

8 September 2014

"On the Beat" with Bron Umbras, Acting OIC Mundijong Station



Hello to all of our ewatchers,

The month of August 2014 has seen a total of 174 incidents recorded for the Mundijong sub-District, with our local staff attending to about 430 tasking matters. This has been an increase from the previous couple of months and this encompasses a variety of both crime and general incidents, including traffic crashes, burglaries, domestic violence, stealing and drug related activities.

We received 60 crime or traffic related incidents for Byford, 15 for Oakford, 12 for Wandi, 10 for Serpentine, 9 for Jarrahdale, 7 for Mundijong, 8 for Anketell, 9 for Cardup, 10 for Casuarina and a few in remaining areas, with the remainder of the total being for general incidents.

We continue to receive good support from the Traffic Enforcement Group (TEG) in conducting patrols and speed enforcement activities in our residential streets, with Byford and Serpentine being the most recent areas visited last week.

Unfortunately despite our efforts, there have been six serious traffic crashes in the last two weeks. Three of them occurred in Byford, with a red Holden Commodore utility crashing into a power pole along the stretch of businesses on South Western Highway, a silver Toyota Corolla hatchback crashing into a tree just north of Kiln Road and two cars colliding on Abernethy & Warrington Roads. Another vehicle crashed into a tree along Kingsbury Drive, Jarrahdale and two cars collided on Anketell Road where it meets the Kwinana Freeway. On all of these occasions occupants of the vehicles were either air lifted by the RAC helicopter or taken to hospital with substantial injuries.

The 'hot spots' for burglaries are Byford (15), Wandi (5) & Anketell (3), with our efforts directed

towards Byford, who have had a number of businesses or community buildings broken into, including the BMX Club and Motocross Club. These have been occurring during the night, usually in the early hours and we are receiving additional support from Armadale Police to catch those involved.

Our station has undergone some recent background changes, including the adoption of the new policing model successfully operated in the South East Metropolitan Police District and launching into social media with the opening of our station's Twitter account.

We will be forwarding a Community Release shortly, which will outline our efforts to further connect with our community using social media and provide improved ways you can contact us and provide/receive information, so that we can keep our officers on the road where you need us.

As a preview to this release please go onto our WA Police website http://www.police.wa.gov.au/ and select 'Online Reporting' in yellow, and have a look at the various online options to report and follow up on certain matters, including reporting hoon driving occurring in our community.

We have also released our station email address (see link below) as another good way of contacting us for general inquiries, requests for patrols, passing on information or trying to make contact with a particular officer, especially when we all work different hours and shifts each week. We can advise you when that officer is next working and pass on your email for that officer to contact you and follow up on your matter.

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Crime Statistics for the Month of August 2014

Anketell

Kwinana Fwy - Possessed drug paraphernalia on which there was a prohibited drug or plant Treeby Rd - Burglary and commit; stealing Anketell Rd - Burglary and Commit/Stealing Thomas Rd - Burglary and commit; stealing

Byford

Allanson Dve - Burglary and Commit/Stealing Park Rd - Burglary and Commit/Stealing William St - Assault Common/Breach Police Order /Damage Malarkey Rd - Stealing Abernethy Rd - Damage SW Hwy - Damage x 2 /stealing x 5 Calneggia Dve - Steal Motor Vehicle Thomas Rd - Threats Kokoda Blvd - Stealing Doley Rd - Assault Common Shakleton Tce - Stealing Mead St - Burglary and Commit/Stealing Kardan Blvd - Burglary and Commit/Stealing Cinnabar Loop - Criminal Damage/Possess Proh drug/Trespass Evans Way - Stealing Gordin Way - Burglary with intent; stealing Bitalli Bend - Stealing Coulterhand Circle - Stealing Larsen Rd - Assault common Soldiers Rd - Assault common Alexander Rd - Assault common Mead St - Burglary and Commit; Stealing x 2

Cardup

McKenna Dr - Breach Police Order

Casuarina

Thomas Rd - Possess. a prohib drug Lavery Drive - Criminal Damage x 2/ Graffiti Nicolas Dr - Assault common

Darling Downs

No incidents reported

Hopeland

Henderson Rd - Damage Hopeland Rd - Possess and Cultivate Prohibited Plant

Jarrahdale

Jarrahdale Rd - Damage x2/Stealing, Burglary and commit; Balmoral Rd - Burglary and commit; Stealing, Stealing of Motor vehicle

Karrakup

Nettleton Rd - Burglary with Intent/Burglary and Commit x 2/Stealing x 2/Damage x 2

Keysbrook

Elliott Rd - Burglary and Commit/Stealing

Mardella

No incidents reported

Mundijong

Butcher St - Damage

Oakford

Stadamy St - Burglary with Intent Nicholson Rd - Burglary with intent King Rd - Stealing, Threats

Oldbury

No incidents reported

Serpentine

Rowe Rd - Steal Motor Vehicle Sunset Circle - Stealing

Wandi

Davenport Approach - Stealing x 2 Apostle Corner - Stealing x 2 Litchfield Circle - Stealing Goldfields Loop - Burglary and Commit; Stealing Whitby

Keirnan St - Posses and Cult proh. plant/posses proh. drug See the weekly crime statistics for your suburb

Our crime statistics cover residential burglaries, commercial burglaries, motor vehicle theft, graffiti and vandalism. Each offence is listed by suburb. If no offences were recorded in a suburb it will not be listed.

View Crime Statistics

Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale



Can You Help? (Unsolved Crime)

BYFORD - Last weekend on either the 23 or 24 August, a 254 Mustang Yellow Bobcat was stolen from the road reserve in Mead Street (directly opposite the Serpentine Jarrahdale Community Recreation Centre).

The bobcat was located inside a fenced area and tracks at the scene appear to indicate that the bobcat was driven across an open field and then loaded onto a truck.

If you saw anything suspicious regarding this crime with the Mead Street area last weekend please call Crimestoppers on 1800 333 000 or Mundijong Police on Tel. 9526 1900.



Missing Terrier

Mark (a concerned local resident) and his young family were devastated to find that their pet

terrier dog had been stolen from their fenced property. Mark advised that he had reported the issue to the Police and that he was aware of another two terriers who had also been stolen within the Shire's boundaries.

If you see any suspicious vehicles trolling your street, obtain the registration number and call 131444.

ewatch/Neighbourhood Watch



Neighbourhood Watch and ewatch volunteers assisted local Police and the Shire's Community Services team on Saturday 16th August in promoting both ewatch and Neighbourhood Watch within our community.

Volunteers signed up 60 new ewatch members.

The next Neighbourhood Watch meeting will be held on Thursday 25th September in the Committee Room of the Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale, 6 Paterson Street, Mundijong at 6.30pm.

Neighbourhood Watch Forum in Byford - Thursday 30th October 2014 In October Jenny O'Brien the WA State Coordinator for Neighbourhood Watch Head will facilitate a Neighbourhood Watch meeting in Byford to encourage membership from Byford residents. Date and Time : Thursday 30 October 2014 at 6.30pm Venue: Byford Central Community Centre, Cnr. Plaistowe Blvd. and Portwine Street, Byford

All welcome.



Focus on Serpentine Jarrahdale Youth Activity Group

S-J Youth Activity Group runs workshops each Saturday between 9.00am - 3.00pm for teenagers. Make new friends and have fun learning about metalwork, welding, make a crazy bike, make a solar project. We can help you make it happen.

Where:- Serpentine Jarrahdale Old Depot, Cnr Whitby & Butcher Streets, Mundijong When: Every Saturday during school terms

Membership enrolment is \$2.20 and weekly sessions are \$10 which includes lunch. Contact Jacki/Graham on 9525 2507 or visit http://http.sjyouthactivitygroup.wordpress.com



S-J Activity Group is seeking your assistance regarding Recent Attempted Breakins and Anti-Social Behaviour

Recently there have been some attempts to enter the site of the S-J Youth Activity Group site at the Cnr of Whitby and Butcher Streets in Mundijong.

Would be burglars and thieves have caused damage to the premises on a couple of occasions. The group urges the Mundijong public to report any suspicious activity to Police on 131444.

Community Events

To view a list of community events happening in September within the Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale simply click on this

link http://www.serpentinejarrahdale.crc.net.au/NewsAndEvents/Events/Pages/default.aspx Y-Time Youth Activities - September Programme



Contact WA Police

If you require police assistance or see suspicious behaviour please **call 131 444** immediately. If you have any information on a crime please **call Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000**.

