

Sussex Alerts- Brighton & Hove Police

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Welcome to the June edition of the Brighton and Hove Monthly Bulletin on Sussex Alerts. June has been another busy month for us here at John Street, with plenty going on behind the scenes.

Night Coppers series 3 started again last month and the final episode has now aired! Have you seen it? We hope that this series can give you some insight into the variety of incidents that occur here in the city, as well as the officers and staff that deal with them.

If you have seen the series and think you might be interested in joining us, you can take a look at the recruitment opportunities on the Sussex Police website. We would love to hear from you!

If you have missed any episodes, you can watch on Channel 4 catch up!

At the start of the month, we recognised and paid tribute to our volunteers whose inspirational contribution makes a positive difference to our police force and our communities across Sussex. Volunteers include Special Constables, Police Support Volunteers, Community Speedwatch Volunteers and Police Cadets. We are always incredibly grateful to all our volunteers and thank each and every one of them for the work they do.

If you would like to find out more about any of our volunteer roles then you can visit the recruitment [page for volunteers](#).

As always, we are here for you 24/7. If you need help, please contact us on 101 or online. If it is an emergency, 999!

Si Marchant
Chief Inspector

News

Witnesses sought after child is followed in Brighton



Police are appealing for information after a 9-year-old boy was reportedly followed by a man in Dyke Road, near to St Nicholas Rest Garden, in Brighton.

The incident was said to have happened at around 8.45am on 13 June, and that a man had tried to grab the boy and then followed him along the road.

You can read more about this here - <https://www.sussex.police.uk/news/sussex/news/witness-appeals/witnesses-sought-after-child-is-followed-in-brighton/>

Police are actively investigating following a fight in Brighton



Police thank the public for providing vital information following a fight in Bamford Close, Brighton, at 6.18pm on Thursday evening (26 June).

“We want to thank the public who called in to report the fight and tell us what they saw,” said Detective Inspector Duncan Lloyd. “This included seeing three people driving away in a badly-damaged car.”

You can learn more about this incident here - [Police are actively investigating following a fight in Brighton | Sussex Police](#)

Information and advice



Is your bike safe?

Now the weather is starting to warm up, you might want to start using your bikes to get out and about and enjoy the city!


We would like to remind owners to ensure they lock their bikes up, preferably to a stand (or similar) and to use at least 2 good quality locks.

You may only be popping into a shop for a minute, but it only takes seconds for someone to grab an unlocked bike and cycle off.

Click here for advice on keeping your bike safe: <https://orlo.uk/E1gG8>

Home security



"I'm only popping out for 5 mins!" 

As tempting as it is to leave windows open with the warmer weather, it is not worth the risk.

Each year a number of burglaries are reported during the summer months, and often it is opportunist thieves taking advantage of homes left insecure.

It's vital to leave your home locked and secure whenever you leave it.

Remember:



close and lock doors and windows



Don't leave valuables on display



Keep side gates/garages locked

Find advice on all aspects of home security here



<https://orlo.uk/SzZ4N>

You can find more safety advice on our website here - [Protecting your home from crime | Crime prevention | Sussex Police](#)

Call 101 when you don't require an urgent response. In an emergency when life is threatened or there is immediate danger always call 999.

Connect with us face-to-face at a police station or contact the local policing team at www.sussex.police.uk/area/your-area.

If you are deaf, hard of hearing or speech impaired, you can contact us using TypeTalk on 18000 or by sending a text to 65999.



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