## Police Report for Parish Council- APRIL 2024

The main cause for concern is pedal and motorbike thefts in the area. In March there were:

- Theft/ Unauthorised taking of pedal bike on the 10<sup>th</sup> March from Keepers Cottage Lane (under investigation)
- Theft/ Unauthorised taking of pedal bike on the 10<sup>th</sup> March from Foundry Close (under investigation)
- Interference of motor vehicle on 15<sup>th</sup> March on Hall Road (Filed)
- Theft/ Unauthorised taking of pedal bike on the 21<sup>st</sup> March from Foundry Close (Under Investigation)
- Theft of motor vehicle on 26<sup>th</sup> March from Boulton View. Bike recovered. (Under investigation)
- Burglary/ Non-residential on 26<sup>th</sup> March on Barge Walk. Nothing taken but believed to be related to recent bike thefts. (Under investigation)

Below is an overview of what action we are taking as a result:

- Bike marking event in Peter's Village with the Kent County Council Community Wardens (Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April @ Community Centre 1400- 1600hrs (Peter's Village).
- Neighbourhood Task Force in the area in evenings and early hours of the morning
- My shifts have been changed to cover the periods the thefts are happening as much as possible
- Increased foot and vehicle patrolling utilising marked and unmarked cars
- Rural Task Force are aware and dog section have been in the area too

If there are any questions just let me know and I will do my best to answer them.

Kind regards Georgia

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