



Newton Park Sector Crime Forum

NEWTON PARK GLENHURD ADCOCKVALE EXTENSION

Community News

Issue 5 - January 2009

Crime-free holiday

There were no reported crime in our area, which is proof that visible policing is the answer. Thanks to the SAPS, our neighbourhood watch (NW) team and members of the emergency services who had to sacrifice family time in order to protect us during the holiday season. Special mention must be made of our forty regular NW members, using their own vehicles, who did shifts patrolling our area at night. Thanks to EMILE TERBLANCHE and REAN THERON who are in charge of this ongoing project and to CLIFFIE LEAT for being available for emergency call-outs and for looking after residents' homes while they were away on holiday. We should all follow their example - this is a fantastic way of encouraging neighbourliness and closer communities.

During night patrols it was noticed that many residents are still leaving their cars out on the verge and/or leaving their gates open. As most crime is opportunistic, it is up to all of us to reduce opportunities for the criminal by becoming more security conscious.

Our first meeting for 2009 will be this Tuesday 13 January at 6pm and we especially extend an invitation to the business community to support us.

Important & useful contact numbers

Police 10111
 Ambulance 10177
 Fire Brigade (041) 5851555

ORGANISATION	CONTACT PERSON	TEL. NO.	CELL	FAX
Asset Forfeiture	Chris Nozengu	(041) 502 5700		(041) 582 2894
ATTIC	Aids Counseling	(041) 506 1415		
Childline	Child Abuse	(041) 453 0441	0800 055 555	
Cutting of trees/grass		(041) 506 5411		
Disaster Management	Shane Brown	(041) 501 3585	083 463 5365	
Dog Control	Mrs Connel	(041) 506 6232		
Drug Abuse	John Preller		084 446 7137	
Electricity Faults (all hours) - no supply		(041) 374 4434		
Illegal use of property	Mr Vaaltuin	(041) 506 2159		(041) 506 3430
Legal Aid	Free Legal Aid	(041) 373 8296		
Life Line	Counsellors	(041) 373 8882		
Liquor Board	Victor Wilkinson	(041) 582 2346		(041) 582 2357
Maranatha Place of Safety	Dr Trudi Basson	(041) 586 0017		
Mother of Hope Shelter	Abused Women	(041) 585 4265		
NICRO	Victim Support	(041) 582 2555		
Parks Department	Gerrit Strydom	(041) 501 7506	079 490 0612	
Potholes	John Sponneck	(041) 506 2224		(041) 506 2180
Rape Crisis	Rape Counseling	(041) 484 3804		
Road Markings		(041) 506 2428		(041) 506 2180
S.A.N.C.A.	Reception	(041) 487 2827		(041) 586 3521
Sewage (all hours)	Mr Gouws	(041) 373 7641		(041) 506 2180
Squatter Control	Bidwell Made	(041) 506 2190		(041) 506 2404
Street Children	T. Marshall	(041) 581 6987		
Street Lights (Pole No.)	Johnny Williams	(041) 392 4140	079 490 0109	
Traffic	Sup. R. Mathews	(041) 402 1039		
Traffic Enforcement	K. Visagie	(041) 402 1024		(041) 402 1166
Traffic Signs	Paul kleyn	(041) 506 2487		

Sector Manager
 Inspector K. Pietersen 8 – 4pm
 Tel: (041) 3638382 / 0823020562

Chairperson:
 Mike Williams

Vice-Chairperson:
 Rozanne Biggs

Neighbourhood Watch:
 Emile Terblanche 8–5pm
 (041) 3652119 / 0827880320
 6–6am 0835441344

Monty Brown
 0833638888

Flying squad 10111

Crime Report – Inspector Pietersen

There was a strong police presence throughout the metro over the holiday season and it is pleasing to report that there were no major crime problems in our sector. Our grateful thanks to all the dedicated members of the neighbourhood watch for their valuable assistance.



FIRST MEETING
 13 JANUARY 2009 AT 6PM
 NEWTON PARK METHODIST CHURCH HALL
 CNR. 3RD AVENUE & NEWTON STREET

- Crime Report
- Feedback & Activity Report

News in brief ...

PROJECTS – Volunteers needed for neighbourhood watch, nightly patrols, block champs (in some areas), fundraising & new project ideas.

COUNCIL MATTERS – All municipal matters/issues/concerns can be reported to either Clr. Dacre Haddon at 041 3671670(w) / 0796943788 e-mail: haddon@mandelametro.gov.za OR Clr. Chris Roberts 041 - 3732971 / 082 3048531 ward7@mandelametro.gov.za

'BE KINDER THAN NECESSARY BECAUSE EVERYONE YOU MEET IS FIGHTING SOME KIND OF BATTLE.'

PLEASE DO NOT GIVE MONEY TO STREET CHILDREN AS THIS ENABLES THEM TO BUY DRUGS, ALCOHOL AND GLUE. RATHER BUY A R5 VOUCHER TO GIVE TO THEM. THIS WILL ENSURE THEM A BED, MEAL AND SHOWER AT THE NIGHT SHELTER IN HILES STREET (OFF KEMPSTON ROAD)

IF YOU KNOW OF AN OUTLET WHERE VOUCHERS CAN BE PURCHASED, PLEASE FORWARD THE INFORMATION

HAVE YOUR SAY

We would like to hear from you. Send us your suggestions or crime related stories.

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