

Update from the Force Crime Prevention Team

Halloween Poster

Every year, Hampshire Constabulary receives calls from dozens of people who have been frightened by trick or treaters.

It might seem like innocent fun, but it can be terrifying for elderly or vulnerable people.

If Halloween is not for you, or someone you know, please download our poster by <u>clicking here</u> to avoid trick or treaters.

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Sorry No trick or treating here Please respect our wishes



Safe At Home Domestic Abuse Training



<u>Stop Domestic Abuse</u> are running online Safe At Home Domestic Abuse training for those in the beauty industry to become Domestic Abuse Ambassadors.

If you have any questions, wish to find out more, or to book your place, please email <u>safeathome@stopdomesticabuse.uk</u>

Tyre Safety

Hampshire Road Safety Partnership are reminding drivers to check their tyres at least once a month to ensure they are safe and roadworthy. <u>Click here</u> for more information.

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New phone service being piloted to combat increasing levels of fraud

A new service has been developed and is currently being piloted by a range of banks and telephone companies across the UK in order to combat the increasing levels of fraud in the UK.

159 works very much in the same way as 101 does with the police and 111 for the NHS – it ensures that you are protected against possible fraudsters attempting to gain access to personal information or financial information such as bank details.

Call 159 if:

- Someone contacts you saying they're from your bank – even if they are not suspicious
- You receive a call asking you to transfer money or make a payment – even if it seems genuine
- You receive a call about a financial matter and it seems suspicious

Remember, 159 will never call you.

Free ACEs / Trauma training for professionals



The Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner are offering free Adverse Childhood Experiences/Trauma training for professionals across sectors who support young people up to the age of 25 years.

Embedding trauma informed practice across public services could help people live happier, healthier, crime-free lives, and in the longer term also reduce demand across public services. Please email <u>karen.dawes@hampshire.police.uk</u> for further information.

Covid Pass Fraud

The NHS App is free as is the NHS Covid Pass. The NHS will never ask for payment or financial details.

<u>Click here</u> for more information from the NHS about the Covid Pass.



Waiting for a delivery?

Criminals send fake texts hoping you're waiting for a parcel. They want access to your personal information or money. Avoid clicking on any links in the text, instead log into your account directly to update/check your information.

If you receive a scam text report it by forwarding it to 7726.





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