Ascot, Cheapside, Sunninghill, South Ascot and Sunningdale Neighbourhood Action Group.

**Minutes of the meeting held on**

1. **Attendance:**

Present: David Hilton Chairman (DH), George Williams (GW), John Rose (JR), Michelle Race (MR), Sam, Lydia Davison (LD), Genevieve Gosling (GG), Imaan Tayub (IT), Maryann Morgon (MM)

**Apologies** Candice Curtis (CC), Valerie Pike (VP), Jacqui Greet (JG) Helen Goodwin (HG)

1. **Matters arising from previous meeting 15th January 2024**
   1. **There were no matters arising**
2. **Priorities 2024**

The data presented includes all incidents from the previous meeting for the **past month**

* 1. **Burglary Dwelling:**

There were 5 burglaries, 4 in Ascot and 1 in Sunningdale. There have been reports of suspicious persons and the response team have caried out patrols. It is thought that offenders are from outside the area.

* 1. **Burglary non dwelling:**

There were no shed breaks but one commercial burglary

* 1. **Theft from and theft of Motor Vehicles:**

There was one theft from a motor vehicle.

* 1. **Theft of vehicles.**

Two vehicles were stolen, one from Ascot and another from Sunningdale. Both these vehicles were keyless entry.

* 1. **Vehicle Nuisance**
  2. A discussion took place on issues caused by ‘boy racers’ on Chobham Road. They meet in the car park just before the roundabout at the southern end of the road and create a lot of noise and intimidate other road users. MR said that she spent some time watching the area but did not see anything untoward.

1. **Other including ASB**
   1. MR said there had been some ASB on Cedar Drive in Sunningdale with youths kicking doors and running off. MR will put Cedar Drive onto the police patrol plan.
   2. Natasha Gidda, the new Neighbourhood Police Inspector for Windsor has asked that everyone promotes the police alerts system.
   3. The new ANPR cameras, part funded by the Parish Councils will be erected in the next two months.
   4. JR advised of ASB on the Broomhall recreation ground. The police attended with a police dog. JR said the by the youth swapped coats in order to create some confusion
2. **Youth Provision**
   1. A general discussion on Youth Provision was opened by LD, Chairman of Sunninghill and Ascot Parish Council Leisure Committee. DH advised that this was a topic that had been visited by the NAG on a number of occasions. GG, Borough Councillor for Sunningdale, had initiated a meeting in late 2023 that including John Fletcher, Charters Head Teacher, Danny Gomm, RBWM Family Hub Manager, MR and JG of Ascot Racecourse. A survey of pupils at Charters was proposed but did not happen.
   2. IT stated that there were two distinct cohorts of pupils those aged 11 to 15 and those aged 16 to 18. In IT’s opinion youth provision might work for the younger age group but the older students desire a place to relax. She also said the youths go to either Bracknell of Windsor. Sam and IT stated that, as there was not much to do, some young people just hung around on the heath at the racecourse.
   3. MR stated that activities at the Broomhall Recreation Ground such as military style training, had proven popular, had engaged youths and diverted them from ASB but these stopped because the sessions did not pay.
   4. LD proposed the use of one of the units on the South Ascot Business Park as a meeting point the meeting agreed that this might work with a gym, boxing, yoga and perhaps fencing. However, this was seen as an out of the way space and not that easy to get too. If this were set up admission would need to be cheap, say £2.00.
   5. In order to be a success, there would need to be coaches available to train the young people who attended.
   6. It was agreed that a survey of students at Charters was required. GG agreed to contact Danny Gomm to obtain information that should be included in a survey but preferably a survey he had used. MR agreed to talk to John Fletcher about the proposal and with Mr Fletchers support GG, MR, IT and Sam agreed to create a survey. MR stated that the survey should be available on line.
   7. Progress will be reported at the next NAG meeting.

**Next meeting**

The next meeting will be held on Monday 11th March at 2.00pm. The meeting will be by Zoom

**Proposed meeting dates for 2024**

**PLEASE NOTE DATES IN RED HAVE CHANGED. Please let DH know if any changes proposed are an issue.**

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| Month | Date | Venue |
| March | Monday 11th |  |
| April | Monday 15th |  |
| May | Monday 13th |  |
| June | Monday 3rd |  |
| July | Monday 8th |  |
| August | Monday 19th |  |
| September | Monday 9th |  |
| October | Monday 7th |  |
| November | Monday 11th |  |
| December | Monday 16th |  |

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