



Thurrock Community Safety Partnership has been working hard and listening to residents to make **West Thurrock and Purfleet** a safer place

You Said:

Anti-social Behaviour was causing a problem on the Garrison Estate, Purfleet.

We Did:

A dispersal zone has been established on the estate which gives the police additional powers to disperse groups.

Police conducted an operation to stop and check all youths in the area and letters were sent home to those causing a problem.

Acceptable behaviour contracts have been created for specific problem individuals.

We Will:

Discuss the availability of youth facilities in Purfleet.

You Said:

Anti-social Behaviour is causing a problem around Purfleet Train Station.

We Did:

High visibility patrols and stop checks were carried out and the number of calls from the public has reduced.

You Said:

Nuisance vehicles and car cruisers are causing problems in Thurrock particularly on Friday and Saturday night.

We Did:

High visibility police patrols continue to take place including stop checks for tax and insurance.

We Will:

Install new signs warning drivers against cruising and a traffic calming scheme has been submitted to Thurrock Council.

You Said:

There were parking problems around Purfleet Primary School.

We Did:

Police and Thurrock Council Civil Enforcement officers have attended and issued tickets and warnings to parents. The school has been asked to remind parents about appropriate parking in their newsletter.

Thurrock Council is working towards a long-term solution.

How You Can Have Your Say:

Community Forums and Neighbourhood Action Panels offer you the chance to have your say about the issues affecting your area and set priorities for action by local policing teams and partners.

The Purfleet Community Forum meets on the last Monday of every month from 7.30pm at Mullberry Court, Mullberry Drive, Garrison Estate.

For more information visit www.purfleetcf.org.uk

The West Thurrock and South Stifford Forum meets from 7.30pm at St Clements Church Hall, London Road. For more information visit www.wtstcf.org.uk

What We Plan to Do:

The issue of nuisance motorbikes across the borough is being addressed with the installation of signage explaining powers which include seizing any unauthorised vehicle. Signs are being put up in a number of areas including Anchor View Allotments. We are introducing 'No Cold Calling Areas' at sheltered housing complexes where required in Thurrock, to protect residents from rogue traders and burglars.

How You Can Help Us:

The Partners of the Thurrock Community Safety Partnership continue to work to make your area safer and feel safer. Neighbourhood Policing Teams dedicate 80 per cent of their time patrolling your neighbourhood but they cannot be on every street every minute of the day.

Everyone can make a difference in the fight against crime, ensuring they secure their home, car, garage and shed and avoid leaving valuables on show. Remember to shut all doors and windows and never leave your car running while unattended. Property marking kits are also available from your local police station.

For more information about policing in your area visit

http://www.essex.police.uk/my_neighbourhood/thurrock_district.aspx

What You Can Do:

We can only respond to issues if we are made aware of it. Please attend your Community Forum and report incidents. If you have any ideas about how your community can be improved forums are allocated budgets for this purpose.

To report Anti-social Behaviour call the Community Protection Team on **01375 652211**. Contact Essex Police on **0300 333 4444** or call Crimestoppers on **0800 555111**.

In an emergency always dial 999.

