

KEW NEWSLETTER 13th March 2017- 30th April 2017

Dear all,

Here is our 2nd newsletter, I hope you found the 1st one useful.

I will try to cover the priority crimes and any other concerns and advice.

Let me know what you think and if I should include/not include anything.

NHW coordinators not only should be sending out the crime prevention advice we promote, but should also be actively trying to recruit new members to their schemes on a regular basis. Focus should also be on the elderly and vulnerable people who live in their roads to provide support and also stop them from becoming victims of crime.

Burglary Residential

There have been 17 burglaries across the ward since 13th March. These have been across the ward from Darell Road, The Avenue, and Kew Road up to Kew Riverside. Alone on Kew Riverside there has been 9, 8 of those from the underground car parks, bicycles have been stolen. There has been a number of arrests for these and the investigations are still ongoing.

If you do have a bicycle, please make a note of the make, model and frame number

.The frame number is a unique number similar to a VRN on a car, many bikes are found but due to not knowing the frame number, it is difficult to trace the bike back to the owner.

The diagram below shows where you may be able to locate yours.



Theft from Motor Vehicle

There have been 13 offences, predominantly windows smashed to obtain items such as handbags, purses as well as sports equipment such as golf clubs, please ensure all items are removed where practical. These have occurred across the ward, Courtlands Avenue, The Avenue, Station Parade, Marksbury Avenue Kew Green and Forest Road to name but a few.

Please see details of the knowledge night at Queens School, on Thursday 4th May, please ensure you email Carole Atkinson if you will be attending. They are very useful and informative: [here](#).

Free Smoke Alarms

Please see the link below on the local authority website regarding free smoke alarms

http://www.richmond.gov.uk/home/council/news/press_office/older_news/april_2017/free_smoke_alarm_giveaway_for_private_tenants.htm

Public Meeting

Our next Public meeting will be held on 13th July at 7.30pm at The National Archives, Bessant Drive, Kew.

We are also looking for a secretary /minute taker for these meetings as our previous secretary sadly passed away. If you would like any more information regarding this then, please contact me. These meetings are held quarterly and are open to people that live or work in Kew. It is an opportunity to hear about policing and crimes /concerns in Kew and to influence what you would like the team to focus on.

IMPORTANT/ UESFUL PHONE NUMBERS

020 8247 8320 – SNT landline.

Email: Lorraine.childs@met.police.uk

07879433392 - SNT mobile. Just for some advice or to chat to the team. If we do not answer leave a message and we will get back to you as soon as we can. To report a crime though, please use the 101 number. Once reported this will be passed to SNT to be aware of and help if needed.



To report abandoned vehicles:

http://richmond.gov.uk/home/services/roads_and_transport/vehicles/abandoned_vehicles/report_an_abandoned_vehicle.htm

Neighbour Nuisance Officer

Email: residentialeh@richmond.gov.uk

Commercial Premises

Email: commercialeh@richmond.gov.uk