

We extend our welcome to all those attending our public surgeries for advice on these or other issues. For more information please visit [www.met.police.uk/crimeprevention.co.uk](http://www.met.police.uk/crimeprevention.co.uk)

**Coronavirus remains a serious health risk. You should stay cautious to help protect yourself and others.**



## Dear Ward Member

Please have a read of what the team have been doing.



This month the team raised awareness in relation to 'World Youth Skills Day' which celebrated the importance of equipping young people with skills for work. The team have continued to carry out weapon sweeps on the ward in order to detect weapons or articles adapted for use as weapons. The weapons sweeps allow the team to disrupt drugs activity and anti-social behaviour which are two of the ward priorities for Eastcote. Whilst doing the weapon sweeps and open space searches, the team have been able to interact with individuals on e-scooters and motorbikes causing anti-social behaviour. The Eastcote team have focused on increasing police presence on the ward and are therefore carrying out high visibility patrols on foot and by cycle. Recently PCSO Robinson carried out crime prevention leaflet drops in relation to catalytic converter thefts. The team are actively patrolling motor vehicle crime hot spots and are trying their best to raise awareness in relation to catalytic converter thefts and how best people can protect their vehicles. The team have focused on doing this as motor vehicle crime is also a ward priority. The team have also assisted in joint ward speed operations to tackle speeding issues on the ward. The team are now looking to phase in community engagements once again due to the lockdown being lifted and the COVID-19 restrictions being relaxed.

## WORLD YOUTH SKILLS DAY

Celebrating the importance of equipping young people with skills for work!



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## OWL is the latest way to interact with your local police and Neighbourhood Watch

Working in partnership with Neighbourhood Watch and with an emphasis on positive interaction between yourselves and your local police, **OWL** acts as a serious deterrent to burglars, car thieves and unscrupulous door to door callers.

**OWL** enables you to keep up to date with your local police and Neighbourhood Watch, electronically and on-the-go.

**OWL** encourages neighbours to watch out for one another and work together to report suspicious activity.

Information goes both ways. **OWL** will send out e-mails and alerts when the police need your help, and you will be able to share information directly and discreetly with local officers. Neighbourhood watch helps build a closer community by supporting the police as they tackle issues that really matter to you.

Regular messages relevant to you, including crime alerts and timely crime prevention advice for your local area are sent out by your local police or Neighbourhood Watch Coordinator.

### Why Register?

- Regular local updates from your local police
- Discreetly report suspicious activity in your area
- Advice on improving your home and personal security
- Builds stronger ties with Neighbourhood Watch leading to safer communities.
- Encourages neighbours to watch out for one another and work together to report suspicious activity.
- Direct access to your local police and your Neighbourhood Watch Coordinator
- A quick, easy, and flexible system that fits in with your lifestyle.
- Fosters a tangible community spirit as you get to know your neighbours.

Residents can contact us using any of the following methods

**Email** : Eastcote.Ruislip.snt@met.pnn.police.uk  
**Twitter** : @MPSEastcoteXH for regular updates.  
**Telephone:** 02082461823

**Postal Address**  
Eastcote & East Ruislip Safer Neighbourhood Team  
Hillingdon Borough Police  
Ruislip Police Station  
The Oaks, Ruislip  
HA4 7LE



### COVID-19 Advice:-

Please follow the right advice and Stay Safe!

If you DO have Symptoms – Get a PCR Test & Stay at home.

If you have NO Symptoms – Get regular rapid lateral flow tests & report rapid lateral flow test results.

What you need to do:- <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

What to do if you have Coronavirus symptoms:- <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19>