



Herstmonceux Parish Neighbourhood Watch

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Sussex Police Website: <http://www.sussex.police.uk>

CADDIE Website: <http://www.caddie.gov.uk>, see crime online.

Police Non-emergency calls: **Dial 0845 60 70 999**. Police Emergency calls: **Dial 999**

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SUSSEX POLICE IS PUTTING THE BOOT INTO BURGLARY.

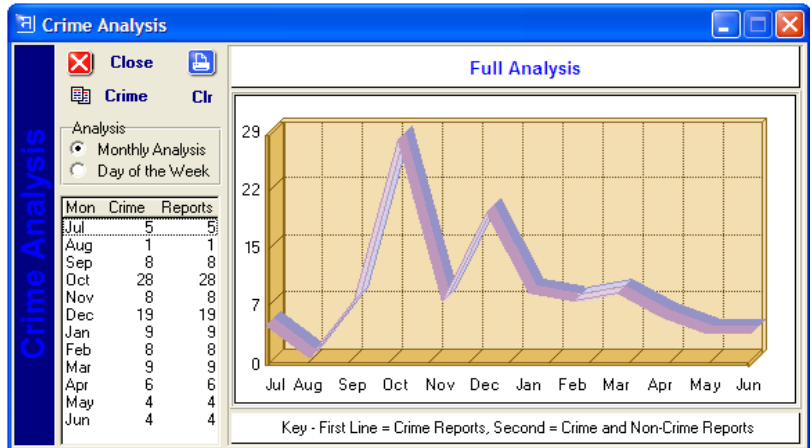
The number of burglaries from people's homes in Sussex has plummeted in recent years, with thousands fewer burglary victims every year.

Recorded crime figures show that, in the past six years, domestic burglary in Sussex has dropped by 37.5% - from 10,946 crimes in 1998-99 (April to March) to 6,831 in 2004-05.

But, as midsummer approaches, Sussex Police wants to work with householders to ensure this welcome long-term trend continues. The Force has produced eye-catching flyers, in the shape of a burglar's boot mark, to remind residents of the need to take basic home security precautions, warning: "Otherwise the next boot mark you see could belong to a burglar." Chief Inspector Chris Pascoe, head of the Force's Community Safety Branch, said: "We have had great success in recent years in reducing the misery caused by burglary, but analysis shows that, as the longer days of summer arrive, this is a key time of year". Be warned!



(Police Community Support Officer) Don't forget our Parish has a CPSO, his name is Ben Stevens who is stationed at Hailsham Police Station. Ben can be contacted on 0845 60 70 999 and ask for PCSO Stevens at Hailsham or by calling into Hailsham Police Station. E-mail; ben.stevens@sussex.pnn.police.uk



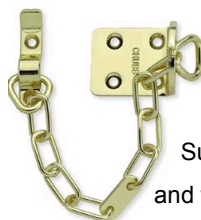
The latest Monthly Crime Graph shows a leveling in reported crimes during April in our Parish.

July has already shown a marked increase in reported crime in the parish, to the 24th July the association has already received nine reports.

Can you make a difference?

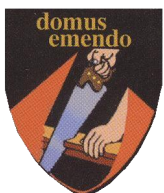
Yes ever body can, report all crime to us and we will keep harassing the Police with e-mails on the parishes behalf. The only way to get anything done is to become a bigger pain in the butt to the Police than the criminals.

Free Door Chains for the Elderly and Vulnerable



Sussex Home Exteriors are actively assisting our Association's initiatives the first of these being free door chains for the elderly and vulnerable in our parish.

Sussex Home Exteriors are purchasing Chubb door chains and fitting them free of charge for all elderly and vulnerable parishioners who sign up to this initiative. **Telephone 833006 to sign up to Herstmonceux Parish Neighbourhood Watch and this initiative.**



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