Portreath Parish Council 06/02/2023

Report from the Police Liaison Group (PLG) Volunteer – Vicki Webb

The PLG meeting was held on Wednesday 11th January 2023.

The meeting was chaired by Wayne Hick, who has taken on this role from Inspector Sophie Curtis for the next 6 months. This is the first meeting since October 2022.

Staffing

This has been an issue as they have had some vacancies. One position has been filled and the other is due to be shortly.

ASB – there is a current gap, due to maternity leave, however the officer will be returning to post shortly.

Police Update

Camborne – Issues around licencing and working closely with certain establishments are on-going.

Redruth – Drugs issues – Plain clothes officers are dealing with this on-going issue. ASB continues around the miner statue and PC John Thorne has been working with the young people.

Vehicle crime has been reported on Clinton Road – Police reminding the public not to leave handbags or bags in full sight.

Police Beat Surgeries have received good feedback. The next one will be in Redruth Library on 3 February 2023.

An app called StreetLink was shared by Helen Kneale, this can be access by anyone who would like to report a rough sleeper. It is important to note, this is so the person can be offered support, not to get them into trouble. If the person is under the age of 18, this should be reported straight to the police as they are a vulnerable young person.

Format of meetings:

Wayne Hick welcomed ideas from the group about how the group should run. The majority were all happy staying on-line, and were happy with the current format. It was raised that it was very Camborne Redruth focused, and it would be good if some attention was given to the mining villages.

Reports specifically for Portreath: None

I have contacted PC Jason Rowe for an update for Portreath Parish and will await his report, unless he is able to attend our meeting.