

# KESGRAVE AND DISTRICT SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM PLAYFORD MARCH 2015

## **SNT Office**

Currently we are still based at Woodbridge Station on Grundisburgh Road but we have now had confirmation that we are due to be back at Kesgrave no later than the end of May, the delays are as a result of the Insurers and Tesco.

## Scam Calls

Suffolk police are reminding people to remain vigilant following a further police officer telephone scam in Beccles.

A woman in her 80s was called on Friday 13 February from someone claiming to be a police officer in London saying there had been fraudulent activity on her bank card, and the call lasted over an hour.

The victim was told to ring 999 to check the authenticity of the call, but the scammers had held the line open so when she dialled 999 they were still connected.

Police have issued the following advice:

- Your bank or the police will never ask for your PIN, bank card or bank account details over the phone never give these details out
- The police will never call you and ask you to withdraw money from your account to give to a courier or taxi driver, regardless of how convincing they may seem
- If you receive such a call leave the landline for at least five minutes to make an outside call. Fraudsters will keep the line open and have been known to play ring tones, hold music and a recorded message down the phone so the victim believes they are making a call to a legitimate number
- Use a friend's of neighbour's telephone instead
- Friends, family, carers and neighbours are asked to spread the word to ensure everyone is aware of this scam and what they should do

### **SNT CURRENT PRIORITIES**

The three priorities set by the general public were as follows;

- **Priority 1 :** To tackle the anti-social use of Motor Vehicles at Martlesham Heath business park, IP5.
- Priority 2: Reducing Theft from motor vehicles in the Kesgrave and Rushmere St Andrew Areas.
- Priority 3: Monitor speeding of vehicles on roads within the Kesgrave SNT, including villages within the districts (IP5, IP6)

### **CONTACTING THE POLICE**

YOUR LOCAL OFFICERS ARE:

PC 1328 Clark, PCSO 3241 Thomas and PCSO 3220 Pither

#### In an emergency always dial 999

To report a crime, speak to your local officers or leave a message please dial 101

Any member of the team can be contacted at kesgrave.snt@suffolk.pnn.police.uk

Please also have a look at the Suffolk Constabulary Website, which can offer further help and advice.

Kind regards,

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