General Overview: Performance Monitoring

All crime

Category	LAA ²	Target	Actual (1 Aug 08 -31 Jul 09)	Previous Year Actual (1 Aug 07 - 31 Jul 08)	Percentage Reduction
All Crime		7700	8026	8353	-4%

Areas performing well in Epping Forest

Category	LAA ²	Target	Actual	Previous Year Actual	Percentage Reduction
Accoult with local mium	NI 20	ECO	402	EE A	420/
Assault with less Injury	NI 20	568	483	554	-13%
Criminal Damage		N/A	1123	1216	- 8%
Wounding (serious & Other)		N/A	535	582	- 8%
Theft / Unauthorised Taking		N/A	408	552	- 26%
of Vehicle					
Police Recorded ASB			4726	5659	-16%
			May 08 - June 09	May 07 – June 08	
Young victims of crime		502	522	626	-17%
			May 08 – June 09	May 07 – June 08	

Areas of concern

Category	LAA ²	Target	Actual	Previous Year Actual	Percentage change
Theft from Vehicle		N/A	935	939	- 0%
Robbery Personal Property		N/A	118	114	+ 4%
Serious Acquisitive Crime	NI 16	2282	2398	2418	- 1%
Domestic Burglary Month			62 (July 09)	47 (July 08)	+ 32%
Domestic Burglary *			237 (1 May 09 – 31 Jul 09)	178 (1 May 08 – 31 Jul 08)	+ 33%
Domestic Burglary			922 (1 Aug 08 – 31 Jul 09)	794 (1 Aug 07 – 31 Jul 08)	+ 16%
Most Serious Violence	NI 15	57	56	N/A	
Robbery		N/A	118	114	+4%

NOTE: The apparent anomaly of serious acquisitive crime (SAC) at minus 1% appearing in the "Areas of concern" table relates to the make up of SAC. SAC includes crimes found in the Areas of concern table but is negative due to the effects of applying % increases/decreases to very differing scales of numbers of offences.

New Performance Indicators

NI 32 Repeat Incidents of Domestic Violence

Rate of repeat victimisation for those domestic violence cases reviewed by a MARAC. (Multi Agency Risk Assessment Conference)

It has been agreed that the Domestic Abuse indicator for the LAA will be amended to reflect the National Indicator (NI32) rather than our existing local indicator for repeat incidents, although both will continue to be monitored.

Data to be provided by Essex Police

Statutory Responsibilities

Document / Event	Date	Comments
	T	,
Executive Summary		A public document, available at the
		end of September
Face the Public Session	November 09	Event is currently being planned for
		November hopefully in Waltham
		Abbey. EFDC Community
		Development have agreed to take
		the lead in the organisation of this
		event

Highlights

Crucial Crew

Over 1,300 pupils visited Gilwell Park in Chingford from Monday 8 June to Friday 19 June 2009 to take part in the annual Crucial Crew event This year children each received a copy of our new personal safety workbook with further information and advice on dealing with dangerous situations and how to make positive choices regarding behaviour. The publication complements the Crucial Crew experience and will act as both a classroom and family resource.

Events

For the first time this year we also managed to reach 18 home schooled children across the District who attended the experience.

We also introduced an interactive audience response survey using Turning Point which allowed instant feedback on pupils understanding of the safety messages – **summary of results attached as appendix A.**

DPPO

A Designated Public Place Order (DPPO) covering the Stonards Hill and Lower Swaines recreation grounds in Epping started on Thursday 20 August 2009 to help deal with problems of alcohol related anti-social behaviour.

The DPPO does not make it an offence to consume alcohol within a designated area but it does make it an offence for anyone to drink alcohol after being asked by a Police Officer not to do so. It also provides powers for the Police to confiscate and dispose of alcohol in any person's possession and arrest them if they fail, without reasonable excuse, to comply with the Officer's request.

A DPPO may be enforced by a police officer, a police community support officer (PCSO) or an accredited person. If they suspect a person has recently drunk alcohol or intends to drink alcohol in a DPPO, in order to prevent public nuisance and disorder, police can require a person to stop drinking alcohol (or anything believed to be alcohol), hand over the containers they are drinking from (sealed or unsealed) or hand over any other containers believed to contain alcohol.

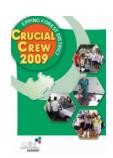
Council gains Accreditation Status

Epping Forest District Council has successfully attained Accreditation Status under Essex Police's Community Safety Accreditation Scheme. This Scheme is a national initiative launched in 2002 allowing organisations and their employees to be afforded police support in exercising their existing powers to deal with incidents such as anti-social behaviour, disorder and nuisance.

'Accredited Persons' can also act as the 'eyes and ears' of the police helping to improve quality of life issues that may occur in the local community. They can request names and addresses of any persons acting in an anti-social manner. It is an offence to fail or refuse to comply. It is also an offence to assault or obstruct an Accredited Person or person assisting them.

Dates to Note

19 th – 23 rd October	Know Your Limits Events		
November	Reality Roadshow – Debden Park School		
October / November	Halloween / Fireworks Diversionary Activities		
November	National Domestic Violence Week		



Appendix A Crucial Crew Interactive Audience Survey 2009



AN INITIATIVE OF THE EPPING FOREST DISTRICT SAFER COMMUNITIES PARTNERSHIP

Detailed survey results are contained in the survey spreadsheet. A general overview of the results however shows that most children demonstrated an understanding of the Crucial Crew Event messages and answered the survey questions correctly with the following variations:

No	Question	Correct Answer	Correct Answer Range %
1	On hearing a fire / smoke alarm	Stay Out	84:95
2	Smoke Alarm Testing	Once a Week	80:94
3	Who: Can Stop You from Using Drugs?	You	75:97
4	Drunk Alcohol without Parental knowledge?	Yes	13:61
		No	39:87
5	Buying Alcohol for under 18s: Illegal?	Yes	67:86
6	Action over Bullying on School Bus	Tell Bus Staff / School / Parents	65:90
7	What is Bullying?	All of the Above	75:92
8	Riding a bicycle? Do not use	MP3 player	59:93
9	No Litter Bin Available? What Action?	Take home to bin, recycle, reuse	59:90
		A Swimming Pool	50.05
10	Safest Place to Swim?	/\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	53:95

Points of Interest:

- Survey questions used on 16 June omitted the Drugsline question no. 3
- The Interactive End of Session survey was not used in every session due to lack of time
- During the event a number of handsets went offline and were unable to record answers due to inappropriate user interference
- A number of (deliberately?) incorrect answers may have been made by some children for various reasons
- Staples Road Junior School pupils provided the lowest correct scores on questions 3; 5; 9; 10



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Schools that took part in the Interactive Audience Survey included:

No	Interactive Audience Survey Participating Schools
1.	Alderton Junior School
2.	Buckhurst Hill Community School
3.	Chigwell County Primary School
4.	Chigwell School
5.	Coopersale & Theydon Garnon CE School
6.	Coopersale Hall School
	Daiglen School
	Epping Primary School
	Epping Upland CE Primary School
	Hereward Primary School
	High Beech CE Primary School
	Hillhouse Primary School
	Home Education Group
	Ivy Chimneys Primary School
	Lambourne Primary School
	Leverton Junior School
17.	Limes Farm Junior School
	Loyola Preparatory School
	Nazeing Primary School
	Oaklands School
	Roydon Primary School
	St John Fisher Catholic Primary School
	St John's CE Primary Buckhurst Hill
	Stapleford Abbotts Primary School
	Staples Road Junior School
	Theydon Bois Primary School
	Thomas Willingale Primary School
	Upshire Primary School
	Waltham Holy Cross Primary School
	Wells Park School
31.	Whitebridge Junior School