



Partnership Document

17/08/2015

Braintree

1) Theft from Motor Vehicle

Overnight on 12/08/2015 suspects unknown have gained entry to an Audi motor vehicle in the Railway Street area of Braintree by means unknown. Nothing of value taken and no damage caused.

2) Theft from Motor Vehicle

Overnight on 14/08/2015 suspects unknown have gained entry to two Transit Vans in the Rifle Hill/Lister Road area of Braintree using means unknown. No damage caused. Items removed from within.

3) Burglary Other

Between 12/08/2015 at 1700hrs and 14/08/2015 at 0730hrs in the Cunnington Road area of Braintree suspects unknown have gained entry to an insecure garden shed causing damage to a panel.

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Witham

1) Criminal Damage to a building

On 10/08/2015 at 1213hrs suspects unknown have smashed an office window by unknown means in the Perry Road area of Witham.

If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

2) Burglary (dwelling)

Between 10/08/2015 at 2345hrs and 11/08/2015 at 0002hrs suspects unknown have gained entry to a property in the Braintree Road area of Witham via the front door. Search of an unlocked hallway cupboard. Suspects also have gained entry to an adjoining garage whereby items have been removed.

If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

3) Burglary

In the early hours of 12/08/2015 suspects unknown have entered a property in Collingwood Road via the front door. Steel plates in the door were smashed. Suspects unknown have then removed the till causing damage to the wall. Damage and items removed total c.£3,400.

If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

4) Theft from Motor Vehicle

Between 0800hrs and 1630hrs on 12/08/2015 in the Grove Centre area of Witham suspects unknown have gained entry to a BMW motor vehicles by means

5) Theft of Motor Vehicle

Overnight on 15/08/2015 suspects unknown have stolen a Ford Fiesta by means unknown from the Collingwood Road area of Witham.

unknown and removed designer sunglasses together with their case valued at £250.

Suspects made a tidy search of the inside of the vehicle. No damage caused.

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Halstead

1) Theft from Motor Vehicle

Between 09/08/2015 and 10/08/2015 suspects unknown have removed the front Ford badge cover from a vehicle in the Juniper Close area of Halstead.

If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

Saffron Walden

1) Criminal Damage

On 08/08/2015 at 2100hrs suspects unknown have damaged the playing field on land adjacent to Saffron Walden Town football club by burning the grass.

If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

2) Burglary (dwelling)

Between 1230hrs on 07/08/2015 and 1100hrs on 11/08/2015 in the Walden Road area of Saffron Walden, suspects unknown have gained entry to a secure home by forcing the back door by means unknown. Suspects have then forced entry into the back of the property and removed items from the kitchen. Items were a Toshiba satellite pro Laptop and a blue handbag containing store cards and a NHS prepayment card. No other items appear to have been taken.

If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

3) Interference with a Motor Vehicle

Overnight on 13/08/2015 in the Laws Close area of Saffron Walden suspects unknown have gained entry to Ford Connect van by means unknown. Nothing removed but damage caused to the ignition.

If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

4) Burglary other

Between 07/08/2015 and 15/08/2015 at 0800hrs
Suspects unknown have gained entry to a garden shed in the Harvey Way area of Saffron Walden by forcing open a window by means unknown. Messy search before removing property.

5) Theft from Motor Vehicle

Between 08/08/2015 and 14/08/2015 suspects unknown have gained entry to side door of Ford Transit Van in the Peaslands Road area of Saffron Walden removing a large amount of items from within. No damaged caused.

6) Theft

Between 16:00 and 22:00 on 10/08/2015 suspects unknown have invaded the Allotments adjacent to Margaret Street, Thaxted damaging vegetation growing on the allotments.

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7) Burglary (other)

Between 07/08/2015 and 11/08/2015 suspects unknown have gained entry to the Village Hall in Thaxted via a rear kitchen door by means unknown causing damage to the door.

Nothing appears to have been taken.

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Stansted

1) Criminal damage to a motor vehicle

Between 1815hrs on 12/08/2015 and 0800hrs on 13/08/2015 in the Mount Drive area of Stansted

2) Criminal Damage to a Motor Vehicle

Between 10/08/2015 and 11/08/2015 suspects unknown have caused damage to front and rear

3) Theft from Motor Vehicle

Overnight on 13/08/2015- 14/08/2015 in The Street, Manuden, suspects unknown have gained access to a Ranger

<p>suspects unknown have caused damage to two vehicles by breaking off/damaging the drivers' side wing mirrors. No entry gained to the vehicles.</p> <p>If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.</p>	<p>windscreen wipers of a Volkswagen Polo in the De Mandeville Road area of Elsenham by means unknown.</p> <p>If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.</p>	<p>pick-up truck causing damage by removing the rear wheel cover. Suspects have then removed a number of suitcases from within, which were later discovered. No report of any items which may have been taken.</p> <p>If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.</p>
<u>Dunmow & Great Dunmow Rural</u>		
<p>1) Theft from Motor Vehicle</p> <p>Overnight on 13/08/2015 at between 1930hrs and 0715hrs on 14/08/2015 suspects unknown have gained access to a Transit Van in the Chelmsford Road, Hatfield Heath area. Messy search conducted and 2 x large drills removed. No visible damage or signs of forced entry to the vehicle.</p> <p>If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.</p>	<p>2) Criminal Damage to a Motor Vehicle</p> <p>Between 06/08/2015 and 14/08/2015 at 1600hrs suspects unknown slashed two tyres on a Toyota motor car in the Elm Close Extension, Takeley area.</p> <p>If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.</p>	<p>3) Criminal Damage to a Motor Vehicle</p> <p>On 15/08/2015 at 1445hrs suspects unknown have thrown an object at a vehicle parked in the Bush End Road area of Hatfield Broadoak , causing the rear off-side window to smash.</p> <p>If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.</p>
<p>4) Burglary – Commercial</p>	<p>5) Burglary other</p>	

Overnight on 11/08/2015-12/08/2015 suspects unknown have gained entry to two business units in the Priors Green area of Takeley by smashing the front windows. Messy search conducted causing damage to a safe. Items taken include cash, charity tin and two silver bracelets. Suspects exited via rear door.

If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

Overnight on 12/08/2015 in the Little Easton area of Dunmow suspects unknown have gained entry to secure out-buildings by tampering with bolts and a padlock removing gardening equipment from inside.

If you have any information regarding this crime please contact Braintree Police station on 101 or alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.



Crime Prevention Advice

That initial attraction

Without that initial attraction most crimes could be avoided, statistics show that most crimes are opportunist crimes, yes they may go out intending to commit crime but the victim is not yet chosen. So if there is no attraction then you may not become a victim.

What is the attraction?

- **The shed or garage with minimal security and tools visible through the window.**
- **A lone person down a dark street talking loudly on an illuminated new I- Phone.**
- **The house in darkness with the side gate flapping open welcoming.**
- **That accessible open window or door.**
- **The purse sitting in the open handbag on top of the shopping trolley.**
- **Group sitting chatting at a bar table with a mobile phone just sitting there on the table.**
- **The bag on the back seat of an unattended car, even though the bag may only contain your sports clothes the thief does not know this until he/she has smashed the window and stolen it.**

- **The tradesman's sign written van parked on the dark drive by the gate with accessible doors and unprotected pipe tube on the roof.**
- **The partygoer that's had too much to drink and is unaware of his/her surroundings.**
- **Shiny new ride on lawn mower sitting on the grass in full view of the road with no postcode/security markings visible.**

The above is just short list I am sure you can think of more. What can you do? STOP, think like a thief, spot the attraction and where possible remove it.

For further crime reduction advice contact your local Crime Prevention Officer using the police non emergency telephone number 101.

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In an emergency always dial **999**. For non emergencies dial **101**

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