

Reigate and Banstead Police Newsletter

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Inspector Lyndsey Whatley

Community Engagement

Dear Residents

It is very important that we understand your views on Policing your Community. In the coming weeks there are a number of events in which you can share with us your thoughts on local Policing in Reigate and Banstead. These include the 'Policing your Community' on 7th July (details below), the Anti-Social Behaviour survey (see page 4) and several Meet the Beat events taking place across the Borough (dates to be published). In addition, you can use Street Safe to report safety concerns in Public places (please see page 3 for details).

We really welcome your views, as we want to work alongside the community to understand the current issues and concerns and to ensure we understand these and focus on these issues locally.



We are appealing for witnesses following a serious collision in **Redhill**. Officers were called to Warwick Road at around 9.30am this morning (Monday, 6 April) following a collision between a car and a pedestrian. A woman has been taken to hospital with serious injuries.

The driver of the vehicle remained on scene and is assisting officers with their enquiries.

We are looking to speak to anyone who may have witnessed this collision, or anyone with dashcam or helmet footage that may have captured all or part of this incident.

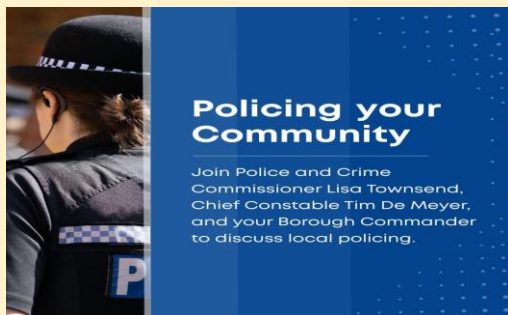
If you have any information that might assist our investigation, please get in touch quoting CAD 149 of today's date via:

Our 24/7 live chat service available on our website (<https://orlo.uk/A3zVF>)

Use our online form to provide an update to this incident or select from our other contact us forms.

Call us on our non-emergency number, 101

If you would rather not speak to police or to prefer to give information anonymously, you can contact Crimestoppers by calling 0800 555 111 or completing their online form at <https://orlo.uk/cYD2y>



The Policing Your Community roadshow will be coming to the borough on July 7 2026.

Have your say on crime and policing in your community at Carrington School in Redhill.

Join Borough Commander Inspector Lyndsey Whatley, Deputy Chief Constable Mark McEwan and Police and Crime Commissioner Lisa Townsend between 6pm and 7.30pm. Link to reserve a place:

<https://s-url.co/IN4sAA>

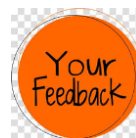
Feedback

Your feedback on the Newsletter is important to us.

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Traffic Operations in the Borough in March.

These are two examples of traffic Operations that took place in the Borough during March 2026. Included are the results of the two traffic operations.



Reigate

A Traffic Operation took place in Reigate High Street in March. The Operation resulted in the issuing of over 30 fines for seatbelt and mobile use while driving. In addition, two vehicles were seized by the Police.

PCSO Ken Leung

North of the Borough

Officers from the Safer Neighbourhood Team and Neighbourhood Enforcement Team supported by Roads Policing Team, spent three evenings targeting vehicle crime in the North of the borough in March. The operation resulted in

- 5 arrests,
 - 3 for Theft of Motor vehicle,
 - 2 for Possession with intent to sell WITS Crack and Heroin and weapons offences for drugs
- 4 Community Resolutions
- 3 stolen vehicles seized
- 1 Uninsured vehicle seized
- £3,500 of suspected stolen Fuel recovered

PC Dan Hebborn



Be In the Know!



You can sign up to [In the Know](#) to find out what is happening in your area: witness appeals, crime updates, crime prevention advice and news. This also includes the weekly Crime Update from Reigate and Banstead, Safer Neighbourhood Team

'In the Know' in March 2026

Apart from our Weekly Police Update and Monthly Newsletter, these are the Surrey Police reports posted on 'In the Know' during March 2026. If you missed any of the reports, shown below, then please go to the the Surrey Police Website. See page 4 for contact details.

- 31/03/2026 Fraud Newsletter - Surrey Police
- 18/03/2026 "We are coming not just for you, but your illegal profits too" – Surrey Police
- 13/03/2026 County Lines drug networks shut down in Surrey – Surrey Police

In addition updates from: Fraud Team, Trading Standards, Neighbourhood Watch and the Crime Commissioner

Anti - Social Behaviour (ASB)

Reporting and Feedback

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During March 2026 there were 22 recorded reports made to the Police of Anti- Social Behaviour (ASB) in the Borough. The recorded reports were received from across the Borough The reports were categorised as ASB Nuisance 17 , ASB Environmental 4 and ASB Personal 1.

Please report Anti-Social Behaviour and guidance is provided below on how to report to the Police or the Borough Council.

There is lots advice on ASB on the Surrey Police Website: <https://www.surrey.police.uk>

Reporting ASB to the Police

Antisocial behaviour takes many forms. From aggressive, noisy or abusive behaviour (including vehicles, bicycles, e-bikes and e-scooters) to neighbourhood disturbances involving drugs, abandoned cars or animals.

If you've witnessed antisocial behaviour, please report it to us.

Your neighbourhood can be an area where you live, work, or visit often.

Advice tool. <https://www.surrey.police.uk/ro/report/asb/asb-v3/report-antisocial-behaviour/>

Reporting ASB to Reigate and Banstead Borough Council

Anti-social behaviour issues are dealt with by our [Joint Enforcement Team \(JET\)](#) and our Antisocial Behaviour Officer. Issues you can report to the Borough Council [Report to the Council](#) include:

- Dog fouling or inconsiderate dog ownership.
- Inconsiderate bonfires or illegal burning.
- Persistent and noxious fumes from illegal substance use
- Damage to street furniture, such as benches
- Graffiti
- Littering and flyposting

Also, report the following (unless it's happening now and you should contact the Police):

- Alcohol related nuisance
- Noise nuisance
- Flytipping



We know that ASB is not a minor issue for those involved, and that persistent ASB can be an indicator of serious and organised crime, such as exploitation.

This survey is an important tool for us to help understand the issues you face, the impact it has on you, and how we can improve our response to ASB.

The survey is open until Tuesday, 5 May. It should only take 5-10 minutes to complete, and your answers will form the basis of the work we carry out going forward to reduce ASB where you live.

Access the survey here <https://orlo.uk/HMgys>



StreetSafe is a service that allows you to report safety concerns in public places without giving us your name (anonymously). This includes issues like poorly lit streets, abandoned buildings, or vandalism, as well as instances where you feel unsafe due to someone following or verbally abusing you.

Please note: StreetSafe is not for reporting crimes or emergencies. If you witness a crime please report it to us [online](#). If you're unsure whether something is a crime or not, read our advice. Examples of situations that should be reported to StreetSafe include a poorly lit alleyway that makes you feel unsafe or a park with broken equipment that poses a safety hazard.

<https://www.surrey.police.uk/notices/street-safe/street-safe/>



Information Corner



Preventing crime on your allotment.



Every April we run advice on how to secure your allotment.

There are a number of Allotment sites and plots in Reigate and Banstead. As we enter Spring the allotments will get busier. Allotments are naturally peaceful and pleasant places, however, because they can often be left empty, especially over night, they can be targeted by thieves and vandals. **If your allotment has a gated entrance please make sure it is locked, especially if you're the last to leave.** Please inform your site steward of any suspicious activity you may see. It is important that if you see it, you report it, as without this information we can't effectively tackle crime. Incidents should be reported using the contact details below.

Tips to grow a secure allotment

1	Tools should be marked by engraving or etching with your postcode and house number.	
2	Record serial numbers of all equipment and keep it safe.**	
3	Sheds should be positioned, where possible, so that the entrance can be seen from the road or neighbouring properties.	
4	Don't leave expensive machinery in your shed, even if it's locked.	
5	Always lock sheds using a good quality 'closed shackle' padlock. Using bolts, not screws for the lock.	
6	Fit a battery operated shed alarm / CCTV.	
7	Know your neighbours and keep an eye on their plot when they aren't there.	

Fraud/Scam awareness and prevention talks



As part of our campaign on fraud / scam prevention and awareness, we are offering in person talks / discussions on how to stay safe from various types of scams / fraud, including telephone, social media, banking & doorstep amongst others. The talks are free.

One of our Fraud Prevention Police volunteers alongside Police, where available, will attend the event in person.

If you are interested and would like to find out more please contact us at :

SussexandSurreyFraudPreventionEngagements@surrey.police.uk

Crime statistics – January 2026 to March 2026

Offence	Jan-26	Feb -26	March -26
Residential Burglaries	39 (15)	14 (7)	19 (8)
Keyless Car Theft	5	10	9

(-) Actual residential burglaries only, not including - Attempted, Garage and Outbuilding Burglaries

There is a increase in the number of actual residential burglaries in March 2026, following a decrease in February 2026. Keyless Car theft in March 2026 is showing an decrease from February 2026, Records show that there were 20 reports of Personal Fraud (scams) in March 2026.



The Surrey Police Website has lots of information and advice. It is there to support you.

<https://www.surrey.police.uk>

How to report a crime or incident:

Emergency: call 999

Non Emergency: call 101 or report online or via live chat at: www.surrey.police.uk

To contact your local team (not for reporting purposes) email:

ReigateandBanstead@surrey.police.uk

You can pass information to us directly via 101, online

via <https://www.surrey.police.uk/ro/report/> or anonymously via Crimestoppers 0800555111, <https://crimestoppers-uk.org/>

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