
ARGYLL & BUTE COUNCIL

Mid Argyll Kintyre and the Islands CPG

CUSTOMER SERVICES

6 November 2012

Community Safety Partnership Exception reporting to Area Community Planning group

1. SUMMARY

- 1.1 The purpose of this Paper is to advise the Area Community Planning group of the main tasks undertaken by members of the Community Safety Partnership working which have taken place in the last few months

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

Area Community Planning Group Members:

- 2.1 Note the highlight/ exception reports provided.
- 2.2 Consider whether there are any specific areas of work which the ACPG wishes the Community Safety Partnership to consider developing further.

3. DETAIL

- 3.1 Each Area Community Safety Forum works to the goals of the Argyll and Bute Community Safety Partnership and while there is considerable commonality in the work undertaken in each area, there is also a level of diversity due to local issues and opportunities

The table below at appendix 1 is the exception report for the Mid, Argyll Kintyre and the Islands Community Safety partnership group since the last meeting and provides an indication of the work undertaken recently. The exception report an exhaustive listing of the community safety works being undertaken by each group or partner and further detail re most topics can be made be available if requested

The Chair of this Group until recently was Chief Inspector Marlene Baillie. She has now been succeeded by Cllr Horn as Chair and Chief Inspector Pettigrew as Vice Chair

4. IMPLICATIONS

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| 4.1 | Policy | Demonstrates compliance with a section of the SOA objectives |
| 4.2 | Financial | None, |
| 4.3 | Personnel | None |
| 4.4 | Equalities Impact Assessment | None. |
| 4.5 | Legal | None |

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Mid Argyll Kintyre and Islay Community Safety Forum Exception Report				
Theme	Community Safety Outcome'	Issue and Actions	Comment	Outcomes/ Indicators
<p>Personal and Home Safety</p> <p><i>Considers the safety of the individual in areas such as accident prevention, online safety, fire safety, home security, bogus and scam callers</i></p>	<p>Camping Caravanning Summer safety initiative</p>	<p>This initiative Now complete and successful. It has been superseded by the annual Autumn Bonfire safety campaign.</p>	<p>This year the Bonfire campaign is concentrated on areas where there are no organised events since these carry a higher risk. Council supported this initiative by putting posters up and loading materials on Website.</p>	<p>Successful outcome will be a lowering of accidents</p>
<p>Travel Safety</p> <p><i>Includes issues that and individuals may encounter such as pedestrian safety, road traffic accidents, water safety, public transport safety</i></p>	<p>Water safety – kayak launching and equipment</p> <p>Minimise effect of “nuisance vehicles”</p>	<p>Concerns raised by RNLI Re known Kayak launch sites</p> <p>Police are proactively monitoring this as an ASB issue in C'town specifically</p>	<p>Forum has approved budget spend for temporary signage highlighting location of launch points and their safe usage for next season</p> <p>Will expand to other areas of required by reporting</p>	<p>Creation of the signs</p> <p>Incidents of “anti-social driving “ reduced</p>
<p>Safety of Vulnerable Groups</p> <p><i>Deals with issues in relation to individuals or groups who may be vulnerable including elderly people, young children, victims of hate crime and sexual violence</i></p>	<p>TESSA</p> <p>Referral Partnership</p> <p>Bogus traders</p>	<p>Update to be given to next meeting</p> <p>SFR are seeking to set up a process whereby agencies, as a matter of course seek consent to pass data to allow a home safety visit</p> <p>Police and Trading standards worked together successfully to prosecute a gang who were working in the area mid argyll area</p>	<p>It was suggested that this be progressed by developing a less formal promotional leaflet that could be distributed by the various partner and third sector agencies introducing the concept and what the requestor can received – also a to be sought willing to promote the concept in the local paper</p> <p>. This result came about partly because of the vigilance of an individual who realised something was amiss with the scenario of the group of men “working” for an elderly neighbour</p>	
<p>Environment Safety</p> <p><i>Environment safety concerns the aesthetics of communities and neighbourhoods and includes vandalism and criminal damage, graffiti, fly tipping, littering, dog fouling</i></p>	<p>Minimise criminal damage/crime against persons/property</p>	<p>Kintyre crime prevention panel now working with the Forum</p>		

<i>and secondary fires</i>				
<p>Public Space Safety <i>This deals with people's safety in their communities and public perception of safety including anti social behaviour, public disorder and violence.</i></p>	ASB	Group continues to Meet its objectives main participants are police, RSLs and Council		