



Horsham Weekly Bulletin

Friday 29th June 2018

News and appeals

Dozens arrested in first week of drink and drug-driving crackdown

A total of 42 arrests have been made in the first week of a summer crackdown on drink and drug-drivers in Sussex.

The month-long operation was launched by Surrey and Sussex Police on Thursday 14 June, with the aim of catching criminals and keeping people safe on the roads.

Of those arrested, 25 have so far been charged to appear in court; the remaining have either been released under investigation or released without charge.

Officers will continue to proactively patrol and respond to reports of suspected drink and drug-drivers as the operation continues until Sunday 15 July.

If you're prepared to drive under the influence of drink or drugs, prepare to face the consequences. This could include the following:

- A minimum 12 month ban;
- An unlimited fine;
- A possible prison sentence;
- A criminal record, which could affect your current and future employment;
- An increase in your car insurance;
- Trouble travelling to countries such as the USA.

People in Sussex can text officers on 65999 with the details of people they suspect of drink or drug-driving, or visit the [Operation Crackdown](#) website.

You can also contact the independent charity [Crimestoppers](#) anonymously on 0800 555 111 or report it online.

If you know someone is driving while over the limit or after taking drugs, call 999.

<https://sussex.police.uk/news/dozens-arrested-in-first-week-of-drink-and-drug-driving-crackdown/>

Sensor camera captures Horsham burglary suspects

Police have released images of two men sought in connection with a burglary in [Horsham](#).

The suspects were caught on camera entering a house in Butlers Road, where they stole items including cash, cards, clothing, bags and medication. They also stole a grey Volkswagen Golf which had been parked on the driveway.

The images were captured by a doorbell sensor camera during the incident, which occurred in the early hours of Thursday 14 June.

The victims were alerted by a neighbour, who spotted their front door had been left open.

The first suspect is described as white, in his late 20s to early 30s, with short hair swept to the left. He was wearing a sweatshirt with a small white 'NIKE' chest print.

The second suspect is described as white, in his late 20s to early 30s, with a shaved head or very short hair. He was wearing a sweatshirt with a large black 'NIKE AIRMAX' chest print.

Anyone who recognises the men from the photos on our website or who saw what happened is asked to [report it online](#) or call 101 quoting serial 168 of 14/06.

Alternatively, you can visit the [Crimestoppers](#) website or contact the independent charity anonymously on 0800 555 111.

For advice on how to protect your home and belongings, see our [burglary prevention page](#)

<https://sussex.police.uk/news/sensor-camera-captures-horsham-burglary-suspects/>

Alerts/Press Releases sent out this week click the link to see full details.

Crime summary

There have been no burglaries of note this week however please be mindful in the hot weather to shut windows when you leave your property and if you are in the back garden for long periods of time please remember to lock the front door.

Further information can be found on our website.

<https://sussex.police.uk/advice/protect-your-home-and-belongings/burglary/>

This month's Keep your Money safe Newsletter looks in a case study on money mules, demonstrating how fraudsters operate and prey on susceptible people by using their bank accounts to transfer money to different accounts, often overseas. Please click on the link or go to our website to read the newsletter.

<https://sussex.police.uk/media/8754/fraud-newsletter-june-2018.pdf>

Help us keep Sussex safe

If you saw or heard anything, or have any information about any incident in this message please [contact us online](#), email us at 101@sussex.pnn.police.uk or call **101**, quoting the reference number provided.

Alternatively you can contact the independent charity **Crimestoppers**, anonymously, on 0800 555 111, or online at www.crimestoppers-uk.org

Your local teams

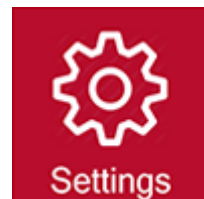
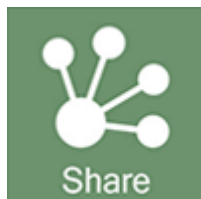
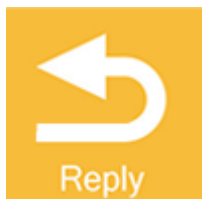
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