

Welcome to the DECEMBER 2011 edition of your Neighbourhood Support Newsletter

MESSAGE FROM SENIOR CONSTABLE JONO ERWOOD – Stratford Police Station

Well where has the year gone to? It has certainly flown with Christmas bearing down with great pace. Again with the festive season here, the up surge of street disorder and alcohol related offending increases a lot. Please be vigilant and report anything to the Police at the time.

Christmas is a very stressful time for many families who struggle with the dynamics of it all and the financial issues surrounding it. If you know a family in this position, please support them in any way you can. This may be just popping in for a cuppa or inviting them for a BBQ? Anything is better than nothing.

I would like to thank you all for joining Neighbourhood Support – whether new or an older group. Your feedback has been great and I look forward to hearing from you in the next year. Please pass on to any friends or family what Neighbourhood Support is all about and encourage them to join as well.

If you have time off, enjoy yourselves and hopefully the fine weather??

Please be safe out there and I will catch up with you all soon. Jono.

Merry
Christmas




CHRISTMAS SAFETY MESSAGE

Most burglaries are opportunist and happen when owners are away. Unfortunately it is necessary to be especially careful at Christmas time, as homes are more often empty with many people out shopping, socialising or on holiday. Burglars are also aware that most houses have presents to steal. While enjoying the festive season and your holiday, please don't overlook your home security. Taking a few simple precautions will help to deter all but the most determined burglar.

**CENTRAL TARANAKI NHS STAT UPDATE
@ December 2011**

Stratford – 39 groups supporting 403 households

Rural – 5 groups supporting 37 households

Eltham – 7 groups supporting 65 households

TOTAL: 51 groups supporting 505 households

**STRATFORD NEIGHBOURHOOD SUPPORT
OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FROM
24 DECEMBER 2011 – 9 JANUARY 2012.**

Thank you all for your wonderful support throughout the year. I look forward to working with you in 2012.

Please take care and stay safe. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Dalwyn.





LOCAL CRIME FIGURES FOR NOVEMBER 2011

CRIME CAN'T EXIST IN A COMMUNITY THAT CARES!

BURGLARIES

BRIDGER PLACE, ELTHAM

House currently unoccupied. Front door has been forced open. No property moved or stolen.

GLENTWORTH STREET, ELTHAM

Items stolen from carshed located near roadside of property. Padlock broken from side door and entry easily gained.

Property stolen: Husqvarna 365 chainsaw, orange, 24" blade, \$1500, serial number 20110802264. 10 litre red plastic petrol container and 5litres of petrol.

HIGH STREET, ELTHAM

Farm implement shed entered and items stolen. – Stihl 14" chainsaw, containers petrol and diesel and various tools.

CHEAL ROAD, PUKENGAHU

House locked and victims milking at the time. Property stolen: Diamond/white gold ring with aquamarine stones. White gold/diamond band 1.02ct princess cut diamonds. 4 sterling silver bracelets, 2 thick, 1 med, 1 thick with curve. Pair white gold creole hoops with diamonds. 3 sterling silver rings. Sterling silver Pandora bracelet with wll rugby ball, 2 fixed clips, 5 stone, gold and silver charms present, fixed beads cz, mop hearts and more. Sterling silver belcher bracelet with bolt clip, 2 Pandora black leather bracelets plaited 17cm, 2 pairs sterling silver studs, big, medium pair. 2 pairs sterling silver hoops, 1 thick and 1 thinner. Sterling silver belcher necklace, thins with t bar. Thomas sabo coin pendant, do and headphones. Thomas sabo pearls, custom knotted. Sterling silver chain, fancy long, pastiche tag. Guess watch silver. Wire necklace sterling silver. Pendant sterling silver and cz. Pendant sterling silver and paua. Sterling silver baby bracelet with engraved design. Highland 243 bullet pack. 20ltr unleaded petrol. Dozen childhood photos in black and white, Dolce and Gabanna box. 20ltr red with yellow hose petrol container. 10ltr red faded petrol container. 2 Padlocks (on gun rack and ammo box). 1 Steyer Scout 243 Man....grey with Swaros.. scope, built in bi pod (1 magazine left behind and 1 taken magazine has a crack in it). Marlin 22 magnum 3.95 scope (silver) and wooden stock. Yellow garmen hand held GPS with case. Leupold binoculars – 10 power. Green army ammo box. Box Winchester 243 bullets. Box Hornby .22 magnum bullets. Gunpowder. Projectile shells (800). Reloading dyes for 243 – 6.5. Magazine for .22. Gun cleaning spray can. Gunbag, canvas, green. Plastic black guncase (found down the road). 2 tramping packs, purple Macpac, Nika Avon blue. Thomas sabo leather mens plaited black bracelet. Mens sterling silver siae bracelet, thick. Pair sterling silver and pearl dop earrings. Pair yellow gold hoops, medium. 2 greenstone and black rope necklaces. Pair sterling silver and crystal earrings. Black jewellery box French design. Jewellery roll – black, gold, purple and silver Chinese design, white tie. 2 Mens silver watches, 1 round face 1 square face. Womens purse, acid wash denim contained \$60 and cards. Laptop Sony, black string, quite large with boxing. Black Wii game console. 3 phone memory cards. 2 old phones, 2 Samsung 1 touch screen broken, blue and black. Camera memory card. USB. Set spare key on white keyring has elastic pullout cord, keys to car, ute and canopy, gun padlocks, random keys. Hunting bumbag – orange and grey, 3 separate pockets. 2 head torches black and grey. First Aid kit, yellow plastic, sunblock, bandages, plasters. Pocket knife, black and silver. Bottle lift plus. Packet chips. Packet budget choc and white choc biscuits. Packet crackers.

PALMER ROAD, KAPONGA

Overnight paddock entered on farm, Forwarder Grapple used to carry logs stolen. \$6,000.

THEFT

DALZIELL ROAD, ELTHAM

\$248 cash missing from property.

ELTHAM 4 SQUARE OFFENDER APPREHENDED

Female enters shop places items in pocket and leaves without paying. Viewed on CCTV cameras.

NEW WORLD, STRATFORD OFFENDER APPREHENDED

Offender enters supermarket, places items in trolley with some items under handbag. Leaves without paying. Viewed on CCTV cameras.

BROADWAY CBD, STRATFORD

Offender has entered shop uplifted items and left without paying. Viewed on CCTV cameras.

CALTEX, STRATFORD

A black 4 door Nissan Maxima filled up with \$80 regular petrol then drove off without paying.

BRECON ROAD, STRATFORD

Lawnmower left outside on driveway stolen. Masport lawnmower, grey body, black engine, black nylon catcher, \$50.

STRATFORD HIGH SCHOOL

Teacher reports electric guitar gone missing from classroom. Ibanez Electric Guitar, blue, \$300.00. Serial number: A06090552-N427

INTENTIONAL DAMAGE

STRATFORD

Graffiti spray painted on Netball Shelters, Rhododendron Dell and Page Street playground area.

BROADWAY CBD, STRATFRD **OFFENDER APPREHENDED**

Offender refused entry into Dejavu bar becomes angry and smashes window of a nearby shop.

CNR MANGAOTUKU ROAD & OHURA ROAD, TUTUTAWA

Six shots from a shotgun fired into a "For Sale" sign. Description – red ute 2 x male Caucasians looking suspicious in area.

STRATFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Unknown persons have smashed 3 windows at the back of the main block. They have picked up bits of asphalt and rocks then thrown them through the windows.

JULIET STREET, STRATFORD

Graffiti spray painted on rear of building – Subway.

PORTIA STREET, STRATFORD

Spray painted on Warwick Road side on corrugated iron fence with blue spray paint.

HATHAWAY STREET, STRATFORD

Van parked in the driveway sometime overnight rear left tyre has been slashed.

VICTORIA PARK, STRATFORD

Graffiti spray painted on various places.

HIGH STREET, ELTHAM **OFFENDER APPREHENDED**

Building set on fire.

THEFT EX-CAR

MOIR STREET, ELTHAM

Vehicle entered and stereo unit stolen. Property stolen: JVC stereo head unit, model KDR306, serial number 094X1645, black with red dials.

STANNERS STREET, ELTHAM

Insecure vehicle entered and cellphone and drivers licence stolen.

If you have any information that may help Stratford Police with any of the above incidents then please do not hesitate to contact them. Telephone: (06) 765 8860

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