## Preston Park Monthly Ward update – PCSO Rob Bartholomew 39789

#### Ward Update

Currently, some key concerns in the area include:

- Youth anti-social behaviour (ASB) in Preston Park
- Speeding on Preston Drove

In response to these issues, I am increasing patrols and presence within Preston Park and plan to take the Speed Indicator Device out to Preston Drove.

Please continue to report any issues to us online or via 101 as this will inform our policing priorities and ensure these issues get the attention they need.

# **Community Meetings & Ward Days**

• I am planning a ward day for Saturday the 23<sup>rd</sup> of November, when I will be around the park all day. Please do come and find me!

I am keen to get involved with any community meetings or visits. I can attend nursery schools, schools, community centres, community meetings or meet with local businesses. Pease don't hesitate to contact me. You can do this by contacting 101 and quoting PCSO Bartholomew 39789. We can then get something arranged!

### **The Preston Park Ward**

This October we have seen;
A 40% decrease in ASB reports,
A 55% decrease in Criminal Damage reports,
And a slight increase in Anti-social Driving.
Anti-social driving can be reported to Operation Crackdown on –
www.OperationCrackdown.org

### **Incidents of Note / AOB**

On the 31st of October, there was a large group of approximately 150 – 200 youths dressed up for Halloween, causing antisocial behaviour within the park. Several bottles of alcohol were seized, and the group was dispersed.

Halloween and other holidays are a fun time for a lot of people, but with spooky season behind us, now we're just haunted by the Christmas shopping list!

Remember to keep your wallets close and your sanity closer as we begin to dodge holiday traffic and rogue shopping trollies!