

# Faversham Town Centre Newsletter



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### New Beat Officers

I would like to take this opportunity to let you know that PC Gary MORRIS has now left as a beat officer and will now be working within our department as a 'Community Liaison Officer', PC MORRIS was the beat officer for Watling ward, and I am sure we will all wish him the best in his new role.

As PC MORRIS has now left the wards have now changed and I would like to take this opportunity to introduce two new beat officers who will be working alongside PC Tancock. PC Jez CHITTIM and PC Kirsten JONES. Both these officers have over 10 years of experience and have worked in Faversham over the years as the previous Town Centre officers. Both have a good local knowledge of the town wards and are very happy to be working back down here again.

PC Jez CHITTIM will be looking after Watling ward, whilst PC Kirsten JONES will be looking after Priory and St Ann's leaving PC Tancock with Abbey ward.

### Police Surgery

To be confirmed – Will be sent out on 'MY COMMUNITY VOICE'

### Crime

#### Abbey Ward

13/09/2024 – Theft from a motor vehicle - New Creek Road

13/09/2024 – Attempt burglary, unconnected building, attempted to break into a shed – Abbey Road

10/09/2024 – Theft other, lead stolen from a building room - Preston Street

#### Priory Ward

13/09/2024 - Burglary, unconnected building, shed broken into, bike stolen and damage caused - Upper Brents

10/09/2024 – Theft from a motor vehicle, number plate stolen - Bysing Wood Road

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08/09/2024 – Attempt burglary, unconnected building, report of garage lock being tampered with - Barnes Close

09/09/2024 -Theft other, victim had her bag stolen - Briton Road

### Watling Ward

06/09/2024 – Residential burglary - St. Nicholas Road

13/09/2024 -Burglary unconnected building, shed broken into and pushbike stolen - Canute Road

14/09/2024 – Burglary Business and community, persons have entered a building and caused damage - London Road

15/09/2024 – Burglary Business and community, premises broken into and items taken - Tettenhall Way

16/09/2024 - Burglary Business and community, suspects have snapped a lock to gain access to a container before removing items - Salters Lane

28/09/2024 – Burglary Business and community, suspects have forced entry and stolen items - Selling Road

## Anti-Social behaviour

We have received around 20 calls in the month of September reporting nuisance vehicles in and around the Watling and St Anns wards of the Western Link, calls report nuisance off road bikes. Local officers are aware, and enquiries are still ongoing.

29/09/2024 – Nuisance vehicle. Reports of 5 off road bikes riding along the Recreational ground.

04/09/2024 – Nuisance vehicle, off road bike causing a nuisance – Western Link

20/09/2024 – Nuisance vehicle, reports of an off-road bike riding around – Ham Road

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27/09/2024 – ASB, reports of adults gathering by a derelict garage block - Priory Row

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Your local officer is Police  
Officer

**PC James Tancock, PC  
Jez CHITTIM and PC  
Kirsten JONES**

## Good work story/stories

PC Tancock and PC Jones on 23/09/2024 stopped an off-road bike being used on the road. The rider made off from officers but was located shortly after. The bike was seized, and the driver was reported for traffic offences.

PC Tancock and PC Jones on 28/09/2024 located items suspected to have been stolen, local enquiries led the officers to locate a business premises that had been broken into. Officers managed to locate two offenders and recovered more stolen items. Both suspects were arrested and were remanded to appear before the court.

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