instance a rider is given a verbal warning and a leaflet explaining the law, if under 18 years old then parents/guardians are visited. If they are witness a second time a Section 59 is issued and if they continue then the scooter can be seized.
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| * This month we have received multiple reports of quad bikes and dirt bikes being used all around Faversham, we have ensured that the roads reported to us have been patrolled regularly. One quad bike has been seen stationery and words of advice were given.
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| * A day of action has been completed regarding the use of bicycles in the Town Centre where you should dismount. We stopped bicycles and gave words of advice to the riders regarding the no cycling signs.
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| Updates of previous reported issues­: |
| Unfortunately, due to this being my first report I do not have any update from previous reported issues. |
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