

## Palmers Green Safer Neighbourhood Team News

One burglary to report in the month of August is a first. Though many of you may be thinking would it still be so if the ward was the old Palmers Green. Highfield ward didn't have any reports of burglary.

In regards to motor vehicle crime it was a bad month for the new ward and parts of old. Thefts of motor vehicles are definitely up. Seems the thieves have new cars on their shopping list. Amongst those are a number of Hyundai models, the Nissan Leaf and the Nissan Duke. These were all keyless cars. So please pass it on to friends and relatives that a reasonable purchase of a faraday pouch (a signal blocker between your car's fob and the car) will definitely assist your car's security. To be used when you are not driving your car as it can still be taken from car parks while you are away from home. Also a good idea to purchase a good quality steering lock. Please have a look into whether your car was fitted with a tracker when manufactured and whether it is active. If it didn't have one built in look into purchasing one and also a ghost immobiliser.

During August one of your ward officers re-attended court to get an extension of a closure order on a property which was centered around an amount of ASB and drugs. The extension was extended and gives the

property owner time to end the tenancy of the tenant.



With the new ward boundaries changes we have lost a number of our previous ward panel members and also the chair person.

Do you live, work or study on Palmers Green Ward? Are you representative of an organisation in Palmers Green? Would you like to represent your road?

We are looking for new members to attend ward panel meetings.

What is a ward panel you may ask? A ward panel is a group of community members and partner agencies that meets with a representative of the Safer Neighbourhood Team to set local SNT ward priorities and to talk about and problem solve issues affecting the community.

If you are interested and haven't already done so please send us an email.



Welcome to the latest Palmers Green Ward Safer Neighbourhoods Newsletter. This edition covers the crime figures on Palmers Green Ward for August 2022.

## Crimes Recorded this month

There were 131 reported allegations of crime on Palmers Green Ward during this period.

### Burglary

There was 1 residential burglary during August.

**ELMDALE ROAD**, on 29<sup>th</sup> August between 6pm and 6.05pm. Unknown suspect has entered the rear garden via an unlocked side gate and climbed through an open ground floor window and taken a set of house keys. The suspect has possibly left the same way.

### Motor Vehicle Crime

There were 8 thefts from motor vehicles and 5 thefts of motor vehicles reported in August.

**ELMDALE ROAD**, on 2<sup>nd</sup> August, 12.01-7am. Number plates were taken from a vehicle.

**THE GROVE**, on 4<sup>th</sup> August, 7-8pm. Vehicle window was smashed and a blue badge was taken.

**ALDERMANS HILL**, on 8<sup>th</sup> August, 11.30-11.37am. Catalytic converter was taken from a Lexus parked on Broomfield Avenue.

**SHAPLAND WAY**, on 9<sup>th</sup> August, 11am-4pm. A van was entered and a bag containing personal items, a laptop and a speaker were taken.

**DEVONSHIRE**, between 11.59pm, 9<sup>th</sup> August and 1am, 10<sup>th</sup> August. A 2017 Hyundai Ioniq was taken from the location without keys.

**Please remember to double lock your front doors whether you have a UPVC door or have a Yale and mortice. If you also have a UPVC porch door then double lock that too. If you have the security installed, then please use it.**

**Please also consider the use of timer switches to light your houses up after dark if you are not yet home.**



**PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR DOUBLE LOCKING A UPVC (THREE OR FIVE POINT LOCKING SYSTEM) DOOR.**

**If a UPVC door is not locked with a key the door handle goes down when tried and is left very weakly secure with a very small piece of triangular metal going into the frame. This point on the doorframe near the lock is where the suspects target with their screwdrivers or crowbars and can pop your door open sometimes with very little effort**

**HAMILTON CRESCENT**, on 10<sup>th</sup> August, 3-3.30am. A van was entered via the side door and items were taken.

**ALDERMANS HILL**, on 11<sup>th</sup> August, 11.10am-1pm. A catalytic converter was taken from a Honda Jazz.

**RIVERWAY**, on 18<sup>th</sup> August, 3.08-4.08am. A 2021 Toyota Rav 4 was taken from the location without keys.

**LIGHTCLIFFE ROAD**, on 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 1.45-2.30pm. A catalytic converter was taken from a Mazda MX5.

**BRIDGE DRIVE, BROOMFIELD LANE**, on 25<sup>th</sup> August, 9.45-10.10am. A van was entered and power tools were taken from the rear. Van was possibly left insecure.

**HAZELWOOD LANE**, on 24<sup>th</sup> August, 10.30pm. A car was entered on the victim's driveway and

searched through. Apple airpods, cash, Anker charger and prescription sunglasses were taken.

**ALDERMANS HILL**, between 12.01am, 27<sup>th</sup> December 2021 – 11.59pm 26<sup>th</sup> August. An Audi TT was taken from the location without keys.

**LIGHTCLIFFE ROAD**, between 11pm, 29<sup>th</sup> August – 9.45am, 30<sup>th</sup> August. A 2017 BMW X5 was taken from the location without keys.

## [Robbery and personal theft](#)

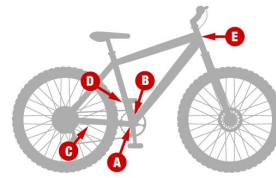
There was 2 robberies and 1 attempted robbery reported during the past month.

**BROOMFIELD PARK**, on 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2.30pm. The victim was walking in the park near the middle of the field when the suspect walked up to him and started speaking under his breath. The suspect has then taken a step back and smacked the victim around the face and taken his glasses and started walking away. The victim followed the suspected and asked for his glasses back and the suspect threw them to the floor. The victim followed the suspect and called police and the suspect was arrested on Aldermans Hill. Investigation is ongoing.

**BROOMFIELD PARK, ALDERMANS HILL**, on 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2.50pm. The victim was walking along the road when he noticed the suspect staring at him and then approaching him. The suspect grabbed the victim's glasses off his face causes scratches and then broke the glasses' frame and threw them to the floor. The suspect then walked into the park and away after saying to the victim what are you going to do about it.

**GREEN LANES**, on 25<sup>th</sup> August, 3.45pm. The victim was at the cash point withdrawing money when the suspect approached from behind her and tried to take her bank card. The victim held on to the card and the suspect ran off.

**IMMOBILISE**   
THE UK NATIONAL PROPERTY REGISTER



Check these locations:

- (A) Bottom bracket (underside crank)
- (B) Top of bottom bracket (upper crank)
- (C) Chain stays (left or right)
- (D) Seat tube
- (E) Headset

### Finding Your Bike Serial Number

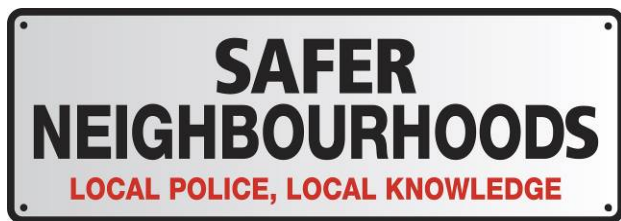
Register your bike on [www.immobilise.com](http://www.immobilise.com) all you need is the frame number. It's completely FREE forever. If your bike goes missing, you can log in and change its status to stolen, making it easier for police to track the owner.

**STOLEN TOOLS = LOSS OF INCOME**

**GET TOOL S.M.A.R.T**



Register your tools on [www.immobilise.com](http://www.immobilise.com) all you need is the serial number.



# “Cuppa with a Copper.....”

**Come and say Hello, for help and advice on local issues**



## Up coming events

Our next contact point will be on:

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> October, 4-4.30pm, Broomfield Park Community Café (weather depending)

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2-2.30pm, Costa, Green Lanes N13

## Team Members

Based at Edmonton Police Station your Dedicated Ward Officers (DWOs) on

Palmers Green ward are:

PS Lamar Downer

PC Freddie Fitches

PC Shannon Shears

PCSO Jennifer Arkwright

We can be contacted via the telephone on:

**0208 721 2835** (please leave a message if no answer – name, number, address and short message.)

Or via email:

[Palmersgreen.snt@met.police.uk](mailto:Palmersgreen.snt@met.police.uk)

## Useful Contacts

### 24/7 Police Station

- Edmonton Police station  
462 Fore Street, Edmonton N9 0PW

**999** – URGENT attendance required – Response time of under 15mins.

**101** - Police required but not as an emergency Response and also to report crime

**0208 721 2835** – Palmers Green Ward - residents, wishing to contact their Local Policing Team for advice/arrange a visit/on going neighbourhood problems, etc. Slow time or appointment driven police attendance or communication required. Please do not use this number to report crime as this phone is not answered 24/7

You can now report crime online at [www.met.police.uk](http://www.met.police.uk) by clicking the Report button.

Don't forget to follow us on Twitter for crime prevention advice, local events and meetings.

**@MPSEnfield and Palmers Green Twitter**  
**@MPSPalmersGreen**

**Do not report crime on Enfield Twitter accounts. Please Report via @MettCC**

**In emergencies always call 999.**

**Twitter is not staffed 24/7**

**We are also on [www.nextdoor.co.uk](http://www.nextdoor.co.uk) under Enfield Police**



Get alerts from your local policing team and Neighbourhood watch. If you've not already sign up today at <https://www.owl.co.uk/met/>

If anyone would like a crime prevention survey please contact us via 0208 721 2835 or if you have access to a computer email us at [palmersgreen.snt@met.police.uk](mailto:palmersgreen.snt@met.police.uk)

Palmers Green web page can be found on the Metropolitan Police website by visiting [www.met.police.uk](http://www.met.police.uk) scrolling down the page and typing Palmers Green in the find your area box.



Many people we visit are asking for ID when we visit them. However, would you know what a real Met Police warrant card looks like?

The one **BELOW** is the real one. Check for the hologram on the warrant card (front and rear), and the signature of the Commissioner NOT the holder.

