

Please find a short report below.

Thank you for your invitation; sorry I will not be able to attend the zoom meeting.

There has been no reportable crimes in the area, which is good.

We are concerned about the regularity of scams either emails, phone calls or bank scams. Please can you remind residents of any age that we are all very vulnerable. Never give your bank details to anyone! If you believe you have been scammed with anything to do with money, notify your bank immediately so they can stop transactions.

Fraud is another issue especially charities which many people like to donate to, always get as much information as possible before giving your details. Preferably, ask them to send you paper work so you can view it.

With the Covid lock down again there are many lonely people, who may start to form relationships online we have known people to lose money through these sites. Victims form a relationship with someone pretending to be forming a relationship with the victim and then asks for money to help transport to meet up with him or her. Alternatively, the perpetrator find reasons to the victim to help fund something they would like, this is when money starts to be taken out of accounts and transferred into a bogus account. Before the victim knows it, their life savings have gone and there is no bank account to find where the money has gone.

As everyone is aware, the Covid lockdown is now happening. There are still people who do not know the correct rulings please can local residents assist some of our elderly and people who do not have a computer by printing out the new rules as I believe some people find it hard to understand what they are allowed to do . [www.Gov.uk](http://www.Gov.uk)

Can you all be mindful that although we have lock down there are still people out and about looking to see if there are any shed, business premises, or lock ups that may be of interest to them. If anyone happen to see or hear anything suspicious, such as vehicles or people. If at all possible try to get a vehicle registration. 'Please do not put yourself in any danger.'  
Ring 101 or if it's an emergency call 999

I would like to wish everyone a Happy and Healthy new year

Kind regards

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