

## Holt Report 2017

There have been 10 reported crimes of break in's and thefts in the Parish. This is a really good report, many other Parishes have not fared so well.

As an area, we are still continuing to see sheds, outbuildings, and garages broken into, with gardening items stolen. Vehicles are also being targeted on driveways for items from within, as well as thefts of Ifor Williams trailers and quad Bikes. Security of anything valuable is obviously important, whether this is within the home or in an outbuilding. There are lots of information on security on West Mercia Website.

Also there is a scheme called 'stop that thief'. This is endorsed by NFU, and has been very successful in the Herefordshire area, where rural crime has dropped significantly. NFU have teamed up with WestFlight Security, and together they have shown that with good security advice and installation, re victimisation has vanished, and crimes have dropped. This is a 'win win' for everyone concerned.

If anyone would like further information on this please contact the team on the details at the end of this report.

I would like to take this opportunity of thanking Neighbourhood Watch for all your support. It is a testament to Neighbourhood Watch supporters though reports Police receive regarding, suspicious vehicles, and suspicious folks. Without this information, it would make Policing so much harder. It is really important to report anything at the time, so that Police may respond as soon as they can by getting a patrol out to the area. This has worked in the past resulting in arrests being made.

The 'Team' are still based in Tenbury Wells, and may still be contacted by voicemail, 01905 725780, or email.

If you need to report a crime please call 101, or 999 in an emergency.