

9 December 2014

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

Hello to all ewatchers

For the month of November 2014, a total of 137 incidents were recorded for the Mundijong Police sub-District. This continues a decreasing trend from previous months. This encompasses a variety of both crime and general incidents, including traffic crashes, burglaries, domestic violence, stealing and drug related activities.

The 'hot spot' for reported incidents was Byford, where we received an increase to 70 crime, traffic or general incidents, (10) in Oakford, (9) traffic related incidents in Anketell, (8) in Cardup, (7) in Wandi and a few for our remaining areas, with the remainder being for general incidents.

The 'hot spots' for burglaries were Byford (8), Wandi (3) and Oakford & Oldbury (1) each. We have continued to achieve a downward trend in the total monthly attempted or actual burglaries, across our 15 suburbs/areas, from (44) in August, (25) in September, (19) in October and to now (13) this month.

With the arrival of the summer weather and a possible increase in reported incidents in Byford, we will be focusing on increased patrols with the continued assistance from our South East Metro Southern Response Team based in Armadale and the dedicated Traffic Enforcement Group.

We have noticed an increase in stealings from parked cars in the newer residential areas in Byford and public car parks in more remote locations. Don't rely on trying to claim stolen items on insurance, please secure your car in a garage or remove your valuables if left in a driveway, verge or car park.

A 37 year old Oakford man received a total of six months imprisonment for the burglary at Nushine Car Wash in Byford on 22 September 2014. He had another alleged burglary in Karrakup on 19 September 2014. He was remanded in court until 16 December 2014 and has been remanded in custody.

A 40 year old Mundijong man was charged with allegedly breaking into a home under construction in Byford on 4 October 2014 with stolen property allegedly found at his home during a search warrant. He appeared in court and was remanded in custody again to reappear on 9 December 2014.

A 44 year old Wandi man on bail for 27 various charges was arrested on 22 November 2014. He was refused bail and has now been remanded in custody twice to reappear on 16 December 2014.

In conjunction with the Shire of Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Neighbourhood Watch, E-Watch and the YMCA Youth Team, we held three more BBQ sausage sizzles & kids activities in Keysbrook, Mundijong & Byford. All three events were again a great success and further events are planned for early 2015.

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 <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oejWyEQDW4Q">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oejWyEQDW4Q</a> and <a href="http://frontline2020.police.wa.gov.au/">http://frontline2020.police.wa.gov.au/</a>

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.

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Crime Stats for November 2014

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#### Anketell

Anketell Rd - Stealing, Carries or possesses a controlled weapon

Kwinana Fwy - Assault common

#### **Byford**

Larsen Road - Burglary with intent x 2

South Western Highway - Assault common, Stealing, Damage, Breach of VRO

Gingerale Circle - Criminal Damage

Daimpre Way - Stealing

Surman Street - Stealing

Poseidon Rd - Fraud

Aldred Turn - Fraud, Stealing

Plaistowe Boulevard - Stealing of Motor Vehicle, Burglary & commit, Stealing

Edward Crt - Stealing

Coulterhand Circle - Stealing

Linton St - Stealing

Allanson Dr - Stealing

Pomera Dr - Stealing a motor vehicle

Marlee St - Stealing

Ballager Rd - Burglary and commit, Stealing

Kardan Blvd - Stealing x 5, Possess prohibited drug, Possess unlicensed firearm/ammunition

Partridge Bend - Stealing

Thomas Rd - Damage

Abernethy Rd - Stealing

Park Rd - Stealing

John Crescent - Stealing

Marble Rd - Stealing

Shackleton - Damage

Barnard Rd - Damage, Stealing

Makybe Blvd - Damage, Stealing

Tourmaline Blvd - Stealing

Barber Lane - Stealing

Lawrence St - Stealing

Old Brickworks Rd - Stealing

Honeydew Bend - Assault common

Larimar Parade - Stealing

Saintly Turn - Burglary and committ, Stealing

Newhaven Pde - Stealing

Stevenson Pice - Burglary and committ, Stealing

Veterans Dr - Stealing

Malachite Rd - Stealing

Truman Prom - Stealing

Copper Rd - Stealing

Briggs Rd - Possess a Prohibited Drug

Ballawarra Ave - Robbery with circumstances of Aggravation

Huggins Rd - Burglary with Intent; Damage

Koonart Pass - Stealing

#### Cardup

Karbro Dr - Assault common

Kowin Crt - Assault common

Robertson Rd - Possess/cultivate prohibited plant, possess prohibited drug, possess any drug paraphernalia

Pollard Cross- Breach VRO, Assault common

Kowin Crt - Stealing, Breach of VRO

#### Casuarina

110 Orton Road - Damage

### **Darling Downs**

Comic Court Circuit - Stealing

Millars Log Road - Stealing

#### Hopeland

No incidents reported

#### **Jarrahdale**

Albany Highway - Stealing

#### Karrakup

No incidents reported

#### Mardella

No incidents reported

#### Mundijong

Mundijong Rd - Criminal Damage graffitti, Criminal damage by fire

#### Oakford

Blair Road - Assault common

Fieldview Chase - Stealing

Kargotich Rd - Stealing x 2, Stealing of Motor Vehicle

Blair Rd - Stealing

Rowley Rd - Stealing

Counrty Dr - Burglary and commit, Stealing

#### Oldbury

Banksia Rd - Burglary and commit, Damage

#### Serpentine

Karnup Rd - Stealing

Turner St - Assault Occasioning Bodily Harm

#### Wandi

Lyon Road - Stealing x 2

Bindarri Grove - Damage

Towarri Way - Burglary and commit, Damage

#### 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 of the Month

#### Avoid SCAMS this Festive Season

#### About SCAMwatch

With Christmas approaching on line shopping can be a great way to purchase presents, but unfortunatley, scammers also like shopping on line - **for victims**.

#### **How to Protect Yourself**

- If a shopping site only offers you to pay by money order or wire transfer, steer clear it's rare to recover money sent this way. Only pay via secure payment methods look for a web address starting with 'https' and a closed padlock symbol.
- Do not click or download files in emails you receive out of the blue; especially if they are executable (.exe) files or zip files. These files are likely to contain malware.
- Regularly back-up your computer's data on a separate hard drive so this can be easily reinstalled if your computer is infected by malware or ransomware.
- If you think you have been scammed, contact your financial institution immediately. If the scammer has posed as a legitimate company, you should also report the incident to them.

For more information about SCAMwatch or to report an incident to the ACCC phone on 1300 795 995 or via this link <a href="http://www.scamwatch.gov.au/content/index.phtml/tag/scamAboutUs/">http://www.scamwatch.gov.au/content/index.phtml/tag/scamAboutUs/</a> You can also register to be included in SCAMwatch alerts. Simply click on this link <a href="https://www.scamwatch.gov.au/content/index.phtml/tag/ScamWatchEmailAlerts/">https://www.scamwatch.gov.au/content/index.phtml/tag/ScamWatchEmailAlerts/</a>



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

ewatch is a useful tool if you would like to be involved in Neighbourhood Watch, but do not have spare time to commit to our Neighbourhood Watch Committee. For those of you in this category this is an easy way to stay connected and informed about crime prevention strategies and trends within your suburb.

For more information about ewatch and Neighbourhood Watch programmes, please contact Janice Ferguson on Tel. 9526 1111 or email **jferguston@sjsjhire.wa.gov.au**Encourage your neighbours to join, advise them to simply click on this link <a href="http://ewatch.com.au/join">http://ewatch.com.au/join</a>

# Community Events in the SJ Shire

To view a list of community events happening in December within the Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale simply click on this link http://serpentinevalley.com.au/events/calendar

### Carols By Candlelight (local)

Marri Grove Primary School, Larsen Road **Sunday 14th December at 7.30pm**. (free Sausage Sizzle 6.30pm-7.30pm). Click on this link for further information

http://serpentinevalley.com.au/events/events/view/byford-carols-by-candlelight

Serpentine Church of Chirst, Tonkin Street, Serpentine on **Sunday 21st December at 7.00pm**. For more information please contact Cyril on 9525 2481, Tim on 9525 2350 or Pauline on 9525 2690.

### **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**.

