THE COMMUNICATOR HILLINGDON POLICE COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER



Rob's Rapport

Every month when I send out the Communicator, I get a number of people emailing me directly with local



issues as my contact details are given in my email. These get forwarded to the correct team or inspector to progress.

What it does show is that we (Safer Neighbourhood teams in Hillingdon) are not doing a good enough job in advertising how to get in contact with all of us. We need to fix that. So, here are the most up to date contact details for your local SNTs. All you need to know is which ward area you live in to identify the

right team. Keep the details handy and please use them when you have a local policing problem:

In the first instance, ring or email your team on:

Barnhill 020	8721 2554 HillingdonBarnhill.snt@met.police.uk
Botwell	020 8721 2757 Botwell.snt@met.police.uk
Brunel	020 8721 2551 Brunel.snt@met.police.uk
Cavendish	020 8721 2550 Cavendish.snt@met.police.uk
Charville	020 8721 2552 Charville.snt@met.police.uk
Eastcote & East Ruis	lip 020 8721 2548 Eastcote.Ruislip.snt@met.police.uk
	020 8721 2544 Harefield.snt@met.police.uk
Heathrow Villages	020 8721 2557 HeathrowVillages.sht@met.police.uk
Hillingdon East	020 7161 8171 HillingdonEast.snt@met.police.uk
lčkenham	020 8721 2543 Ickenham.snt@met.police.uk
Manor 02	20 8721 2549 ManorWard.snt@met.police.uk
Northwood	
Northwood Hills	020 8721 2546 NorthwoodHills.snt@met.police.uk
	020 8721 2556 Pinkwell.snt@met.police.uk
South Ruislip	020 8721 2011 SouthRuislip.snt@met.police.uk
Townfield	07843 291091 Townfield.snt@met.police.uk
Uxbridge North 02	20 7161 8170 UxbridgeNorth.South.snt@met.police.uk
Uxbridge South 10	7717 733782 UxbridgeNorth South snt@met police uk
West Drayton West Ruislip	020 8721 2018 WestDrayton.snt@met.police.uk
West Ruislip	020 8721 2547 WestRuislip.snt@met.police.uk
Yeading	07766 991019 Yeading.snf@met.police.uk
Yiewsleğ	020 8721 2713 <u>Yiewslĕy.snt@met.police.uk</u>

Inspector Rob Bryan





Change

Many of you will have already read about the changes to front counters and the sale of some police buildings. In relation to Hillingdon borough here is what has been decided:

Ruislip Police Station is not being sold. Safer Neighbourhood Teams will continue to work from there. Volunteers currently open the front counter as a public service and this is going to reconsultation to determine if volunteer led front counters should continue. Keeping Ruislip nick was a welcome surprise.

Northwood Police Station houses no operational police officers and will be vacated in full by the current staff using it as offices.

Uxbridge Police Station's front office will close, probably within a few weeks of you reading this. Within the next 3-5 years the station will be sold. It currently houses our CID and Safer Neighbourhood officers for the west of the borough. When the station goes, the CID will decant elsewhere and the SNTs will work from smaller sites within their communities.

Hayes Police Station's front office will open 24/7 in place of Uxbridge. Currently, our emergency response teams for the whole of Hillingdon and the SNTs for the east all work from Hayes nick. This will remain unchanged. If you have the time, the full report is well worth a read as it offers more detail and covers other changes:

https://www.london.gov.uk/mopacpublications/public-access-strategy

In a nutshell: In a month from now, 24/7 access to the police via a front counter will change from Uxbridge to Hayes and in several years from now the police building in Uxbridge will be no more. Operation emergency policing will remain unchanged. Safer Neighbourhood policing in the north and east will remain unchanged with new bases for the west officers. CID officers will have to move offices and the volunteers at Ruislip may or may not continue to open that front counter.

Hillingdon's Beat

The stories that never make the headlines:

Local cops - local knowledge. PC Low is the dedicated ward officer for Charville. Whilst investigating a spate of burglaries on vulnerable people she viewed CCTV and her local knowledge of "faces" enabled her to identify a likely suspect who within a few hours was in cuffs. Just shows how valuable those embedded officers are.

We were there. Contrary to some headlines, Hillingdon Police were present at all main Acts of Remembrance, assisting organizers in ensuring the dignity of each event. PC Francis had to step in, quietly and without fuss, to remove a drunk and disruptive person at the Polish War Memorial. Well done that officer.

What a hoot. Responding to a call to suspects on premises, our Emergency Response Team officers

were soon on scene and checking out the venue. The "suspect" was soon located and on this occasion set free as there



were no offences disclosed ^(C) You really don't know what the next call will be in this job.

Happy Christmas

Cops are human, and we think that we a pretty funny too. Here is my gift to you this Christmas in case your cracker jokes are not up to scratch...

One Christmas Eve a woman hears the doorbell ring. She opens the door but nobody is there. As she looks around she sees a snail on the doorbell. "Ugh how disgusting!" she cries, grabs the snail and chucks it down to the end of her drive. The following Christmas the woman's bell rings again. As she opens the door, the snail pokes his head around the door frame and says "What the hell did you do that for?"



Ruislip Police Station Open Day - Saturday 9 December 10am-3pm