

Dear All,

Please see below the crime updates for w/c 21.03.2010 - 26.03.2010

Please don't forget, if you see any form of Anti-social driving (speeding, using a mobile phone whilst driving, regular drink drivers, disqualified drivers etc), please report it to us via our Op Crackdown system :

<http://www.operationcrackdown.org/>

Or, if you have any information about crimes that have occurred or, possible illegal activities that people are committing, you can always report it to Sussex Police on 0845 60 70 99, or anonymously to Crime stoppers on 0800 555 111, <http://www.crimestoppers-uk.org/>

**SERIAL 1619 26.03.2010**  
**HIGH STREET, BATTLE**

A report was received from a local store that there had been another shop lifting incident. A quantity of alcohol was stolen and concealed within a push chair. This female has now been identified and will be arrested in due course.

**SERIAL 382 27.03.2010**  
**HAWKHURST ROAD, SEDLESCOMBE**

A report was received of the theft of a Tractor and crop sprayer. The Tractor was stored inside a barn. Entry was gained via the barn door which was smashed, a chain on the yard gate was also damaged. The incident occurred between the hours of 1600 and 0700. The Tractor was a Blue LANDINI, the crop sprayer was a CASSINI colour orange. Enquiries are continuing.

**SERIAL 247 30.03.2010**  
**MOUNTFIELD**

A further report of a burglary was received from a local company, entry was gained via double wooden doors that were damaged in the incident. The incident occurred between Friday 1700 and Sunday 1100 hours. Scene of crimes attended the location and enquiries are continuing.

**SERIAL 1614 30.03.2010**

**BURWASH**

A report was received of the theft of a motor vehicle that had been left in a lay by on the A265. The owner of the vehicle was passing by and saw a male looking at the vehicle. A Purple Ford KA was parked nearby. The owner returned later to move the vehicle and found it had been stolen. This was around 1845 hours. The following day after details were circulated the vehicle was spotted by 2 PCSOs from the Walden area. It was found outside a scrap yard. The vehicle was found to be half crushed. Descriptions of the 2 males who brought the vehicle to the yard have been taken and enquiries are now continuing with the details given.

**SERIAL 1193 31.03.2010**

**CATSFIELD**

The theft of two cockerels was reported by their owner. They were stolen from the farm between Wednesday 24.03.2010 at 1600 hrs and Thursday 25.03.2010 at 0800 hrs. Point of entry was via the gate to where the chickens are kept.

**SERIAL 1274 31.03.2010**

**HURSTGREEN**

The Automatic Number Plate Recognition system picked up a vehicle travelling southbound on the A21 at approximately 1705 hrs. Details came to light that the vehicle had been stolen from BASILDON ESSEX. The Police Helicopter was put on stand by as officers made their way safely to the area. The vehicle was picked up by a Traffic unit at about 1717 hours and followed into Hastings. Once a safe area was found the vehicle was stopped without any incident. The male driver was arrested for Taking Without Owners Consent. Essex Police were informed and were sending Officers to deal with the male.

**SERIAL 203 01.04.2010**

**HIGH ST BATTLE**

A local shop owner made a report of criminal damage that occurred over night between 2200 and 0500. Enquiries are continuing.

## Parking issues in High Street and around schools

This continues to remain a priority for PS Dan Russell and the Battle team.

Numerous more warnings and tickets have been issued. It does appear now that members of the public are beginning to get the message!!

## MCAT

You may be aware of the problems this drug is causing, especially to students. It is also known as "Legal High".

Battle police are working with the local schools to educate and highlight to the students the dangers of this drug.

A warrant was executed in Bexhill this week on what was believed a dealers address. A large quantity of suspected drugs and cash were found.

If any persons have any info re the drug please do not hesitate to contact us.

A Happy Easter to everyone from the Battle team