

Report of the North West Divisional Community Safety Partnership

Inner West Area Committee

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<p>Electoral Wards Affected:</p> <p>Bramley / Stanningley & Armley wards</p>	<p>Specific Implications For:</p> <p>Equality and Diversity <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Community Cohesion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Narrowing the Gap <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	
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1.0 Executive Summary

This report provides Members of the Area Committee with an overview of the performance of the North West Divisional Community Safety Partnership and includes details of the initiatives that have been delivered in local communities to reduce crime and disorder. The report focuses upon the period 1st November 2009 to 31st October 2010. Appendix 1 provides an example of the weekly data used to check and measures the 3 police divisions performance on priority crime across Leeds.

2.0 The purpose of this report is to:

- Update Members on progress and outputs of the Multi-agency partnership Tasking Arrangements
- Report on the Sub Groups and activities
- Report on the Performance of the North West Police Division and partnership
- Summary of ward crime statistics, public confidence and user satisfaction
- Report on multi agency 'Operation Champions'
- Look at Future Priorities for the North West Division

3.0 **The Divisional Community Safety Partnership**

3.1 The Community Safety partnerships work across the North West Division to tackle crime and anti social behaviour . The partnership is chaired by the Police and Area Management and includes partners from , Youth Offending Service, the Fire Services, West North West Homes, Youth Services and Children’s Services, the University, Education Leeds, and lead members from the four Area Committee’s in West North West who are the appointed Community Safety champion .The Partnership meets on a quarterly basis and sets the strategic direction for the Division examining performance, agreeing targets and Priorities.

The priorities for the Safer Leeds Partnerships for 2008 -2011 are :

1. Creating safer environments by tackling crime
2. Improving lives by reducing the harm caused by substance misuse
3. Supporting victims and reducing the risk of victimisation
4. Reducing offending and managing offending behaviour
5. Improving community confidence and public satisfaction

4.0 **Multi-Agency Tasking Teams**

4.1 This group meets monthly and its includes representatives from West North West Homes, Fire Service the co-chairs have responsibility for monitoring performance and local delivery which is overseen by the Area Community Safety Co-ordinators. The introduction of the action template has proved valuable in recording evidence of supporting locality focussed working. Also the introduction of the Neighbourhood for Armley will assist in focussing actions to reduce crime in the hot spot area. A summary of local actions from each multi-agency partnership tasking team is now included in the quarterly Divisional Community Safety Highlight reports.

5.0 **Key Achievements 09/10**

5.1 **Initiatives to Tackle Acquisitive Crime**

5.2 **Operation Achnaba**

This is a pro active initiative aimed at patrolling the areas of highest crime and disrupting those criminals who are believed to be the most active in the division. There are extended tours of duty being worked by Neighbourhood Police Team Officers (NPT) into the early hours of the morning as well as officers from Operation Anvil who are the division’s pro active element focused on burglary. There have been some excellent arrests during this initiative including a young man from Bramley who was caught at 5am in Pudsey by officers on patrol. He was found nearby to a car with a smashed window, a sat navigation device was found near to him and he was arrested for this matter. Operation Allport 4 in April and May 2010 was another pro active initiative where again a number of Policing departments came together to concentrate on burglary hotspot areas of the Division which include the Armely and Bramley wards.

5.3 **Operation Advent**

The arrest phase to Operation Achnaba, which saw 8 burglary nominals arrested on intelligence gained from Operation Achnaba.

54 **Operation Amsbury**

On the back of Operation Achnaba and Advent an operation was put together to execute warrants at second hand dealers, such as Cash Converters. The books were checked and those names linked to our burglary nominals, such as friends and family were arrested. Following on from this Operation Afix focussed on second jewellery shops accepting stolen Jewellery.

5.5 **Operation Aberfeldy**

This operation in the North West Leeds Police division, to actively identify, investigate and reduce priority crime, specifically Burglary dwelling, Robbery and Vehicle crime offences, and to increase public confidence in the Division. The intention of this operation is to provide High Visibility Police patrols, to Proactively Police the Designated Target areas, identified at the Tactical Intelligence Assessment meeting. This Operation will involved high Visibility Divisional Roads Policing resources supported where available, by Roads Policing Officers from Operation Anvil and Force resource enabling the deployment of Automatic Number Plate Recognition (ANPR) equipped vehicles to specific Areas.

5.6 **Operation Titian**

This operation has been used in the hot spot area and has seen other police departments, such regional roads policing, Yorkshire and Humber Roads policing, Force intercept team (ANPR), Mounted, Operation Support Teams, Off Road Bikes etc.

5.7 **Operation Allness**

This initiative continues to tackle issues around Armley Prison and an agreement has been made to install CCTV cameras to resolve the long standing issues of vehicle crime in this vicinity . Joint initiatives with the police and prison service has seen a marked reduction on vehicle crime in and around the prison area and have also tackled issues of drug smuggling .

5.8 **Target Hardening**

There was a successful bid by Bramley Elderly Action for target hardening packages supported by Community Safety for elderly vulnerable tenants in Bramley ward. Working with Community Action and Support Against Crime (CASAC) 50 properties have benefited from additional security. Funding of £50,000 has been agreed from Community Safety for 2010 to offer target hardening packages for vulnerable properties in Armley currently the divisions burglary hot spot.

5.9 **Capture House**

Funding from the Area Committee for the setting up of the capture houses has resulted in the activation of two capture houses on the Salisbury's in Armley, and further addresses on the Fairfield's in Bramley. The capture house continue to be deployed in Inner West.

5.10 **Operation Champion Armley**

Operation Champion took place on 24th & 25th March 2010 targeted the Little Scotland Area of Armley . This area was agreed with partner agencies due to this being the burglary hot spot for Inner West, with incidents of Anti Social Behaviour and environmental issues.

During the 2 days of action Probation Services cleared bin yards and fly tipping sites. Waste in garden letters were served and properties inspected for defective pipes. All bin yards and gardens were cleared of waste and overhanging vegetation cut back with 4.96 tones of waste were removed. The Fire service offered home fire safety checks to residents. Leaflets were delivered to all properties in the area giving fire safety advice and the free phone helpline number for requesting a home safety check. 7 households were engaged with and fitted with 7 smoke detectors. The Anti-Social Behaviour Team worked over the course of the operation visiting victims of anti-social behaviour, conducting the sessions with the Safer Schools Officer and working the evening in Little Scotland. Three arrests were made and 16 names of young people have been put forward as being involved in anti-social behaviour at various levels.

5.11 **Operation Champion . Wythers**

Operation Champion took place on the Wythers on 29th and 30th July 2010. During the 2 days partner agencies focused their attention on a number of issues that local residents had raised as concerns through the Partners And Communities Together (PACT) and Wyther Improvement Group meetings which included environmental work , littering and speeding on Cockshot Lane. The police visiting over 270 houses talking to local residents about crime issues, crime prevention and promoting the crime stoppers contact number to report crime anonymously. There were visits to 4 Victims of Hate Crime at local shops on Raynville Road, and 4 persons arrested by Police, 2 still sought. Two youths received harassment warnings to date, with ASB interventions to follow for all youths and follow up with West North West Homes Leeds and the Tenancy Enforcement Team. The police also focused speeding issues utilising the Lazer gun equipment over the 2 days on Cockshot Lane. A number of vehicles were identified speeding and will receive a warning letter.

The Environmental Action team conducted an audit of the area identifying waste in Gardens, Overgrown Hedges, Noise Nuisance. During the 2 day the staff gave out general advise about waste management, worked with the unpaid service team in the clearance of 30 gardens / cut back hedges

The youth service along with BARCA organized a play assortment session on the Friday in the morning and afternoon for younger children also on Friday morning organized Sumo Suits at the Wythers Community House. Other activities included Home Fire Safety checks with the Fire service, tenancy audits from the Housing providers in the area.

6.0 **Reassurance**

During 2009/2010 there has been a number of partnership event to provide information, advice and support to communities.

A number of agencies provide reassurance and crime prevention advice to residents during Operation Champion and multi-agency action days, such as Victim Support.

6.1 **Bobby In Lobby Campaign**

Bobby in a Lobby' focused on retail premises in West Inner providing a Police presence and giving reassurance and crime prevention advice to the public to reduce crime in the run up to Christmas. Energy saving light bulbs and property marking kits were handed out to the public. This initiative is being repeated during the 2010 Christmas period.

6.2 **Armley Funday 28th July**

Crime prevention advice and a survey was conducted as part of the event – engagement was made with approx 100 people

6.3 **Breeze event 4th August Armley park**

Crime prevention and personal safety focus with young people as part of the Breeze event.

6.4 **New Wortley Funday – Armley 22nd August**

The Police, Fire Service and other partner agencies contributing to the event providing information and fostering positive relationships with the local community.

6.5 **Broadleas Action day 24th August**

This partnership event with Police, BARCA and West North West Homes Leeds and Community Safety was focused on environmental crime and looking after the local environment with children/parents. Hate Crime packs distributed to specific areas of the Broadleas estate and general Crime prevention leaflets.

6.6 **Armley Town Street**

A number of multi-agency action days have taken place on Armley Town street in conjunction with the Town Centre Manager to provide reassurance to members of the public and education regarding litter and fly tipping. A number of issues are also currently being addressed, for example, street drinking problems. Additional notices have been placed within the Designated Public Places area of Armley and notices for licensed premises to display in a range of Eastern European languages.

6.7 **Police and Communities Together Meetings (PACT)**

Police Community Support Officers (PCSO) surgeries are run throughout West Leeds and monthly Partner agencies and Communities Together (PACT) meetings held in local neighbourhoods across West which identify the 3 main priorities for that area. The police also attend the local Forums to provide local communities with an update on crime and community safety information.

7.0 **Community Cohesion and Preventing Violent Extremism**

7.1 **Community Cohesion; Open Space Event**

This event was held on 9th March 2010- with approx 50 attendees. The objective of the day is to do some myth busting and capacity building with front line members of staff about what cohesion means to us. How can we help build cohesive communities; have more networking, and build better relationships and to find out who is doing what and together create a 'Team Armley' approach. The cohesion pilot focussed on the Wyther Area and actions are being developed through the multi-agency Wyther Improvement Group plan.

7.2 **Locality Induction programme for Armley on Communities and Faith**

A Locality Induction programme for Armley on Communities and Faith held in on 12th & 13th July 2010 was aimed at new starters or new to working in Armley. The programme included, local history of the area, local political structures, the role of elected members,

demographics, initiatives in the area and consultation mechanisms. The programme also introduced local Partnership mechanisms and groups working in Armley, and also a workshop on the introduction to Islam. Visits and talks from Armley Mosque, Sikh Temple and St Bartholomew Church .

7.3 **Multi Cultural Event with Schools**

The aim was to engage with the cross faith communities in Inner West. There were representation of faiths from Islam to Hinduism, Judaism, Sikhism who presented their religion/faith/cultural using an education based theme to the school children. This events was a hands on experience where children could ask questions and enhance their knowledge to take back to the classroom. Approximately 100 year 6/7 children attended from local primary schools from Bramley/Armley. Additional workshops also included Fire Safety and Anti-social Behaviour linked to buses . The out come was to raise awareness of hate/crime incidents Awareness of their communities, Community Engagement/Cohesion., Fire Safety, Anti Social Behaviour Race/Hate.

7.4 **Armley Mosque engagement event**

The Neighbourhood Police Team have established excellent links with Armley Mosque over the last 12 months and have arranged sessions with young people from the mosque ranging from sporting activities to sessions on staying safe. The partnership engagement day in September at the Mosque was to build on relationships with the Mosque and the wider community, to raise awareness and encourage local community to access Leeds City Council and other services, including career opportunities.

7.5 **Workshop To Raise Awareness of Prevent (WRAP)**

The Community Safety Co-ordinators have been trained to deliver ½ day workshops to Leeds City Council Staff and Partner agency staff on raising the Awareness of Prevent and how agencies can contribute to this work. Workshops have been facilitated at the Carriage Works with a cross section of front line staff within voluntary and statutory organisations.

8.0 **Drugs and Alcohol**

Funding agreed from both Inner and Outer Area Committee for a thermal imaging camera has been deployed in Inner West and has assisted the police to identify Cannabis premises.

8.1 **Drugs Warrants**

A number of drug warrants have been executed under the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 . Below are some examples .

Bramley Intake area: the recovery of a significant amount of white powder, believed to be class A drugs. Also seized were numerous offensive weapons. 2 adults were arrested for drugs offences.

A number of drugs warrant was executed in the Ganners area, inside the loft space was a Cannabis Farm with 62 plants which were ready harvest. The occupiers of the address

where both arrested for cultivation and abstract electricity. Both have been bailed pending further enquiries.

A house on Aviary Mount was being used as a cannabis farm. A search warrant was obtained and numerous West Inner and Outer NPT officers executed it, finding 41 cannabis plants in the process.

8.2 **Operation Abbreviate**

Operation Abbreviate is continuing to have success in the New Wortley and Armley areas. Over a period of 12 months a number of actions have taken place which include

- A number of search warrants have been executed in the area. One was executed on the Hedleys in New Wortley where 3 males were arrested and are currently on bail. £300 worth of class drugs were seized. A second was executed on the Cedars estate where another 3 males were arrested. Approximately £1,500 worth of drugs was seized at the address.
- There have been 10 arrests of street sex workers, 7 ABC's issued and 4 Home Office cautions.
- Officers are attending Leeds Magistrates over the next month to pursue 5 anti social behaviour orders for working prostitutes. This will prevent them from working in the area.

This operation is to have additional resources assisted by funding of £9,000 from West North West Homes Leeds to enable police and partner, such as Bamley and Rodley Community Action (BARCA) to combat this issue, providing support re lifestyle issues for the sex workers and young chaotic drug users. This funding will work towards reducing Anti- Social Behaviour and crimes surrounding the working girls, such as robbery, theft and public order offences. Funding has been agreed for a 1 year period.

8.3 **Operation Adjacent**

This operation targeting offenders in the Designated Public Place Order (DPPO) areas in West Inner Armley and Outer Pudsey with dedicated staff working from 9 PM – 2 AM over the Christmas/New Year period.

There has also been a focus on Armley Town Street to inform educate and enforce the DPPO area of street drinking from communities both local and from Eastern Europe.

8.4 **Operation Allardice and Abbey**

The Neighbourhood policing teams have increased the focus on anti-social behaviour hotspots and underage drinking. The areas targeted included Edinburgh's, Cedars and Aviaries in Armley. All calls reporting anti-social behaviour were given a high priority and officers were able to intervene before situations could escalate. There were five separate seizures of alcohol from underage drinkers and details of a number of local youths were passed to the council's Anti-Social Behaviour Unit for follow-up intervention work.

9.0 **Domestic Violence**

Over the last 12 months the Multi-agency Risk Assessment Conference (MARAC) have met each month to review and discuss actions in support of victims of high risk/repeat instances of domestic violence incidents in the North West Division . The multi-agency partnership since September 09 – October 10 have dealt with 246 cases, this covers repeat incidents and new referrals.

A North West Leeds Domestic Violence steering group was establish in September 2010. This partnership meeting is to develop short-term initiatives to support and promote issues relating to Domestic Violence. An event is taking place on the 6th December at Fairfield Community Centre during the 16 days of action campaign . Further initiatives for 2010/2011 is looking at a Till receipt campaign, work with schools and hard to reach communities.

10.0. **Hate Crime Focus Group**

The North West Division has refocused the Hate Crime meeting and developed Multi-Agency Risk Assessment Conference approach that focussing on a victim and perpetrator action plan to support victims and target perpetrators of hate crime throughout the division. Monthly hate crime meetings are held to discuss cases brought to the attention of the Police, Leeds City Council and other agencies. The meeting focuses on providing support for victims taking action against known perpetrators, and looking at locations and events to raise awareness of hate crime .

Over the last 12 months the partner agencies have been proactive in tackling incidents of Hate Crime that are referred to the West Leeds multi-agency hate crime partnership meeting. The meetings focus on three strands, Victim, Location and Offender.

From Jan 2010 – October 2010 the partnership have supported 22 victims of Hate Crime 10 of these living in the Inner West Area , some carried over from previous meeting.

Offenders - focused actions on perpetrators.

Locations - Wythers, Broadleas, Fairfield's, Holdforths, Aviaries.

All these areas have been targeted with hate crime leaflets and have been paid attention to by the Neighbourhood Policing Team, Stop Hate UK and Victim Support.

11.00 **Anti Social Behaviour**

Working with the police Anti-social Behaviour Unit has strengthened the partnership working in particular with the Police and the Attendance Management Strategy team. Over the last 12 months the partnership have worked on a number of initiatives including some innovative projects.

11.01 **Working in Schools**

The Safer Schools Officer, PC Dave Hardaker and Aileen Barrass (ASB Enforcement Officer) conducted 5 sessions of 50 minute lessons (PSHE) with 3 groups of young people in Years 7/8 at Swallow Hill Community College. The youth service prompted the mobile bus provision and promoted their provision /timetable in West Leeds.

Approximately 100-150 young people were given input regarding anti-social behaviour and

consequences etc. The Y-ABC film made last July using children from the local schools was

11.02 **Armley - Dispersal Order Edinburgh's Armley**

Due to a large amount of Anti Social Behaviour and linked crimes, West Yorkshire police applied and were successful in been granted for a dispersal order to cover the Edinburgh's and surrounding streets. The order is in place for six months, from May – November 2010 which covered the period through the school holidays.

Funding of £5000 has been agreed from the Inner West Area Committee to provide additional police resources at peak periods of policing the Dispersal Order. To tackle these issues in this area there is on going work with the Anti-social Behaviour Unit, Youth Services, Positive Activities for Young People, and voluntary organisations, such as Christ Church to work with the youths. This will include activities to defer youths from committing offences.

To date the Dispersal order has seen a seen 126 requirements to leave issued and 6 Arrest or breach of the requirement to leave.

Further evening working with Police in Little Scotland area to support Operation Anvil (burglary initiative) and anti social behaviour resulted in 3 arrests

1 Anti Social Behaviour Order obtained

Closure Order (Class A drugs) obtained for council owned property

1 Police prosecution for breach of dispersal Order and drunk and disorderly, Little Scotland.

6 Anti Social Behaviour Order Warnings served

9 Verbal warnings and letters regards anti social behaviour

2 Police prosecutions for breach of Anti Social Behaviour Order's

3 Police prosecutions and convictions for Harassment.

4 ASBO have been approved by the ASBU panel and will be before the Court in early October.

1 rowdy House closure in the Stanley's.

6 referrals to Signpost who are running a project to provide intensive support to families with children involved in anti social behaviour.

11.03 **The Friday Night Project**

The Friday Night Project continues to operation in West Leeds supported from Funding from the Area Committee, The project is now being held at the Lazer Centre due to the closure of Armley Leisure Centre and the costs to operate the project from the new leisure centre. The Friday Night Project provides activities in sports, arts and crafts, music and dance to young people aged 8-18 years of age on a Friday night. Our aim is to encourage young people to engage in activities encouraging an active lifestyle and a safe place to socialise. It runs at a time when anti-social behaviour in the area is reported as at its highest and aims to reduce this by providing an alternative place to go.

11.04 **Operation Adulate**

Additional funding of £6000 has been agreed with West North West Homes Leeds to tackle complaints of nuisance bikes primarily in the New Wortley Area of Armely. The specific programme will look at education in schools around the danger of off road bikes. It

will also look at dealing with Anti Social Behaviour (ASB) issues and nuisance that the bikes cause, seizing the bikes and crushing them.

The aim of operation Adulate is to:

- reduce the number of nuisance motorcycle calls received from members of the public
- Seize motor cycles and motor vehicles in accordance with section 59 Police Reform Act 2002 & Section 165 Road Traffic Act 1988
- Target nominals within Operation area know to be actively involved in Burglary, Robbery, vehicle and Drug Offences.
- Target nominals within the Operational area known to be circulated as wanted/ BOLO
- Increase the number of Off Road motor cycles and uninsured motor vehicles seized in the Operation area
- Deployment of highly visible Police resources to increase public confidence and provide reassurance to the public that police do have the resources to deal with anti social use of vehicles.

11.05 **Bramley**

Operation Stay Safe operated in the Fairfield Area . Working with Youth Offending Service, Youth Services, West Yorkshire police in Bramley area engaging with young people and directing them to youth provision.

Other activities included:

Anti Social Behaviour Warning served

2 Police Bolt-on Anti Social Behaviour Order's obtained

2 Rowdy House Closure Orders obtained for privately owned homes

An injunction obtained Last May 09 has now come to an end (regards threats of violence from perpetrator). Injunction was monitored for the duration. There have been no further incidents between the two parties, which is very good news

Acceptable Behaviour Contract agreed with a young person in Bramley

Court Undertaking obtained in May

4 Verbal warnings and letters regards anti social behaviour

4 Police prosecutions for breach of Anti Social Behaviour Order

The Anti Social Behaviour Unit investigated a case where a Leeds West North West tenant had carried out a serious assault of a neighbour. The case went to County Court and had a successful outcome resulting in the tenant being evicted.

The Anti Social Behaviour staff have been dealing with a case on the Broadleas where two tenants have been subjected to violence and abuse. We brought the case before the court and the perpetrator agreed an undertaking not to behave in such a manner in the future.

The police link officer dealt with rowdy behaviour by one family who occupied two adjoining private properties in the Broad Lane area. In June the Court issued two Rowdy House Closure Orders.

11.06 **Fairfield - A-Breeze – C Project and Back yard Breeze**

A five week programme to support the Anti-Social Behaviour warning letters commenced in March 2010 at Fairfield Community Centre. The project was supported by Positive

Activities for Young People, Youth Service, BARCA, and the Youth Inclusion Project, the Police, and the Anti-Social Behaviour Unit. whilst the project was open to all young people, those that had received a ASB warning letter were encouraged to attend. The success of the project lead to the development of a Backyard Breeze project that ran for a further 12 weeks. The programme consisted of issue based work such as the "Say No to Knives" ,weapons awareness, the Y-A-B-C film , Talk to Frank regarding information around drugs and a wide range of interactive activities. On average 40 young people attended the sessions.

11.07 **Broadleas /Ganners Community Event 29th October**

Due to concerns raised about an increase in Criminal damage, deliberate secondary fires, and the lead up to Bonfire night in and around the Broadlea area a community event was held during the October half term focussing on raising awareness of this type of crime and the impact on individuals and the community. The Youth Inclusion Project co-ordinated the event with assistance from partner agencies and a small grant from the Inner West Area Committee. The Arson task force provided in information and advice to young people about fire safety with support from the police, and a wide range of activities were organised for the young people and parents to participate. The event attracted over 75 people during the course of the event.

11.08 **Close Circuit Television (CCTV)**

Funding to provide a CCTV camera on Broadlea Hill has been agreed with the Area Committee. West North West Homes Leeds are contributing to 50% of the running costs. The location of the CCTV will assist the police in identifying criminal acts/individuals as well as providing reassurance to the local communities accessing the local shops and bus stops on Broadleas Hill. The cameras are monitored by Leeds Watch and images can be sent to the controls rooms of the police for the police to act on. The CCTV camera should be operational by the end of February 2011.

12.00 North West Division off Road Motor Bike Unit Tackling Nuisance Bikes

Anti Social Behaviour (ASB) issues and priority crime areas within the Division receive extra patrols to assist increasing community safety and satisfaction. Intelligence regarding Anti- Social Behaviour and nuisance motorcycles is shared between Leeds City Council Park Watch wardens to ensure cover whilst Police officers are on rest days or deployed in other areas / operations. Over the last year the Off Road Bike Team have been working hand in hand with the LCC Park Watch Officers dealing with complaints together on all green space areas. The Parks Watch officers have also been involved with numerous Policing operations providing valuable presence intelligence including local knowledge.

Data Covering the period September 2009 to September

	Calls Received	Verbal Warnings	S59 Warnings	Fixed Penalty Tickets	Seizures	Files	Stop Searches	Arrests
West Inner	302	15	19	45	26	6	10	1
West Outer	313	11	14	10	15	1	1	3
Yearly Totals	615	26	33	55	41	7	11	4

12.01 Armley

Despite almost constant patrols the number of calls has increased. We have also discovered that these youths no longer keep their bikes at their home address for fear of seizure. Armley creates a large number of calls within the North West Leeds Division for Anti Social Behaviour with nuisance motorcycles. The area attracts youths and adults alike. Most of the calls are about on the roads bikes in estates as opposed to off road. This is the most dangerous area for these bikes to be ridden as the majority are poorly maintained and often have no brakes. Due to the presence of PCSO'S and the Off Road Bikes the riders of these nuisance motorcycles, wear either full face helmets or 'hoodies' and bandana's to cover their faces to prevent them being recognised. A project initiated by the Leeds Casualty Reduction Partnership Officer at North West Leeds Division and LCC Highways department saw the Police Off Road motorcyclists deployed in the High Occupancy Vehicle Lane on Stanningley By Pass on 2 separate days. This resulted in a total of 37 Fixed Penalty Tickets being issued to Drivers using the HOV lane.

An Operation in the Armley area was run on the 6th of August and incorporated the LCC Funded Police Off Road Motorcycles, Force ANPR team, Divisional NPT and Roads Policing officers. This was a tremendous success with numerous criminals disrupted and checked, the overall results being:-

- Ten Fixed Penalty Notices issued
- 35 Stop / Searches
- 1 Stolen Recovered Vehicle
- 3 Vehicles Seized
- 7 Arrests
- And Ten Burglars dealt with.

Liaison with the staff at the Armley Laser centre and Funding from West North West Homes Leeds has created a range of activities for schoolchildren during the school holidays, to prevent ASB in the area and create a bond in the community

12.02 **Bramley**

Bramley also has a high number of calls for ASB and nuisance motorcycles. The calls are split across the whole of Bramley . There appears to have been a reduction in the number of calls about Bramley Fall Wood, but this may be due to the works in the woods. A problem that has been highlighted over the last three years is that of crime on the canal towpaths, regular patrols on the Towpath and liaison with the Waterways agency have created a safer area and encouraged more people to use the towpath, with a corresponding reduction in crime numbers.

A project run jointly with the Leeds Parks Watch Officers in February to combat ASB in the Division saw Police officers mirroring the Parks Watch officers shifts of 10 x 22 on a daily basis for a week. Day one saw Police off road motorcyclists and LCC Parks Watch riders despatched to a call of nuisance motorcyclists on the canal towpath at Rodley. On arrival members of the public stated the riders had headed off toward Bramley. On seeing the Police off road motorcyclist one rider made off to be met by a LCC Parks Watch officer at which he rode away but fell while negotiating a series of bollards. The rider was a well known nominal, found in possession of a large quantity of class A drugs and the bike appeared to be stolen. As a result of this action the rider was arrested his bike seized and the second bike seized being found abandoned a short distance away.

13. 00 North West Division Performance Matrix

Performance Matrix - September 2010 - North West Leeds



Priority Indicators	2010/11 Target	YTD	RAG Trend	Estimate for 2010/11	Assessment
NI 15: Reduce the level of serious violent crimes	149	68		143	Better than Target Projection: Stable Better than Peers Year to date up 6 offences against previous year but still on track to meet target. This is a volatile target where a low baseline offence count means that small changes can impact adversely on performance.
NI 16: Reduce the level of serious acquisitive crimes	7,718	3,681		7,546	Better than Target Projection: Getting Better Worse than Peers The sustained trend for falling offence numbers continues, down 10.4% (427 fewer offences) against previous year. On track to met target.
SL: Reduce the level of Domestic Burglary	3,815	1,528		3,704	Better than Target Projection: Getting Better Worse than Peers Down 15.8% (336 fewer offences) against the previous year. On track to met target.
NI 20: Reduce the level of assault with injury crime	1,800	844		1,730	Better than Outturn Projection: Stable Better than Peers Down 5.1% (45 fewer offences) against the previous year. There are signs of a reversal in the long-term trend for reducing offence numbers but at present can achieve the annual target.
NI 32: Reduce the repeat victimisation rate for those domestic violence cases being managed by a MARAC	22%	18%		19%	Better than Target Projection: Getting Better North West Leeds 13 Maracs cases discussed in Sept with a rolling repeat victim rate of 18%
WYP: Increase the proportion of residents who agree that the police and local council are dealing with the ASB & crime issues that matter in their area	46.7%	43.5%		43.5%	Worse than Outturn Projection: Getting Worse The results for August show a 2.6% decrease on the previous year, performance has fallen below the target trajectory (-3.2% variation).

14.00 Inner West Ward Crime Data

Data Sources

- **Crime Data:** Data drawn from Corvus, Due to problems with the gazetteer function within Niche numerous crimes could not be pinpointed down to wards:

2007-2008: 14.1% of total crimes where ward could not be identified.

2008-2009: 2.5% of total crimes where ward could not be identified.

2009-2010: 3.0% of total crimes where ward could not be identified.

- **ASB Incidents Data:** Data drawn from Corvus, **ASB** is classed as any incident containing any "800-881" code on the 'disposition 1' finalisation code. Again there were some records where ward details could not be identified:

2007-2008: All records had ward details.

2008-2009: 2.0% of total ASB incidents did not have ward details.

2009-2010: 1.5% of total ASB incidents did not have ward details.

- Periods for ASB and Crime Data Analysis:

01 Nov 2007 00:00 hrs to 01 Nov 2008 00:00 hrs for 07/08 figures.

01 Nov 2008 00:00 hrs to 01 Nov 2009 00:00 for 08/09 figures.

01 Nov 2009 00:00 hrs to 01 Nov 2010 00:00 for 08/09 figures

14.01 West Inner

This year across the Division there has been a reduction in crime. There have been to date over 300 less burglars, and other serious acquisitive crime is on a downward trend. We have seen massive in roads in to tackling Anti social behaviour and linked crimes, working in partnership in schools and communities. We will continue to work in partnership to reduce crime and the fear of crime, including Anti social behaviour and the associated crime types. We have planned already for the build up to Christmas two burglary projects, Op Argricoke and Op Alamo. Early in the New Year we have a large scale target hardening project with Safer Leeds and CASAC in Armley, covering the Little Scotland, Aviaries and Cedars areas.

14.02 Ward 4 – Armley

Number of Crime Occurrences

Offence		2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	Diff. in 2009-2010 to 2007-2008
Ward 4 - Armley	Burglary Dwelling	425	466	544	119
	Burglary Elsewhere	252	250	327	75
	Criminal Damage	823	839	618	-205
	Drugs Offences	123	90	158	35
	Fraud & Forgery	107	99	127	20
	Handling	17	7	15	-2
	Homicide	0	0	1	1
	Other Crime	61	63	83	22
	Other Theft	504	477	598	94
	Robbery	48	51	53	5
	Sexual offences	30	24	29	-1
	Theft From Motor Vehicle	403	405	418	15
	Theft Of Motor Vehicle	107	119	92	-15
	Violent Crime	547	571	538	-9
Sum	3447	3461	3601	154	

* Red Figures = greater than 2007-2008 period*

14.03 **Number of ASB Incidents**

Ward	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	Diff. in 2009-2010 to 2007-2008
4	1675	2330	2313	638

* Red Figures = greater than 2007-2008 period*

14.04 **Ward 6 – Bramley & Stanningley**

Number of Crime Occurrences

Offence		2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	Diff. in 2009-2010 to 2007-2008
Ward 6 - Bramley & Stanningley	Burglary Dwelling	230	340	345	115
	Burglary Elsewhere	128	196	321	193
	Criminal Damage	629	666	448	-181
	Drugs Offences	45	36	63	18
	Fraud & Forgery	27	31	16	-11
	Handling	6	10	12	6
	Homicide	0	0	0	0
	Other Crime	28	41	35	7
	Other Theft	309	384	356	47
	Robbery	27	25	24	-3
	Sexual offences	23	23	21	-2
	Theft From Motor Vehicle	220	279	205	-15
	Theft Of Motor Vehicle	93	70	46	-47
	Violent Crime	429	420	335	-94
Sum	2194	2521	2227	33	

* Red Figures = greater than 2007-2008 period*

14.05 **Number of ASB Incidents**

Ward	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	Diff. in 2009-2010 to 2007-2008
6	1238	1633	1585	347

* Red Figures = greater than 2007-2008 period*

14.06 **Confidence in Policing – West Inner**

Indicator	12 Months to	West Inner
Residents who think that over the last 12 months ASB has increased	Sep-09	20.9%
	Sep-10	16.7%
Residents who think the Police & local Council are dealing with ASB and crime in your local area	Sep-09	40.5%
	Sep-10	37.6%
Residents who agree that overall the Police are doing a good job	Sep-09	48.7%
	Sep-10	50.8%

15.00 **Legal and Resource Implications**

There are no legal implications

There are no resource implications. However, the Inner West Area Committee currently supports the work of the Divisional Community Partnership by funding initiatives from the Well Being Budget to assist in reducing crime and disorder.

16.00 **Priorities 2011/2012**

Currently consultation is taking place to agree the new Community Safety Strategic Framework for 2011 -2012

In line with the overarching objective of Safer Leeds to Increase Public Confidence and Satisfaction, this assessment identifies the following priority areas:

- Reducing Anti-Social Behaviour and Tackling Crime
- Preventing and Reducing Offending
- Improving Safeguarding and Reducing Vulnerability

Underpinning this is the need for partnership work which is efficient, productive and flexible – that works directly with communities.

A number of critical cross-cutting themes have been identified:

- Vulnerable individuals, families and communities
- Dangerous or prolific offenders, families or groups linked to various crime and ASB issues
- The potential for tensions and conflict between differing groups
- Non co-terminus boundaries
- Case management structures
- Public sector budgets

Dealing with these issues will also address public concerns around crime and disorder, improving levels of satisfaction and confidence.

17.00 **Recommendations**

The Area Committee is asked to note the contents of this report of the North West Divisional Community Safety Partnership.

Weekly Performance Data 2010/11 - Week 35

22/11/10 to 28/11/10 - v - 23/11/09 to 29/11/09

*Note these are the Police Operational Targets

SERIOUS ACQUISITIVE CRIME	North West Leeds	North East Leeds	City & Holbeck	Leeds
Offences last week	161	190	71	422
Offences same week last year	204	160	106	470
Total of last four weeks	716	792	348	1,856
Average of last four weeks	179	198	87	464
Weekly operational target	152	135	85	372
Cumulative target	5,270	4,675	2,929	12,874
Cumulative total for year to date	5,128	4,825	2,582	12,535

BURGLARY DWELLING	North West Leeds	North East Leeds	City & Holbeck	Leeds
Offences last week	88	110	25	223
Offences same week last year	104	87	27	218
Total of last four weeks	352	452	100	904
Average of last four weeks	88	113	25	226
Cumulative total for year to date	2,527	2,367	755	5,649

ROBBERY	North West Leeds	North East Leeds	City & Holbeck	Leeds
Offences last week	5	14	7	26
Offences same week last year	17	7	9	33
Total of last four weeks	43	49	28	120
Average of last four weeks	11	12	7	30
Cumulative total for year to date	296	266	181	743

	North West Leeds	North East Leeds	City & Holbeck	Leeds
THEFT FROM VEHICLE				
Offences last week	57	53	32	142
Offences same week last year	74	58	57	189
Total of last four weeks	282	242	185	709
Average of last four weeks	71	61	46	177
Cumulative total for year to date	1,950	1,800	1,339	5,089

	North West Leeds	North East Leeds	City & Holbeck	Leeds
THEFT OF VEHICLE				
Offences last week	11	13	7	31
Offences same week last year	9	8	13	30
Total of last four weeks	39	49	35	123
Average of last four weeks	10	12	9	31
Cumulative total for year to date	355	392	307	1,054

	North West Leeds	North East Leeds	City&Holbeck	Leeds
ASSAULT WITH INJURY				
Offences last week	19	30	38	87
Offences same week last year	26	36	39	101
Total of last four weeks	101	118	167	386
Average of last four weeks	25	30	42	97
Weekly operational target	31	30	37	99
Cumulative target	1,087	1,030	1,294	3,411
Cumulative total for year to date	1,068	1,216	1,277	3,561

	North West Leeds	North East Leeds	City & Holbeck	Leeds
SERIOUS VIOLENT CRIME				
Offences last week	2	1	1	4
Offences same week last year	2	4	7	13
Total of last four weeks	9	12	12	33
Average of last four weeks	2	3	3	8

Weekly operational target	3	3	5	11
Cumulative target	99	105	160	363
Cumulative total for year to date	97	101	131	329