



# **COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP TASK GROUP**

**Wednesday, 20th January, 2016**

**6.30 pm**

**Town Hall**

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# AGENDA

Councillor S Williams (Chair)  
Councillors S Bolton, R Martins, B Mehta and M Mills

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
2. **DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS**
3. **MINUTES**

The minutes of the meeting held on 21 October 2015 to be submitted and signed.

Copies of the minutes of this meeting are usually available seven working days following the meeting.

*(All minutes are available on the Council's [website](#).)*

4. **WATFORD PUBWATCH**

Discussion by Phillip Holby, Chair of Pubwatch, regarding issues pertaining to the recent Christmas and New Year period - with licensed premises door staff providing their perspectives.

Question and answer session.

5. **HERTFORDSHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE (Pages 3 - 16)**

Report of John Horastead, Hertfordshire Fire and Rescue, on how the organisation works with local communities and with young people.

6. **ACTIONS AND QUESTIONS UPDATE (Pages 17 - 20)**

The Task Group is asked to review the attached list of actions and sign off all those actions which are complete.

# YOUTH AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT WITHIN HFRS

Station Commander Jon Horastead  
Watford and Three Rivers  
January 2016





# LiFE

**Aimed at young people between 13 and 19.**

**Either have fire-setting, anti-social behaviour or confidence issues**

**Referred from schools, housing associations, police etc.**





# PRINCE'S TRUST

**Working with local young people aged 17 to 30.  
Helping them prepare to get work, education or training.  
Unlocking potential by developing confidence and skills.**





# FIRE CADETS

**Aimed at young people aged 13 to 17.  
To give an insight to working in the fire service.  
Promotes social responsibility and respect.**





# DUKE OF EDINGBURGH

Run in conjunction with local secondary schools and Youth Connexions.  
Fire Service provide skills training required for Bronze Award.  
Promotes team work and self discipline.





## BOX CLEVA

Aimed at reducing anti-social behaviour in young people.  
Promotes healthy lifestyle through sport.  
Children from 8 to 15 taking part in non-contact training.







# LOCAL YOUTH GROUPS

**We visit all types of local youth groups by invitation.  
We assist with their badges and awards.  
Always link their visits to aspects of home fire safety.**





# LOCAL SCHOOLS

We visit all local schools from pre-school to colleges.  
We provide a range of packages linked to the curriculum.  
Schools visit us at station or we attend their schools.





# YOUTH CONNEXIONS

We work closely with Youth Connexions across a broad range of activities.

Engage on Home Fire Safety, Healthy Lifestyles and Road Safety.





# STATION OPEN DAYS

Station Open Days held at Rickmansworth and Watford.  
Aimed at promoting our work in the community and Fire Safety.  
Targeted at children to draw parents in.

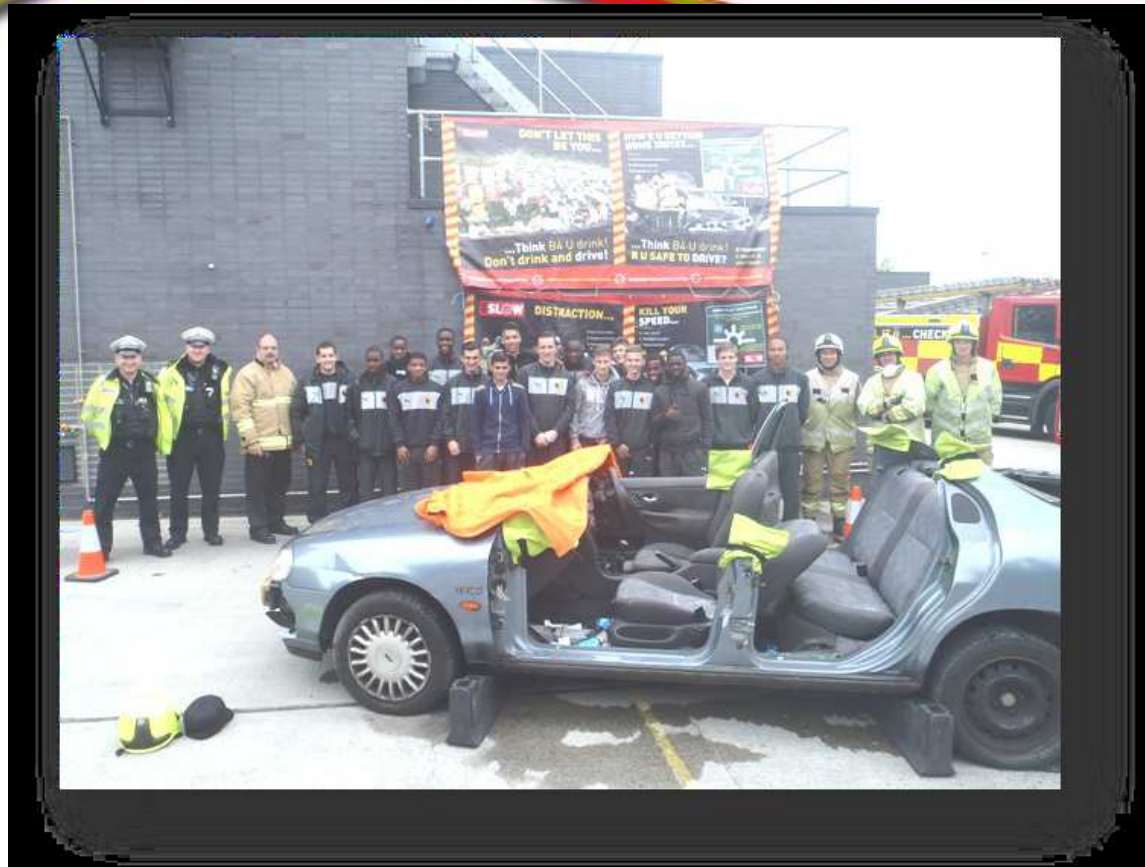




# WORK EXPERIENCE

Carried out at all stations within the District.  
The majority of local schools attend.  
Gives insight to both working procedures and culture.





# WEST HERTS COLLEGE

We have worked in partnership with the college for 7 years.  
We provide Road Safety advice for all students.  
They have provided posters and videos to promote safety.



# COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- **TARGETED.**
- Safer Streets
- Private Landlords
- Temporary Accommodation
- Accommodation above shops
- Beds in Sheds
- **EDUCATIONAL.**
- Safe Start young parents
- Side by Side
- Caring Together
- Mencap
- Driving Home for Christmas







## Community Safety Partnership Task Group: Outstanding Actions and Questions (2015/16)

Action to be carried out		Responsibility	Committee Date	Deadline for completion	Target/comments
<b>6 month review of performance in relation to the CSP plan for 2015/16</b>					
CSP1	To circulate Information on the law in relation to cyclists on the pavement to WBC Members.	Inspector Lillitou	21 October		PCSO's across the wards have been passed the letter with the relevant information and will circulate to their respective Councillors.
CSP2	To explore the viability of installing CCTV in the Rapinda Road and Park Avenue to Five Ways Corner area in relation to possible drug misuse.	Anti-Social Behaviour Coordinator	21 October		Complaints in relations to drugs misuse have now stopped – no need for CCTV at this time.
CSP3	To check possible alcohol misuse on the corner of Durban and Haringey Roads.	Inspector Lillitou	21 October		Matter tasked to local PCSO's and ASB officer to monitor and manage.
CSP4	To ask the Mayor to send a letter to the Hertfordshire Police and Crime Commissioner outlining the Task Group's concerns about the closure of the Watford Police Station custody suite.	Committee and Scrutiny Support Officer	21 October		The Mayor wrote to the Police and Crime Commissioner on 26th October 2015.
CSP5	To obtain figures on the number of complaints about the use of police stop and search powers in Watford for the Task Group.	Inspector Lillitou	21 October		Inspector Lillitou is presently on sick leave. Details to follow.

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<b>Review of CSP Communications Plan</b>				
CSPC1	To look in to the potential for Community Safety Partnership wide communications.	Senior Communication s and Engagement Officer	21 October	CSP communications campaigns for 2016 to be agreed in January 2016.
<b>Work Programme</b>				
WP1	To arrange a further meeting of the Task Group in late January 2016.	Committee and Scrutiny Support Officer	21 October	Meeting to be held on Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> January 2016 at 6.30 p.m. in Committee Room 2.
WP2	To invite the Fire Service and a representative of licensed premises door staff to the January meeting. Also, the local Pubwatch to provide a report to the CSPTG on issues pertaining to the festive season.	Anti-Social Behaviour Coordinator	21 October	John Horasted, Station Commander, Watford and Three Rivers, Hertfordshire Fire and Rescue attending the January meeting. The Chair of Pubwatch, Phillip Holby, will also be attending the January meeting.
WP3	To arrange a Member's briefing for immediately before the 22 <sup>nd</sup> March CSPTG meeting to discuss ASB end of year data, child abduction and 'Prevent' agenda issues.	Member Development and Civic Officer	21 October	Members briefing arranged for 6.30 p.m. on 22 <sup>nd</sup> March with CSPTG to follow at 7.45 p.m.

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WP4	Members to provide details of the residents associations to be invited to the 22 <sup>nd</sup> March CSPTG at the January 2016 meeting.	Committee and Scrutiny Support Officer	21 October		To be provided at the January meeting.
<b>Overview of annual performance in relation to the CSP Plan 2015/18</b>					
<b>Update on the proposed CSP priorities for 2016/17 and associated strategic assessments</b>					

