# **Bowness on Windermere**

**Neighbourhood Policing Team** 

#### Your next Neighbourhood Meetings are:

Safer Stronger Community Meeting on February 10<sup>th</sup> 6.00pm at The Council Chamber, Broad Street, Windermere.

This is your chance to tell us about the issues which matter to you and to vote on police and partner priorities for the forthcoming months.

#### **Windermere Town Council:**

Mon 25<sup>th</sup> January 2010 7pm – 8pm Wed 10<sup>th</sup> February 2010 7pm – 8pm Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2010 7pm – 8pm

### **Meet Your Local Officers**

PC 1794	Bowness-on-
Rebecca Hunter	Windermere
PCSO 5249	Bowness-on-
Scott Livett	Windermere
Sgt 316	Bowness-on-
John Stephens	Windermere







PC 1794 PCSO 5249 SGT 316

# **Contact Us**

Telephone: 0845 33 00 247 ext 4208

In an Emergency dial 999

Email: lakesNPT@cumbria.police.uk

CrimeStoppers: 0800 555 111

# Your Priorities - What you told us

Anti-Social Behaviour Underage Drinking Dog Fouling Littering

## Your Priorities - What we did

#### **Bowness North:**

There has been a lot done by the Community team at Windermere Police Station in the area to reduce things like Dog-fouling, where targeted patrols take place in the early mornings, and youth Anti-Social Behaviour. We worked last year with several partner agencies on various projects to help channel some of our youths into more worthwhile pastimes. These included football tournaments and training, Army days and other days out to various events. These have been shown to improve the connections between the youths and the Police and a subsequent fall in Anti-Social Behaviour overall. These projects will

# Crime In Your Area - Follow Up

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The Policing Pledge is something that we the Cumbria Constabulary take very seriously as to the commitment we provide the public. It can be viewed beside this poster and one of its promises is to keep you informed regards Neighbourhood Policing. So the latest figures for this region are: There is very good news in that have been no incidents of Burglary or Robbery recorded in the last 3 months. Vehicle crime and Violent crime have both fallen and Anti-Social Behaviour has





continue this year and start with a First Gear Programme at the Phoenix Centre, where we will be working with Young Cumbria to target individuals from the local area who are engaged in risk taking behaviour. This will look at when they eventually become involved in driving. come down considerably, showing a 37.9% drop. However, we are not complacent about these figures and with your help work to improve them. If you have any info that you feel may help us catch or stop criminals please call the CrimeStoppers number above.

# Your Priorities - What we did

#### **Bowness South:**

As seen by the above the Community team of Windermere Police Station is engaged in an ongoing series of projects to reduce crime in your neighbourhood. We try to encourage youths to take part in more constructive or participating activities such as listed above and the youth disco which is usually held at the Wheelhouse in Bowness towards the end of term. This has proven a success with well over 100 young people turning up for the evening and a good time had by all. Littering and in particular dog-fouling continue to be a problem though. We are able to ticket offenders for either of these offenders with fines of £75. Anti dog-fouling patrols, with our partners in the SLDC occur on a regular basis, usually in the early morning when the problem is most acute.

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The news for Bowness South is a little mixed, but in general shows a good improvement. Though Burglary has shown a very small rise and Robberies still non-existent, both Vehicle and Violent crime have both fallen in comparison to the same period last year, while Anti-Social Behaviour, like Bowness North, has shown a considerable decrease, this area falling a remarkable 48.9%. However, we in the Police refuse to become complacent with these figures and always urge that you contact us if you see anything suspicious, whether person or vehicle, to allow us the earliest opportunity to nip any potential crime in the bud.



