

## Mottingham Safer Neighbourhood Team

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*Please note these are not monitored 24/7. In an emergency please call 999 or if the matter is non urgent but requires a Police response please dial 101*

### Ward Panel Promises

Were set at our recent ward panel meeting on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2018. The next panel meeting will be on 11<sup>th</sup> April 2018.

1. Drug dealing/Drug use
2. Youth and motorcycle ASB.
3. Theft from motor vehicle

### Neighbourhood Watch

Our aim is to introduce Neighbourhood watch schemes in all of the residential roads/closes on the ward. To date we have 50+ and would like to set up more.

Active NHW schemes are a proven method of crime reduction and with the help of a structured NHW scheme and the Police crime in your area could be significantly reduced.

Crime figures on Mottingham ward are lower than average across the borough of Bromley. With the help of an active NHW they could be reduced further.

What is required is someone taking the lead, knocking on a few neighbours' doors to gauge an interest. If the interest is there one of the group will need to come forward as co-coordinator. The next step will be to inform PCSO Kennedy who will get the ball rolling with our NHW experts who will arrange a get together and talk. If interested please contact us via email details of which can be found above.

## Upcoming Events

**23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018 1200-1300:** Drop in surgery at Mottingham Library

**27<sup>th</sup> March 2018 1100-1200:** CO-OP Kimmeridge Road

**5<sup>th</sup> April 2018 1000-1100:** Castlecombe Family center

**6<sup>th</sup> April 2018 1100-1200:** Geoffrey's Hall, Nunnington Close

## Crime Prevention and Relevant News

Thefts from Land Rovers and Range Rovers continue. It has been suggested that the thieves may be able to 'grab' a signal from your key if it is stored near to your front door. Keep your key far from the door and in a metal box to keep your key (and car) safe!!!

There has been a spate of burglaries across the whole of Bromley. Expensive houses are being targeted. Please ensure that you have secured your house and belongings as best you can. Have you got a house alarm and CCTV – Have you considered a safe for your valuables. If you are going out in the evening leave some lights on – be aware of your surroundings.

### Please be aware of the following:

Your bank will never attend your home

Your bank and the police will never collect your bank card

Your bank and the police will never ask for your PIN

### Reporting Advice

In an **emergency** dial **999**.

In a **non-emergency**, report to Action Fraud on **0300 123 2040**, or contact your local police by dialling **101** and report the matter to your bank.