

Dear Resident

E-Watch March Update 2017

**This is the latest update letter sent via the E-WATCH system from your Saddleworth South Neighbourhood Policing Unit.**

**Our residents are the eyes of the community and we are asking that you continue to be vigilant and report any persons or vehicles that you see in the area that are acting in a suspicious manner.  
Please phone 101 straight away giving as much information as possible.**



**March 2017 Update**



## Domestic Burglaries

### There were 8 burglaries in the month of March

- **Oaklands Park, Grasscroft** 06-Mar 10:00 to 07-Mar 09:00

Unknown Offender/s Approach Rear Of Detached Property. Using Unknown Implements Snap Door Handle On rear Patio Doors; Snapping the Key Barrel Allowing Entry to Property. Once inside Property Offenders Enter Every Room Opening Cupboards And Drawers In each. Unknown at This Time Details of Items Stolen Due To AP Being Currently away On Holiday. Offender/s Close All Curtains and during Untidy Search Find spare Car Keys. Offenders Enter Garage via Internal Door; Cut Through electricity Cable In The Garage Before Making Off Via Garage Door In Ap's vehicle Using Stolen Keys. The Garage Door Was opened from within using electronic Fob Found within Vehicle. Offenders Make Off In Unknown Direction.

- **Oaklands Park, Grasscroft** 06-Mar 22:00 to 07-Mar 06:10

Unknown Offenders Approach Rear Of Secured Property Putting Arm Or Extension Of Arm Through Cat Flap To Remove Set Of Keys And Open Rear Door. Conduct Search Of House And Steal Items From Within Before Making Off In A/p's Stolen Vehicles.

- **Oldham Road, Grasscroft** 10-Mar 15:45 to 13-Mar 15:45

Offender/s Unknown Approach Semi Detached Dwelling From Front And Using Bodily Pressure Force External Porch Door Causing Damage. Offenders Move to Rear Of Address Going Down Driveway And Into An Enclosed Rear Garden. Here Using Slim Edged Implement And Bodily Pressure Offender Causes Damage To two **Sets of Doors**

Damaging Locks And Handles And Entered Dwelling As A Trespasser Conducting Untidy Search Removing Items- Exit As Entry. Offenders Using Stolen Key Went To Driveway Of Address And Using Key Entered Secure Unattended Motor Vehicle And Took And Drove Same Away.

- **Burnedge Lane, Grasscroft** 10-Mar-2017 19:41

Unknown Offender Approaches Aps Rear Door Of Property Offender Throws Brick Through Door Window Ap Runs Down Stairs Offender Had Already Made Off Unseen

- **Burnedge Lane, Grasscroft** 11-Mar 00:01 to 11-Mar 07:00

Between Times Stated Unknown Offender(s) Approach Rear Door That Has Been Damaged The Previous Day In An Attempt Break. Offender(s) Using Unknown Implement Again Attempt To Gain Entry Via This Door Causing Damage To A kitchen Door That Has Been Used As A Barrier To Secure The Original Damaged Back Door. Offender(s) Also Kick The Same Barrier (Door) Leaving A Boot mark. Offender(s) Do Not Gain Entry And Make Off In Unknown Direction

- **Beechfield, Grasscroft** 13-Mar 22:30 to 14-Mar 06:00

Unknown Offender Approaches Rear Of Property And Gains Entry Through Unlocked Back Door Offender Takes Car Keys That Were Sat On The Side Then Leaves The Address Taking Vehicle That Is Parked On The Side

- **Manchester Road, Greenfield** 15-Mar 23:00 to 16-Mar 09:00

Between Times Stated Unknown Offender(s) Approach Victims Property. Offender(s) Repeatedly Kick Bottom Panel In Back Door And Gain Entry. Offenders Search Kitchen, Lounge And Rear Bedroom Opening Boxes In The Latter. Offenders Exit Via Entry Stealing Nothing. Offender(s) Also Force Garage Door gaining Entry To Garage. Offenders Again Steal Nothing Exit Via Entry And Make Off In Unknown Direction

- **Oldham Road, Grasscroft** 30-Mar 09:15 to 30-Mar 13:30

Unknown Offender/s Approach Property From Unknown Direction Attempt To Gain Entry By Kicking In The Front Door.offender/s Fail To Gain Entryand Make Off Unseen In Unknown Direction.

## 4 x Burglaries Other Than A Dwelling

- **St Mary's Crescent, Greenfield** 22-Mar-2017 17:00

Unknown Offenders Approach Unlocked Garage And Remove pedal Bike Make Off In Unknown Direction In A White Panel Van

- **Holmfirth Road, Greenfield** 25-Mar-2017 05:00

Unknown Offender/s Approach Derelict Mill And Enter Site From unknown Direction. Use Bodily Force To Damage Two Wooden Doors Gaining Entry To canteen Area. Nothing Taken. Offenders Then Go To Greenfield House Detached property On Same Site And Use Unknown Means To Access Roof. Offender/s Strip lead From Chimney Stacks And Edge Of Roof Line Using A Claw Hammer Which Was left On The Roof And Make Off Using A Wheeley Bin To Move Lead And Make Off In unknown Direction.

- **Holmfirth road, Greenfield** 26-Mar-2017 15:30 to 26-Mar-2017 18:30

Unknown Offender/s Approach Derelict Mill And Enter Site From unknown Direction. offenders Gain Entry By Unknown Means And Cause Unknown Damage And Steals Unknown Items. offenders Make Off In Unknown Direction.

- **Chew Valley Road, Greenfield** 26-Mar-2017 20:55

Unknown Offenders X2 Approach Locked And Secure Empty Warehouse From Unknown Direction By Unknown Means Scale 15 Ft Wall Gaining Access Torooft Remove Stone Roof Panels In Attempt To Gain Access To Property Offenders Disturbed By Passerby Make Off In Vehicle.

## Theft From A Motor Vehicle x 2

- **Halls Barn, Greenfield** 05-Mar-2017 20:25



2X Unknown Offenders Approach Van Parked On Driveway From Unknown Direction. Offenders Then Damage Rear Window Of Van By Unknown Means Before Being Disturbed By A Neighbour. Offenders Then Run Off Towards Chapel Road.

- **Queensway, Greenfield** 07-Mar-2017 01:00 to 07-Mar-2017 05:00

Unknown Offender(s) Approach Parked Secured Unattended Motor vehicle/sandwich Van From Unknown Direction; By Unknown Means Gain Access To vehicle; Believed Via Side Sliding Door; Offender(s) Move Items Around Before stealing A Generator; Make Off Unseen In Unknown Direction.

## Theft of A Motor Vehicle

There were no thefts of vehicles reported other than the burglaries.

## Robbery

There were no robberies reported

## Criminal Damage x 8

- Damage to vehicle window, Oldham Road, Grasscroft.
- Damage to fence panels, Tenterfield Close, Greenfield.
- Outside lamp smashed by youths playing football, High Street, Uppermill.
- Smashed window caused after fighting at a public house, High Street, Uppermill.
- An unoccupied property in Uppermill had two windows smashed on two separate occasions.
- Property damaged by permanent marker pen in Greenfield.
- Wing mirror knocked off a vehicle in Lydgate.

## Other thefts x 10

- Property stolen from jacket pocket from a restaurant and public house in Uppermill x 2.
- Cycle stolen by males in a van in Greenfield.
- Lead stolen from properties in Greenfield and Grasscroft x 5.
- Trailer stolen from a business premises in Greenfield.
- Theft of goods at a business premises in Greenfield.

## Crime Overview

Uppermill	Jan-2017	Feb-2017	Mar-2017	Apr-2017	May-2017	Jun-2017	Jul-2017	Aug-2017	Sep-2017	Oct-2017	Nov-2017	Dec-2017
Burglary	0	1	0									
Burglary Other	1	2	0									
Theft From A Motor Vehicle	0	1	0									
Theft Of A Vehicle	1	0	0									
Criminal Damage	1	0	4									
Robbery	0	0	0									

Greenfield	Jan-2017	Feb-2017	Mar-2017	Apr-2017	May-2017	Jun-2017	Jul-2017	Aug-2017	Sep-2017	Oct-2017	Nov-2017	Dec-2017
Burglary	1	2	1									
Burglary Other	0	1	4									
Theft From A Motor Vehicle	3	2	2									
Theft Of A Vehicle	1	0	0									
Criminal Damage	3	1	2									
Robbery	0	0	0									

Grasscroft and Lydgate	Jan-2017	Feb-2017	Mar-2017	Apr-2017	May-2017	Jun-2017	Jul-2017	Aug-2017	Sep-2017	Oct-2017	Nov-2017	Dec-2017
Burglary	2	0	7									

Burglary Other	0	1	0										
Theft From A Motor Vehicle	0	0	0										
Theft Of A Vehicle	0	0	0										
Criminal Damage	0	1	2										
Robbery	0	0	0										

## What to do if you are a victim of a crime

- Report the incident to the police
- Try to recall as much as possible about the event and details of the people involved; take the name and address of any witnesses
- If a car was involved, try to note its details such as colour, make, and registration number
- List any missing items
- Contact your insurance company
- Change your locks if your keys have been taken; check if your insurance will cover this cost
- If your cards have been stolen, call your bank or credit Card Company as soon as possible, the number will be on your statement.

For Age UK's advice regarding Scams and Fraud [CLICK HERE](http://www.ageuk.org.uk/money-matters/consumer-advice/scams-advice/) (link to <http://www.ageuk.org.uk/money-matters/consumer-advice/scams-advice/>)

## Contacts and further advice:

In case of an emergency always dial 999

For Police non-emergencies dial 101

If you have been a victim of crime you can speak to Victim Support for free. For confidential advice and support telephone 0808 16 89 111 or visit (link to [www.victimsupport.org.uk](http://www.victimsupport.org.uk)) To speak to someone anonymously about crime, call Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111 or visit [www.crimestoppers-uk.org](http://www.crimestoppers-uk.org)

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For non-emergency calls or to report a crime call: **101**  
Use **999** only in emergencies where there is a threat to life or crime in progress

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