

## 12PT Monthly Parish Council report

Month...January...2011

Parish	No. of crimes recorded	Same month last year
Kesgrave	29	16
Rushmere St Andrew	8	4
Martlesham	17	18
Grundisburgh	1	1
Culpho	0	0
Tuddenham	0	0
Great Bealings	0	1
Lt Bealings	2	2
Witnesham	2	9
Westerfield	0	2
Swilland	0	0
Playford	0	1
Crime for this month only	59	54
Community Resolutions year to date	9.0%	
Detection rate year to date	18.2%	
Crime levels year to date	+5.5%	

It is pleasing this month to see such a reduction in recorded crime (59) compared to last month (74). This pattern was again seen in the number of recorded crimes for January 2010 (54) compared to December 2009 (71).

**Tuddenham, Culpho, Swilland** and **Playford** have all, again, had a crime free month. This month **Great Bealings** and **Westerfield** have joined them.

**Grundisburgh** suffered just one crime. This related to a Burglary other building where diesel was stolen and storage sheds entered.

**Little Bealings** saw a reduction in crime (2) compared to the previous month (6). There was another theft of a generator, this time a mixer from the grounds of a house was also stolen. The other crime related to damage to a window at the village hall. Unlike last month, there were no Theft from Motor vehicle crimes.

**Martlesham** was the only parish to suffer a noticeable increase in recorded crime (17) compared to last months (9). 4 of the crimes relate to motor vehicles, theft of a diesel tank and damage. 3 of the crimes relate to thefts, 1 was dealt with by the way of a Fixed Penalty Notice and another a Community Resolution. There were a variety of other crimes including 2 Burglaries, 1 to a shed the other a warehouse.

Following an increase we saw in the number of crimes recorded last month **Rushmere** and **Kesgrave** both saw, this month, a reduction in the number of crimes recorded. **Rushmere** suffered 2 Theft from motor vehicles compared to 10 the previous month, 1 of these had been left unlocked. 3 garages were entered, 2 of these had been left insecure.

This reduction in crime, we hope, was a result of our recent security campaign during which we checked over 950 vehicles. We found 58 insecure, 30 with valuables on display. We found 8 insecure cycles and 19 insecure garages. These insecurities were brought to the attention of the residents in the hope of preventing further crimes.

**Kesgrave** again suffered 8 Theft from motor vehicles crimes and 1 vehicle was stolen. 3 of the vehicles had been left insecure and 4 of them involved parts of the vehicle being stolen. Criminal Damage was the next highest crime recorded (6), including damage to vehicles, dwellings and garden ornaments. There were 4 Burglary-other building, 3 garages that were entered and 1 shed.

A view of crime maps and data can now be found on the Internet  
[www.police.uk](http://www.police.uk)

Regarding our current priorities:

We continue with the same priorities as last month-

1, Tackling Anti Social Behaviour in and around Oak Meadow, Kesgrave.

Reports of Anti social Behaviour have remained low.

2, Cycling Safety Awareness, riding on footpaths and displaying of lights. The primary school visits are still to be arranged.

3, Tackling Theft from Motor Vehicles and garages in the Rushmere St Andrew area. The security campaign has been completed, results described above.

The next Public Community Engagement Meeting is being held on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February, 6.30pm-7.15pm at Heath Primary School, Bell Lane, Kesgrave IP5 1JG. The following month it will be on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 6.30pm-7.15pm at the Village Hall, Butts road, Playford IP6 9DU. Please come and join us or email us at [kesgrave.snt@suffolk.pnn.police.uk](mailto:kesgrave.snt@suffolk.pnn.police.uk) prior to these meetings with any issues you would like to be considered as one of the Priorities.

I am hopeful that your local beat officer or PCSO will be able to offer you further information at your meeting.

Regards  
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