



Linton Neighbourhood Watch Newsletter



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This newsletter is issued by Linton Neighbourhood Watch Scheme. Linton Neighbourhood Watch scheme has been around for a number of years now. Co-ordinator & deputy co-ordinator are Anne Holt & Carl Holt. The Neighbourhood Watch Treasurer is Jerry Whitmarsh. Please join the scheme - you can do so by filling out the form or by visiting:

<http://lintonkent.org/nhw>

Thanks for reading!

Note: Contact details for us are on the other side.

Christmas & New Year

Christmas is just round the corner. So the Linton Neighbourhood Watch Team would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Remember to stay safe and don't let your guard down. If you have any new products over Christmas remember to turn the boxes inside out when you place them by your bins otherwise it just advertises to criminals what you have in your house.

Kent Police Advice

Don't tempt thieves

When out doing your Christmas shopping...

- Zip up your bag so that purses and wallets cannot be seen and easily taken.
- Don't leave bags unattended in baskets, trolleys, pushchairs or mobility scooters.
- If you need to take shopping back to your car, put bags in the boot - do not leave them on display.

At home...

- Keep presents out of sight and close curtains as soon as it starts to get dark so people can't easily see in.
- After Christmas, dispose of packaging carefully - empty boxes outside your home advertise valuables to thieves.

Look after elderly residents especially in adverse weather conditions that may hit the UK again. In case of adverse weather only do travel if necessary and if you do take extra care and leave more time to travel.

This is the ninth in an occasional series produced by Carl Holt - please contact him with any comments or suggestions for future articles. email: coolcarl20@hotmail.co.uk

Crime Reports:

Wares Farm, Redwall Lane, Linton between 7pm 17th November & 8am 18th November. Stolen from a building site were a digger bucket and a manhole cover. Crime Number CY/018339/10

Asbury House, Coxheath between 7pm 16th November & 8am 17th November, in an attempt to enter a garage at a residential dwelling, damage was caused to the up and over door. Crime Number CY/018266/10

Redwall Lane between 7:30pm 27th November & 11:37pm 28th November. A Silver 02 reg Mercedes was taken and later found nearby. Crime Number CY/018978/10

It's never too late to join!!

Your Parish Council considers that an active NHW Scheme has a great deal to offer out community. And the more members we have, the louder our voice and the more effective the scheme becomes.

Please complete and post to:

Linton NHW, 4 Cornwallis Avenue, Linton, MAIDSTONE, Kent, ME17 4BW
[please complete and return this form, even if you previously completed one, some years ago]

Your Name: _____

Your Address: _____

Your Telephone Number: _____

Your E-mail Address: _____

Are you interested in becoming a street coordinator, and want more information?

YES // NO [delete one]

What are the advantages of taking part in Linton NHW?

- Many insurance companies offer a discount on home insurance premiums to registered NHW Scheme members.
- Membership is FREE and will provide you with a point of contact for reporting local suspicious or criminal activity, which may potentially benefit your neighbours and your community.
- Information about criminal activity in this area is distributed to members on a regular basis.

Membership is free and is open to all Linton Residents!

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