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What's been happening crime-wise across Bury during January 2010 ?



Burglary Dwelling - there have been reports of burglary being an attempt across the Bury Borough.

M (Morning 8am -12pm), **A** (afternoon 12pm -10pm), **N** (night time 10pm - 8am) Burglaries occurred in the following locations:

Bury

- Riverbank Gardens** (A-enters through insecure communal door. Force bedroom door enters and steal property)
- Warwick Close** (N-offender enters via insecure front door enters and steals property)
- Fairfield Drive** (A-smashes window at rear. Reached through and opens window. Steals property exits using key left in back door lock.)
- Eldon Street** (M/A- attempts to force open patio doors at the front of a property. No entry gained.)
- Griffin Close** (A-breaks wooden panel in side door. Enters and steals property)

Radcliffe

- Churchfield Close** (N-forces rear patio doors enters and steals car keys and car from the driveway)
- Seddon Close** (A-removes rear window with implement. Enters and steals property)
- Dumers Lane** (A-offender removes glass panel from the door then opens door via key left in the door lock. Enters and steal property.)
- Darbyshire Street** (A-enters through insecure patio door. Steals property). Seymour Court (A/N-enters rear door by smashing glass in wooden door. Steals property).

Prestwich

- Highbank Grove** (M/A -smashes rear back window enters and steals property)
- Polefield Hall** (A-smashes glass panels in rear back door. Forces open door and steals property).

Whitefield

- Alexandra Avenue** (A-offender enters property via insecurity searches property and steals property)

- Thatch Leach Lane** (A/N-offender enters by forcing open rear patio doors. Steals items.
- Stirling Grove** (A- approaches property from rear forces patio doors gains entry and steals property.)

Ramsbottom

- Whalley road, Shuttleworth** (N-forces open downstairs window enters and steals property including car keys and car)
- Victoria Street Offender arrested.** (A-offender places wheelie bin next to rear of property. Climbs on bin and gains access via insecure bathroom window).



Top Tips

- Register your property on Immobilise website
- Always keep doors locked even when in the house
- Before going to bed or leaving house check that all windows are closed securely
- Check you are adequately insured for your contents
- Photograph individual items of valuable jewellery and antiques
- Leave a light on a timer switch when it is dark
- Let a trusted neighbour know when you are going on holiday
- Don't leave house & car keys near to a door or window

Your Local PCSO's

Ramsbottom
PCSO Tracey Kyle
PCSO Natalie Johnson
0161 856 8181

North Manor
PCSO Emma Aspinall
PCSO Dave Johnson
0161 856 8181

Tottington
PCSO Gareth Price
PCSO Neal Mason
0161 856 8181

Elton
PCSO Sharon Roberts
PCSO Douglas Tamumo
0161 856 8025

Church
PCSO Tony Bond
PCSO Susan Eckersley
0161 856 8025

Moorside
PCSO Martin Dawber
PCSO Amy Freeman
0161 856 8127

Bury East
PCSO Andy Bigland
PCSO Claire Diack
PCSO Kim Rafferty
PCSO Shaun Broughton
0161 856 8127

Redvales
PCSO Tom Derby
PCSO Andy Hartley
0161 856 8127

Radcliffe North
PCSO Shelley Flitcroft
PCSO Mike Mason
PCSO Andy Crookes
0161 856 8296

Radcliffe East
PCSO James Quigley
PCSO Wasim Tayyab
PCSO Norman Taylor
0161 856 8295



Distraction/Bogus official burglaries - there haven't been any of these in the last week.

However Butterstile Lane, Prestwich presently has road closure due to work being carried out by United Utilities.

Residents in St Mary's ward are reminded to be vigilant if any persons call at their doors stating they are from the water board. United Utilities will always carry identification on them and expect to be asked to display the identification.

United Utilities encourage any persons with doubts to the identification of the caller to ring and check with themselves.

If in any doubt do not allow the person into the address and carry out checks.

Telephone number for United Utilities: 0845 746 2222
0845 746 2200

Please can all Home Watch members be vigilant and to let elderly neighbours be aware of these numbers.



Theft from Vehicles - Within the last week 21 vehicles were broken into or had property taken from them in residential areas. Location of crimes:

Bury
Market Street
Elm Street
Fieldhead Avenue
Carlton Street

Radcliffe
Knowsley Road, Ainsworth
Bolton Road
Ainsworth Road

Whitefield
Albert Road
Parr Lane, Unsworth
Bolton Road

Prestwich
Ludlow Avenue
Queens Drive, Sedgley
Cuckoo Lane
Nursery Road
Rectory Lane
Langley Road
Poppythorn Lane
Arthur Street
Kingswood Road
Clifton Road
Highfield Road



Shed & Garage Breaks - there has been 1 garage broken into.

Bury
Watling Street (garage)



Damage to Vehicles

Vehicles that were damaged within the last week in residential areas.

Bury
Fairfield Drive
Nelson Street
Rough Hill Lane
Chesham Road

Radcliffe
Cobden Street
Pilkington Road
Bridgefield Street
Water Street

Whitefield
Ajax Drive, Unsworth
Furness Avenue

Prestwich
Highbank Crescent
Bailey Street
Cedar Grove
Polefield Hall Road
Tewkesbury Drive, Sedgley
Ostrich Lane
Bedford Street



Educational Premises

There has been an increase in burglaries at schools and children's nurseries in the last week. The premises broken into:

Whitefield
All Saints C of E primary school,
Cheeky Monkeys Nursery

Bury
Elton High School

Can we urge everyone to be extra vigilant if you live near any educational establishments.

Your Local PCSO's

Unsworth
PCSO Andy Calvert
0161 856 8204

Besses
PCSO Chad Strange
0161 856 8204

Pilkington Park
PCSO Christiane Rigg
0161 856 8203

St.Marys
PCSO Sharon Graham
PCSO Shazia Rehman
0161 856 4538

Holyrood
PCSO Juliet Cromey
PCSO Phillip Chadwick
PCSO Damon Kirk
0161 856 4538

Sedgley
PCSO Ian Hurst
PCSO Kerri Hutton
PCSO Mike Norbury
0161 856 4538

For all Home Watch matters remember to contact your local PCSO in the first instance.

Your Local Area Partnership (LAP) Managers

Ramsbottom/Tottington
Kim Griffiths
0161 253 7941

Bury East
Vacant
0161 253 6349

Bury West
Sofina Duloth Joy
0161 253 6845

Radcliffe
David Thomas
0161 253 7455

Whitefield & Unsworth
Carren O'Grady
0161 253 7344

Prestwich
Rose De
0161 253 7245

Got spare time on your hands? Have you thought about Volunteering for the Police or our Partners?

Then please contact Ken Royles our Volunteer Coordinator on: 0161 856 8146 or email: ken.royles@gmp.police.uk



Unfortunately there will be no Homewatch Newsletter next week. However continue to share information between yourselves and with your local PCSO's. I will update you with what has been happening around Bury on the 3rd February.

Property Marking Scheme

Protecting your possessions within your home is important. If you mark your property it can make it more difficult for a thief to sell on the property and secondly it assists the Police in identifying property that we recover. Immobilise.com is a free online national database that police can access and compare registered items against property that has been found or recovered from suspected criminals so that they can be returned to their rightful owners.



<http://www.immobilise.com>

Advice on property marking can be obtained via speaking to your local PCSO, Or our Crime Reduction Advisor, Gaynor Mason.

Police Surgeries

Staff from the relevant NPT will be available to listen and discuss any concerns face to face at the following locations and times.

Bury NPT Police Surgery

Fairfield Hospital, Rochdale Road, Bury on Thursday the 21st January between the hours of 1000 hours and 1400 hours.

Prestwich NPT Police Surgeries

Every 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month at The Surestart Centre, Bishops Road, Sedgley Park between 1600 and 1800 hours.

Radcliffe NPT Police Surgery

Saturday the 23rd January at Radcliffe Market Hall, Blackburn Street, Radcliffe between 1330 and 1630 hours.

Whitefield NPT Police Surgery

Friday the 19th February Mobile Police Station Sunnybank Road Shops, Sunnybank Road, Unsworth 1800 hours to 2200 hours. Friday 26th February at Whitefield Library, Pinfold Lane, Whitefield 1300 hours to 1500 hours.

Ramsbottom NPT Surgery

Tuesday the 16th February mobile police station at Christ Church, Walmersley Road, Bury between 0900 hours and 1600 hours.



Useful Phone numbers

0161 872 5050 - Main GMP switchboard - all non emergency phone calls
0800 555 111 - Crimestoppers call anonymously about crime (free phone number)
0161 856 8161 - Bury Drug Unit hotline
0161 856 8129 - Bury Police Station
0161 856 8229 - Whitefield Police Station
0161 856 4532 - Prestwich Police Station
0161 856 8291 - Radcliffe Police Station
0161 856 8181 - Ramsbottom Police Station
0161 856 8015 - Bury Public Service Team
0161 253 6606 - Bury MBC Security Service
0845 746 1100 - United Utilities Password Scheme
0845 3030 900 - Victim Support
08454 040506 - Trading Standards
0345 602 1120 - Contour Homes

**Confidential
Anti-Terrorist Hotline
Call 0800 789 321**

Crime Reduction Advisor
Gaynor Mason - email:
gaynor.mason@gmp.police.uk

Public Consultation
bury.consultation@gmp.police.uk



Websites

www.mynhw.co.uk - dedicated to Neighbourhood & Home Watch across the UK

www.gmp.police.uk/wanted - GMP's most wanted criminals

www.crimestoppers-uk.org - Crimestoppers official website

www.gmp.police.uk - GMP's official website which includes your Neighbourhood Policing Teams

www.immobilise.com - register your personal property in case it is stolen

www.crimereduction.homeoffice.gov.uk - Home Office website on crime reduction

www.victimsupport.org.uk - Victim Support

www.bury.gov.uk - Bury Metropolitan Borough Council

www.b3sda.org.uk - Bury Third Sector Development Agency