



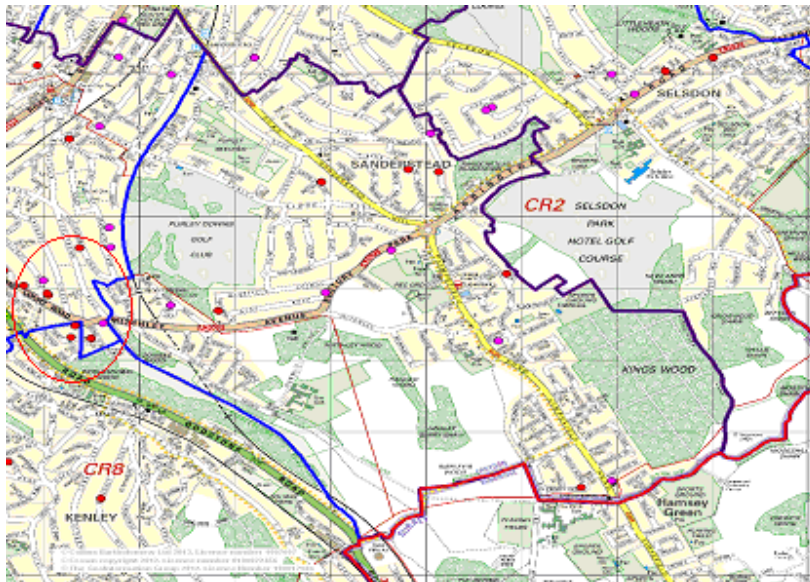
# Sanderstead Update

## January 2016

Dear Sir or Madam

Welcome to the latest edition of the Sanderstead update. We would like to give you an update about crime and policing information in the Sanderstead area.

Local police officers together with the ward panel members for Sanderstead have set three 'ward promises'. These promises are what your local policing team will focus their efforts on in order to reduce crime in the area.



### PROMISES

**Burglary** - Over the last 4 weeks Sanderstead had a total of **5** residential and non-residential burglaries as marked on the map above ●. We aim to visit all burglary victims within 24 hours, to ensure we record and use information for intelligence purposes to prevent future offences. We will continue to liaise with Surrey police and surrounding SNT's to combat any cross-ward and cross-borough burglary issues. There have been a number of burglaries in and around Down Court Road, Purley. Which is circled in red.

Review your home security. Always check your doors and windows are secure. Consider where your home is vulnerable by thinking how you would break-in if locked out? - Fit an intruder alarm, CCTV and security lighting.

**Motor vehicle crime** - Over the last 4 weeks Sanderstead had a total of **5** 'Thefts from motor vehicles' as marked on the map above ●.

The Majority of the offences have been power tools taken from trader vans during the middle of the night. We ask that you be vigilant and don't leave any tools or valuables within your vehicles. We are deploying officers to affected areas of the ward to carry out extra patrols. Always lock your vehicles and use an alarm and immobilizer.

**ASB in parks and open spaces** - The team continues to work hard to reduce other forms of Anti-Social Behaviour on the ward. The team regularly patrols areas such as Sanderstead Recreation Ground and Wettern Tree Gardens. The team have targeted and increased patrols in and around these locations at relevant times.

The team have stopped and searched numerous individuals in various ASB locations. One individual was carrying drugs and consequently given a cannabis warning and removed from the area.

### OTHER NEWS

The latest 'Ward Panel Meeting' was conducted on Monday 11th January. At the meeting the Ward Promises were heavily discussed along with crime figures and trends. It was agreed that the 'Promises' would stay the same.

The Metropolitan Police has a new corporate newsletter. This newsletter has to be hand delivered to every household on the ward. The MPS has had some positive feedback thus far and will be rolling out the next Newsletter in March.

PC Tolladay and PCSO Brooks conducted a presentation to a local nursery.

The next '**Drop-In Surgery**' will be held at Sanderstead library, Farm Fields on Friday 12th February 2016 at 12.00pm.

The next '**Ward Panel Public meeting**' will be held at Riddlesdown Collegiate, Honister Heights on Monday 18th April 2016 at 6.30pm.

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