

HORNINGSEA Herald

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For further information on Horningsea visit our village website at www.horningsea.net

Please contact me by the 25th of the month at horningseanews@gmail.com to include information for the following month's Herald!

Thanks, Sabina Editor

Connecting Cambridgeshire campaign update

Since last Herald EXTRA, the village has had 20 more registrations which put us from place 26 to 19 in the rankings. I think that we could perhaps do even better, as still only 70 out of 212 premises have now registered (33% of the village).

Thanks to everyone who signed up. Let's see if we can do even better!

Register here www.connectingcambridgeshire.co.uk . It only takes a minute.

Robert Balm

Drink drive campaign results released

Nearly 100 people were arrested during a summer drink drive campaign in Cambridgeshire.

The campaign, which ran through June, saw 97 arrests on suspicion of driving under the influence of drink or drugs, compared to 94 for the same period last year.

To coincide with the enforcement campaign the force also launched a confidential number for the public to report drink drivers and those driving under the influence of drugs. Since June 1, the number was called 174 times, which resulted in five arrested.

Inspector Chris Skepper said: "It is always disappointing to see that people are continuing to break the law by drinking and driving. However, it is encouraging to see so many members of the public getting behind the campaign and calling the confidential line. The national enforcement campaign may be over but our work is not and we will continue to target those who think it's acceptable to drive while under the influence."

Using the 0800 032 0845 number, which is available 24/7, people can get involved in the campaign by supplying police with information about drink and drug drivers.

Cambridgeshire Health & Wellbeing Strategy

The Shadow Cambridgeshire Health and Wellbeing Board is currently consulting on priorities for a draft Health and Wellbeing Strategy which has been jointly agreed by the County Council, Clinical Commissioning Group and District Council representatives. We are hoping to get as much feedback as possible from stakeholders and the public. The consultation period runs from 18th June to 17th September 2012.

For further information regarding the Health and Wellbeing Board, the draft Strategy and to complete the online questionnaire, please follow this link

<u>www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/council/partnerships/health%20and%20wellbeing%20board.htm</u> but if you require a hard copy of either the draft Strategy or an Executive Summary, please let Alex Parr know either by e-mail <u>alex.parr@cambridgeshire.nhs.uk</u> or by telephone 01223 703 259.

Liz Robin
Director of Public Health

Look out for each other to beat burglars

Residents are being urged to report suspicious behaviour after 16 burglaries across South Cambridgeshire in two weeks. Operation Nix will focus on tackling burglaries in rural villages in the district. Since June there have been 16 burglaries in South Cambridgeshire and different villages are being targeted on each day.

Detective Inspector Ian Simmons, leading the operation, said: "Over the past couple of weeks we have noticed this increase in rural villages which we believe is part of a linked series. We will continue to increase patrols, as well as investigative and forensic work to target those responsible. It is important that we raise awareness as the public play a vital part in helping us to prevent further offences as well as catching those responsible."

A large number of offences have taken place during the day and often targeting isolated premises in rural areas or on the edge of villages. DI Simmons added: "It's important people remain alert to activity in their neighbourhood, reporting anything out of the ordinary or suspicious to police. "I urge people to look out for one another; strong communities are a deterrent for burglars."

Anyone with information should contact police on 101 or Crimestoppers, anonymously, on 0800 555 111. These are mostly daytime offences approximately between the hours of 12.00 –6.00 pm and the items being targeted are: Jewellery and small electrical items. Please ensure doors/windows are closed and secured, alarms set when out at work or if on holiday. Please speak with neighbours you know and ask them to keep an eye on your property while you're away. If you have a Neighbourhood watch scheme in your area let them know to be aware and contact your local neighbourhood policing team.

Regards PCSO John Coppard
Part of the Fulbourn Safer Neighbourhood Team

CALENDAR OF EVENTS for July

Note: These events are open to all Horningsea Residents and, unless otherwise stated, are FOC.

Date & Time	Location	Event/Notes
Friday 10 th 16:00-17:00	Nottcuts	Police Surgery
Wednesday 22 nd 10:00-10:50	High Street	Mobile Library
Overview of Weekly Events		
Mondays 19:30-21:30	Village Hall	Bridge (beginners welcome)
Tuesdays 10:00-11:30	Village Hall	Adult & Toddler Group
		(£1/adult; first session FOC)
Tuesdays 20:00	Plough & Fleece	Quiz Night
Thursdays 19:30-21:30	Village Hall	Painting group. £2 per session.
		No experience necessary. All welcome!
Thursdays 21:00	Plough & Fleece	Band/Open Mike Night.
		Bring an instrument and join in!

Cluzion Club at the Plough & Fleece

For details of Cluzion Club music events at the pub, see the Cluzion website www.cluzionmusic.org.uk

Horningsea Village Shop at the Plough & Fleece

Opening Hours
Mon-Sat 11:00-15:00 & 18:30-21:30
& Sun 10:30-21:30

To book the village hall, please contact Pauline Hellowell at 860 118 or hellowell@horningsea.com

To post a notice on the village signboards, please contact the Parish Clerk, Emily Asplin at clerk@horningsea.com