

Here is the latest Faringdon neighbourhood update from A/PS Robert Maris, PC Tom Pryor, PC Trevor Gorman, WPC Debs Cannon, PC Bob Searle, SC Lewis Merritt, PCSO Kerry Davis, PCSO Maralyn Pack, PCSO Andy Gunn and PCSO Alex Hill.

### Anti-social behaviour (ASB)

Over the last few months, ASB issues have been largely few and far between in the Faringdon area. Young people in Stanford in the Vale are causing some problems, and we would politely ask residents again to ensure we are informed of any further concerns. We will of course keep up our increased patrols in the area.

### Offenders brought to justice

- The neighbourhood team at Faringdon continues to work as hard as we can to tackle issues with drugs on our patch. Following some excellent teamwork by the Faringdon Neighbourhood team, a man from Shrivenham has been charged with both the production of and possession with intent to supply cannabis.
- In addition, on the 24 September the neighbourhood team executed a warrant at an address in The Lees, Faringdon. As a result of this, a female was arrested on suspicion of possession of a class A controlled substance.
- Finally, a male from Watchfield has been charged in connection with harassment offences against the Watchfield Parish Council.

### Crime prevention advice

Following on from last month, thefts from vehicles parked in beauty spot locations along the Ridgeway are continuing. Please do not leave anything valuable in your vehicle when visiting these areas and make sure you park your vehicle in main car parks rather than isolated areas.

Finally, there has been an increase in incidents of hare coursing on our area. Please could all residents inform us of any suspicious activity or vehicles in rural locations.



From Twitter:

**TVPSouth Oxon & VOWH**

**@tvpsouthandvale** Sep 29

Responding to a report of hare coursers near Hatford **#Faringdon**

### Speeding

The team have continued to conduct regular speeding checks in the villages near to Faringdon. Where vehicles have been identified as speeding, letters have been sent out to the registered owners and the data that has been collected will be used to target Roads Policing speed enforcement operations. We plan to continue this work over the coming months in order to ensure the community is kept safe.

## Fraud

There have been further incidents of fraud in our area. Please remember that the police and your bank will never ask for your pin or any information relating to your account over emails and the telephone. Please remember computer firms will never call or email asking for personal information to fix your computer. If you would like any further information on the different types of fraud and advice on what to do please visit: [www.actionfraud.police.uk](http://www.actionfraud.police.uk)

## Halloween

If you would like crime reduction advice regarding Halloween please visit the following page on the Thames Valley Police website: <http://www.thamesvalley.police.uk/crime-prevention/seasonal-events/seasonal-events-halloween.htm> You will also find a link on the right hand side to download a 'no trick or treat' poster that you can put on your door if you are concerned. The neighbourhood team will be carrying out patrols to try and deter anti-social behaviour (ASB) in the area.

## Contact us

If you want any advice or would like to contact the neighbourhood team you can call us on the police non-emergency number 101 or if it is an emergency then dial 999. You can also contact us via email [FaringdonNHPT@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk](mailto:FaringdonNHPT@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk). Please note this email address cannot be used to contact Thames Valley Police to report crimes or for any urgent matters. To view information on your neighbourhood team visit the Thames Valley Police website at: [www.thamesvalley.police.uk](http://www.thamesvalley.police.uk). Receive free local crime alerts and crime prevention advice by registering at [www.thamesvalleyalert.co.uk](http://www.thamesvalleyalert.co.uk) today. This allows anyone who signs up to choose what updates they receive and how they would like to receive it.