

3 February 2015

"On the Beat" with Senior Sgt. Mike Newman, **Mundijong Station**

Hello to all of our ewatchers

For the month of January 2015 a total of 190 incidents were recorded for the Mundijong Police sub-District. This encompasses a variety of both crime and general incidents, including traffic crashes, burglaries, domestic violence, stealing and drug related activities. The 'hot spots' for burglaries were Byford, Wandi, Whitby and Serpentine.

We have had some very good results with the arrest on 07/01/15 of a 31 year old male from Parmelia after a pursuit from Parmelia which concluded in Cardup after the male abandoned the motor vehicle and ran off into the bush. He was apprehended and charged with multiple offences including Aggravated Burglary, Stealing, Steal a Motor Vehicle, Create False Belief, Possess Controlled Weapon (a large hunting knife) and traffic offences. A 38 year old male also from Parmelia was arrested on 18/01/15 after another pursuit and charged with Burglary, Stealing and Traffic offences. It has been alleged that both these offenders had been committing offences together throughout various Police Districts including the newsagency and Subway in Byford. Both had their bail refused and have been remanded in custody.

A 16 year old male has been arrested and charged with a burglary offence in Byford that occurred on the 07/01/15. He appeared in court and was granted bail with strict bail conditions.

We have also executed some Misuse of Drugs Search Warrants in the Byford area where cannabis plants, smoking implements and other items of interest were seized. A number of persons will be summonsed to attend court resulting from these warrants.

With the warmer weather some people have made poor choices/decisions after having a few drinks, deciding they were "OK" to drive. Over the last 3 days we have apprehended and charged 3 people with drink driving offences. Alcohol is a major contributing factor to fatal traffic crashes, so don't make a poor decision that could potentially lead to a life changing experience.

We will continue focusing our patrols with the assistance from our South East Metro Southern Response Team from Armadale and the dedicated Traffic Enforcement Group in the Byford area due to the increase in reported crime.

Stealing from parked cars in the newer residential areas in Byford and public car parks in more remote locations such as Serpentine Falls car park continue to increase. Please don't leave your valuables in the car, secure your car in a garage or where possible and lock it up.

Similarly with the warmer weather don't become blasé about your home security. Burglaries are generally opportunistic crimes so if you take a little time and effort to ensure your security it may decrease your vulnerability to becoming a victim of crime.

Again I want to remind parents of their responsibilities in regards to off road motor bikes. Please ensure you are supervising your children, don't allow them to ride on the roads. This is an accident waiting to happen. Ask yourself if they have permission to ride in that area and do be mindful of other residents. Riders are not allowed to ride on private property without the permission of the owners. We have already received a number of complaints and both the police and SJS rangers will be keeping an eye out for anyone who is not complying. If you choose to ignore and get caught, the consequences are serious and the motor bike will be seized.

W.A Police are promoting a new commercial and website highlighting our new 2020 policing model, which has now rolled out in other parts of the metro area. Have a look using these

links https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oejWyEQDW4Q and http://frontline2020.police.wa.gov.au/

WA Police's Community Engagement Division launched our online summer burglary project, Safe as Houses. Please visit http://communitysafety.police.wa.gov.au for some advice on home safety and www.police.wa.gov.au for a range of interesting advice on a range of interesting topics. Our station Twitter account continues to grow and has been really popular, don't forget to jump on and follow us with all the latest news, events and results direct from us and if you are not a member of ewatch then maybe you should have a rethink and join nearly 800 other community minded members. Go onto www.police.wa.gov.au and follow the links for more information.

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Reported Crime Statistics for January 2015

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Treeby Rd - Assault Occassioning Bodily Harm; Deprivation of Liberty

Byford

Zircon Dr - Stealing x 3

Kokoda Blvd - Stealing

South Western Hwy - Burlary w/ intent x 2, Burglary & Commit x 3 Criminal Damage, Stealing x 2, False name and or address; No authority to drive, Possess a prohibited drug; possessed any drug parephernalia, Assault common

Larsen Rd - Burglary w/ intent, Stealing, Stealing of motor vehicle

Sheehan Way - Assault Occassioning Bodily Harm, Stealing

Darby Way - Acts or ommissions, with intent to harm, cause bodily harm

Briggs Rd - Stealing

Calneggia Dr - Burglary w/ intent

Plaistowe Blvd - Stealing of Motor Vehicle

Warrington Rd - Stealing

Beenyup Rd - Damage x 2, Stealing

Kardan Blvd - Stealing

Sansimeon Blvd - Stealing, Burglary and commit; Stealing

Clifton St - Damage x 2, Burglary and commit; Stealing

Daran Way - Stealing

Jasmin Prom - Stealing

Chicory Way - Stealing

Gadd Ave - Stealing

Hutchinson Blvd - Stealing, Burglary and commit; Damage

Walters Rd - Trespassing, Possess Prohibited drug; Possess any drug paraphernalia

Evans Way - Stealing; Stealing of motor vehicle

Baystone St - Stealing x 2

Moonstone Rd - Burglary and committ; Stealing x 2

Hoffman Way - Threats

Widji Way - Possess/Cultivate Prohibited Plant; Possess any drug paraphernalia

Malarkey Rd - Burglary and committ; Stealing

Jessie St - Stealing of motor vehicle

Gingerale Cir - Burglary and commit; stealing, Stealing of motor vehicle

Valli Link - Assault common; Deprivation of liberty, Criminal Damage

Larimar Pde - Stealing, Burglary w/ intent; damage

McCavanah Rd - Stealing

Linton St North - Criminal Damage

Hopkinson Rd - Assault common

Lawrence Way - Burglary and commit; stealing

Hanretty Rd - Stealing

Park Rd - Assault common

Truman Prom - Damage

Tourmaline Blvd - Trespassing

Fawcett Rd - Burglary w/intent; stealing

Rimfire St - Stealing

Bateman St - Stealing x 2

Kardan Blvd - Stealing

Pomera Dr - Stealing

Cardup

Pollard Cross - Damage

Casuarina

Kwinana Freeway - Fail to stop when called upon

Marri Park Dr - Criminal Damage Graffiti

Orton Rd - Possess prohibited drug; Posssess any Drug paraphernalia

Thomas Rd - Dangerous driving causing bodily harm

Lavery Dr - Stealing

Darling Downs

Nil incidents reported

Hopeland

Karnup Rd - Damage, Stealing

Jarrahdale

Wanliss St - Damage, Breach of VRO

Karrakup

Nil incidents reported

Mardella

Nil incidents reported

Mundijong

Cockram St - Burglary and committ; Stealing of Motor Vehicle

Bishop Rd - Stealing x 2

Paterson St - Damage, Criminal damage

Watkins Rd - Fraud

Oakford

Thomas Rd - Stealing

Abernethy Rd - Trespassing, Damage, Stealing

Holstein Crt - Stealing of motor vehicle

Swamp Gum Rd - Stealing, Stealing of motor vehicle

Oldbury

Boomerang Rd - Burglary and committ; Stealing

Bird Rd - Stealing of motor vehicle

Leipold Rd - Stealing; Stealing of motor vehicle

Gossage Rd - Fail to ensure safe keeping of Firearms/Ammunition

Serpentine

South Western Hwy - Burglary and commit; Damage, Impersonating a public officer, Stealing of motor vehicle, Stealing

Utley Rd - Stealing of motor vehicle

Albany Highway - Stealing

Wandi

Mimosa Cir - Stealing x 2

Goldfields Loop - Stealing x 2

Parker Place - Burglary and committ; Stealing

Geikie Glade - Stealing, Damage

Bruny Meander - Stealing

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.

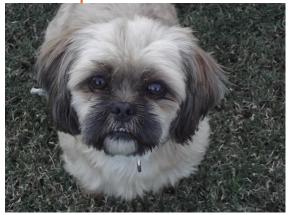
View Crime Statistics

Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale



Janice's Safety Tip - Dog Ownership

Before you purchase a dog ensure that you have thought carefully about the responsibility of dog ownership. Speak to your local vet and gather as much information as you can to aid you in your decision. Never buy a dog on impulse - dogs often live to around 12 years of age or longer. Owning a dog is a commitment which should be carefully considered.



Owners Basic Responsibilities

- •Your dog must wear a collar displaying council registration tag, your name, address and phone number
- •Your property must have adequate fencing to confine your dog
- •Keep your dog on a leash in public areas and near play equipment
- •Pick up all dog waste when out with your dog
- Adequately train your dog
- •Always carry a leash with you when taking your dog out in public
- •Keep your dog under control at all times
- •All dogs over the age of three months must be registered.
- •Ensure that your dog is microchipped.

Registration assists lost dogs to come home, contributes to the maintenance of the animal care facility and supports the ranger services.

Lost Animals

If you have lost your animal please contact Ranger Services 9526 1111.

Dog Attacks

The Shire takes all reported dog attacks seriously. If you or your dog are involved in a dog attack seek appropriate Veterinary/Medical assistance, then contact the Shire immediately. Interpretation of attack in relation to behaviour of a dog is:

- •Aggressively rushing at or harassing any person or animal
- •Biting or otherwise causing physical injury to a person or animal
- •Tearing clothing on or otherwise causing damage to the property of the person attacked
- •Attempting to attack or behaving in such a manner toward a person as would cause a reasonable person to fear physical injury unless the owner establishes that the behaviour was justified by a reasonable cause.

Barking Dogs

Barking not only causes serious noise issues for residents, but it can also cause friction between neighbours. The Shire's Rangers can provide useful information for both dog owners and residents

to help with barking dogs.

Microchipping

The Dog Act 1976 has been amended and commencing 1 November 2013 it is compulsory for any dogs registered on or after that date to be microchipped. Dogs that were registered prior to 31 October 2013, are required to be microchipped by 1 November 2015. However, it is advisable to address this matter now rather than waiting as failure to microchip your dog by 1 November 2015 may result in you being penalised.

For further information please contact the Shire on 9526 1111.

Neighbourhood Watch



Neighbourhood Watch meetings are held on the last Thursday of each month in the Kulbardi Room at the Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale Council Chambers, 6 Paterson Street, Mundijong at 6.30pm.

For more information contact Janice Ferguson, Community Safety and Crime Prevention Officer on Tel. 9526 1111 or email jferguson@sjshire.wa.gov.au



26th February 26th March 30th April 28th May 25th June 30th July

27th August 24th September 29th October 26th November



ewatch is a partnership between the Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale and the Mundijong Police. ewatch is a community safety and crime prevention tool that is used to deliver regular newsletters to the community regarding community safety and crime prevention issues.

For more information about the ewatch and Neighbourhood Watch programmes, please contact Janice Ferguson on Tel. 9526 1111 or email <code>jferguson@sjshire.wa.gov.au</code> Encourage your neighbourhos to join, advise them to simply clcik on this link <code>http://ewatch.com.au/join</code> and enter their details.





Community Events in the SJ Shire

To view a list of community events happening in February 2015 within the Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale simply click on this link

http://serpentinevalley.com.au/events/calendar

Youth Activities in February - Y Time



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**.

