

Police Briefing Thursday 31st January 2013 South Herefordshire & Golden Valley

Dorstone

A black Seat Leon **LF5*UBE** was seen in a couple of locations on the morning Sunday 27th January with four males inside. The driver was described as aged early 40's with a shaved head, an earring in his left ear and quite short. He was dressed in camouflage gear.

A letter has been sent to the registered keeper asking him to account for his movements.

Incident ref 76-n-270113.

Newton St Margarets

Damage was caused to a garden wall overnight on Sunday 27th/Monday 28th January, the driver did not stop or make any attempt to contact the householder subsequently. There was part of a light cluster left at the scene, and from that it has been established that it comes from the drivers side rear light on a silver/green Mitsubishi L200. It is believed to belong to someone fairly local, so please keep your eyes out for one driving around with damage to the rear light cluster. Enquiries are in hand to obtain the registration number.

Incident number 322-s-280113

Thrupton

Sometime during the night of Friday 25th/Saturday 26th January, a stable block was entered and part of a horses tail was hacked off. The horse was not injured but has been left with half a tail, about 2' was cut off. A motive for this bizarre crime has not been established.

Incident ref 129-s-260113

Jewellery Scam

I have reported in a couple of briefings recently about the foreign male that flags down motorists and asks for money for fuel in return for a ring or other item of jewellery. Another incident was reported to us last Saturday 26th January. This time the male was on the A438 Hereford to Brecon Road not far from Staunton on Wye, just off our area.. The car, of which we have no details, was parked in a layby and the male, described as foreign sounding, possibly Turkish, gave the motorist a ring in exchange for £20. The ring turned out to be brass, the motorist was not aware of the scam unfortunately and was taken in by this male's apparent distress.

As you can see, it's been fairly quiet since the last bulletin, lets hope it stays that way!

Best wishes

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