

Adur NHW Newsletter



Lancing & Sompting Issue

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Lancing Sompting Burglaries +

Reference No.	Date Time	Location	Details
1202	29/10/2019 Between Midday & 6 pm	Sompting Road Lancing	It is unknown how entry was gained to a property. Jewellery and cash were stolen.
267	18/11/2019	South Street Lancing	By bending a Heras fencing panel upwards and climbing through. Once in, they entered a barn and moved everything about; they also entered a beach hut and left lots of cigarette butts around it. They also damaged three brand new benches valued at £300.00. This was all caught on CCTV and there are clear images of the culprits. Total damage £500.00.
481	19/11/2019	Farm Lancing Area	Problems with poachers cutting fences to gain access to land where they have driven over crops destroying them; a Land Rover Discovery was sighted with 2 males in it. On the way out the vehicle drove down a steep slope and through a fence, ripping off the front bumper in the process. Damage is estimated to be in the thousands.

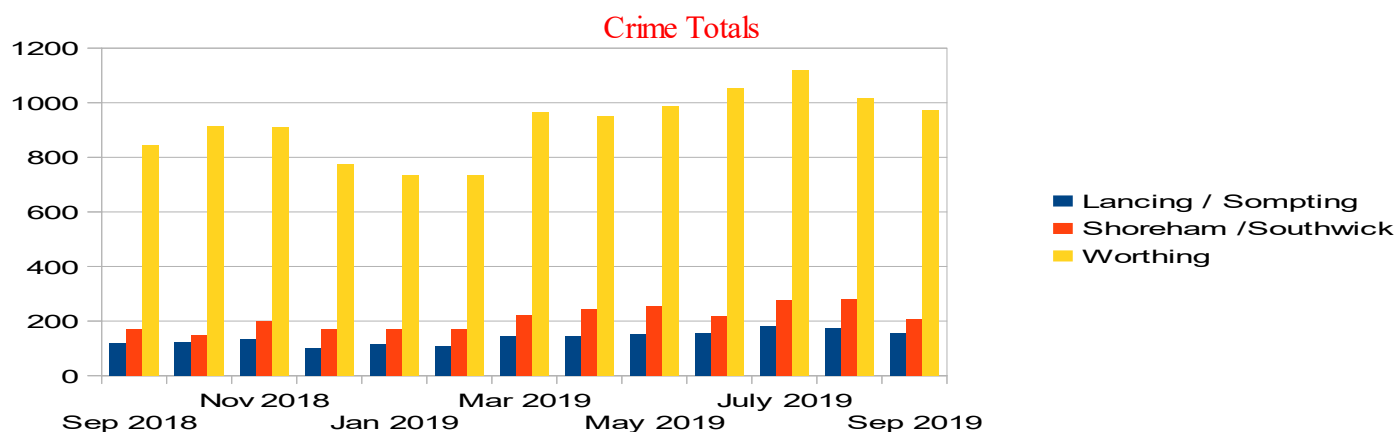
Update

I'm sure you are delighted to hear that Sussex Police are increasing the number of PCSOs on our streets and have already provided a named Officer for each community, but may I please ask you to "manage your expectations". With the busy Christmas period ahead and a huge tranche of Police Constables and PCSOs in training, who will not be fully deployed until well into next year, resources will inevitably continue to be stretched for a while. Please remember too, that although you will have a named PCSO on your patch, who will spend as much time there as possible, they will still be operational across the entire district and deployed elsewhere when required. One way you can assist your new PCSOs is to see that you report any criminal or suspicious activity every time (do not wait for someone else to do it).

This information and intelligence will help them to get to grips with the area as quickly and effectively as possible.

Lancing & Sompting Crime Statistics for September 2019

September 2019	Churchill	Cokeham	Manor	Mashbarn	Peveral	Widewater	Sub Total
Antisocial Behaviour	9	4	4	6	2	9	34
Bike Theft	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Burglary	5	0	0	0	1	1	7
Criminal Damage	3	7	1	3	3	3	20
Drugs	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
Other Crime	0	1	0	0	2	0	3
Other Theft	4	1	0	0	1	3	9
Weapons	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
Public Order	2	4	1	1	3	1	12
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Theft Shop	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
Theft Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vehicle Crime	0	2	2	0	3	2	9
Violence & Sex Offences	12	7	13	9	6	9	56
Totals	38	26	22	20	22	29	157



Please note the above statistics are a few weeks behind as they are not published until every Police Force in the Country has submitted their numbers. The Weapons numbers may be increased at a later date.

TO ALL COORDINATORS..... May I finish this month's Newsletter with an appeal to you all.

You will have received this Newsletter via the Alert System, which is the way ALL your members with Internet access should be receiving it, along with ALL other Alerts and messages NOT unnecessarily converted to hard copy, or simply forwarded by email. Many of you have just a handful of members, if any, registered on Neighbourhood Alert. Please take a moment to speak with ALL your Scheme Members and ask all those with Internet access to register on line at:

www.worthingnhw.ourwatch.org.uk

to future-proof your scheme and ensure your members have direct access to the Alert System.



May we wish you a Happy Christmas & Prosperous New Year

