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Amesbury Rural September 2017

Current Priorities

### Off Road Motorbikes/Vehicles Salisbury Plain

This priority commenced on 24<sup>th</sup> March, to date 111 actions/patrols have taken place. Officers continue to patrol the area along with members of our Volunteer Scheme. The rural crime team are actively involved. Further operations are being planned with the MOD, Special Constabulary and RMP.

## Target Patrols

### Ratfyn Farm & Allington Track

On 22<sup>nd</sup> August we commenced a target patrol at the above location due to ongoing issue of unknown suspects cutting chains to fences, getting onto land and hare coursing causing damage to the land. Patrols are being conducted down Allington Track where the 2 access gates are on the right to Ratfyn Farm plus patrols of Ratfyn Farm itself. To date 23 patrols have taken place.

### BarleyCroft Farm

Additional patrols commenced at the location on 15<sup>th</sup> September for reassurance and to prevent further incidents. In total 22 patrols took place and we are pleased to report no further issues. Patrol has closed on 04<sup>th</sup> October.

### Heale House

Additional patrols commenced on 17<sup>th</sup> September, to date 20 patrols have taken place at the location.

## Any Relevant Series for August 2017

N/A

## Local Crimes

### Burglaries

12<sup>th</sup> Sept Burglary Barleycroft Farm - Suspect(s) have attempted to gain entry to a large farm shed by forcing off the padlock to the doors, but have not gained entry due to the inner deadlock. Instead they have broken off a section of the asbestos sheet cladding and climbed inside, opening the doors from within. Once inside, they have stolen 15-20 rolls of silage wrap and two rolls of bale netting..

12<sup>th</sup> Sept Burglary Heale House - Unknown person(s) have broken into a shed and stolen 2 x hedge trimmers 2 x strimmers and a leaf blower all made by Stihl.

14<sup>th</sup> Sept Burglary Ballington Manor – FARM building has been broken in to by removal of the padlock, once inside the suspect has removed hand power garden tools.

13<sup>th</sup> Sept Burglary Upper Woodford - SHED -unknown suspects have forced open the padlock on a shed. The suspects have gained entry to the shed, have carried out a search. Nothing has been taken.

25<sup>th</sup> Sept Burglary Newton Tony - Unknown suspects have gained entry to a shed by unknown means. The suspects have stolen a number of items including the padlock for the shed.

### Drugs

5<sup>th</sup> Sept Drugs Shrewton - Female arrested after being found in possession of a quantity of cannabis and money

### Theft

3<sup>rd</sup> Sept Bilking Highpost – Theft of fuel

6<sup>th</sup> Sept Shoplifting Porton Post Office – Theft of items from inside the store

11<sup>th</sup> Sept Theft The Common Shrewton - Unknown suspect has stolen a wheelie bin from outside a house which was left on the footpath outside the address.

14<sup>th</sup> Sept Shoplifting Porton Post Office – As above

16<sup>th</sup> Sept Theft East Clyffe Farm - Unknown suspect/s have entered a store room at a mobile phone mast in a remote location with a key and taken 4 very large 12v battery's weighing 50kg each which were used to power the mast in the event of a power cut.

23<sup>rd</sup> Sept Theft The George, Shrewton – Theft of chalkboard outside the pub.

25<sup>th</sup> Sept Theft Allington House - Overnight unknown suspect(s) has broken the gates to the field by unknown means and has stolen a Sheep Handling System, which was described as a lightweight aluminium hurdles which are linked together by pins and chains and designed to herd sheep. The Sheep Handling System was TVO £2640.00

27<sup>th</sup> Sept Theft The Croft - Unknown suspects appear to have gone into a garden and have cut a hole in the ferret cage which is outside- attached to the shed, and have taken all 5 of the white ferrets.

29<sup>th</sup> Sept Theft Newton Tony - Unknown suspect has entered rear garden via front gate and stolen items from the garden.

30<sup>th</sup> Sept Theft Rolleston Mobile Home Park - Unknown suspect has removed a trailer (Halfords model 102 )TVO £300 from the rear of a caravan and made off.

### **Criminal Damage**

20<sup>th</sup> Sept C Damage Winterbourne Stoke - Unknown suspect(s) have been sighted in the farm field possibly Hare coursing and tried to cut the chain that is attached to the fence to the farmers field causing cut marks to the chain. The unknown suspect(s) have managed to pull the chain close to its post and lift it up allowing the unknown suspect(s) vehicle to enter the field and drive on the land causing damage to the crops TVO approx £100.

25<sup>th</sup> Sept C Damage Lower Woodford - Unknown suspects have used an unknown weapon/object , to smash the driver's side window and the rear passengers side causing the windows to completely smash.

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If you wish further detail please contact your local officers - Pc Lucy Wileman & PCSO Will Todd

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