



Absafe Community Safety Bulletin

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STAYING SAFE ONLINE

Next Tuesday (7 February) marks this year's international Safer Internet Day. The annual event aims to raise awareness of online safety issues, supported by events and activities right across the UK. Last year's Internet Safety Day reached more than 2.8 million children and 2.5 million parents.

Absafe is here to help keep you and your family safe online, and our friends at the UK Safer Internet Centre have given us top tips to ensure your internet experience is as safe and secure as possible.

INTERNET SECURITY FOR 11-18 YEAR OLDS

- Make the internet a great place for all. Use the positive power of images and videos to help create a better internet
- Be kind to each other
- Use images and videos to make a positive impact, and think carefully about others before sharing something online
- Think before you post. What do your images and videos say about you; are you happy with the story

you are telling? What you share online could be there forever, can be misinterpreted and could also reveal personal information about you

- Report anything you see online, including images and videos, which are offensive, upsetting or inappropriate. Speak to a trusted adult if something worries you
- Seeing is not believing. When you see something online take a moment to see the full picture. Not everything or everyone online can be trusted
- Never agree to meet up offline with someone you only know online. No matter how friendly they might seem or how well you think you know them, they are still a stranger. Always tell a trusted adult if someone online asks to meet up



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ABSAFE?

Absafe will be hosting a car boot sale at The Safe on Saturday 18 February, from 9am to 1pm. Start your spring clean early by clearing out clutter and making some spare cash. Tables cost £10, including a hot drink for stallholders. Contact Victoria on Victoria@absafe.org.uk to reserve your stall space.

SPACE FOR HIRE

Do you have an event or meeting that you need a venue for? Contact us today if you'd like to hire out our fantastic space, email Victoria@absafe.org.uk to find out how we can support your room hire needs.

ABSAFE: TURNING TEAM BUILDING ON ITS HEAD

At Absafe, we want to banish team building clichés - you won't find towers made out of spaghetti here. We've turned traditional team building on its head by creating our innovative CSI: Absafe programme, an alternative team building exercise that puts your employees at the heart of an investigation.

Our CSI: Absafe events are aimed at improving team work, communication and critical thinking whilst also re-engaging your teams with safety. We stage safety incidents where delegates need to interview witnesses, examine evidence and delve into the details to uncover the root causes that have led to the incident.

We can deliver our CSI: Absafe experience in your premises or here at The Safe - and can tailor our offering to fit your needs.

We recently worked with Statoil UK to deliver a CSI: Aberdeen for its Operations team. Here's what they said about us:

"When considering a team building event for a group of operational personnel, we wanted something that could be tailored to our needs whilst challenging the most analytical minds we have!

The Absafe experience offered a thought provoking crime scene investigation, allowing us all to play detectives for a day. We all know that a successful team means working together and our crime could only be solved if we worked collaboratively and with clear communications being crucial to the outcome. It was fun, educational and brought out the competitive streak in everyone.

Absafe listened to our needs and sculptured the day accordingly and it was a pleasure to be able to support such a worthwhile, local charity."

Jenny Barclay, Principal Logistics Supervisor, Statoil (U.K.)



Noteworthy Property Incidents (Homes, Gardens & Vehicles):

Police Scotland has provided the following list of incidents which have occurred in your area this week as a snapshot of the current crime trends. All incidents are not recorded below, either for legal reasons or where there are issues of sensitivity. The statistics below should not be seen as an accurate reflection of all crime in your area but as a way of raising your awareness to crime in general. This in turn should allow you to take the appropriate safety/security steps to prevent yourself from being a victim of crime.

NORTH				
TIME PERIOD	LOCATION	CRIME TYPE	INFORMATION	
BUCKSBURN				
22/01/17	22/01/17	Kingswells Avenue, Kingswells	Theft by HB	Forced entry to dwelling and stole from within
BRIDGE OF DON				
20/01/17	21/01/17	Slains Avenue	Theft by OLP	Forced entry to vehicle and stole from within
19/01/17	20/01/17	Seaview Road	OLPWI	Forced entry to vehicle with intent to steal from within
24/01/17	25/01/17	Greenbrae Drive	Theft by OLP	Forced entry to vehicle and stole from within
24/01/17	25/01/17	Gleneagles Avenue	OLPWI	Forced entry to vehicle with intent to steal
24/01/17	25/01/17	Simpson Road	Theft by OLP	Forced entry to vehicle and stole from within
NORTHFIELD				
22/01/17	22/01/17	Provost Rust Drive	Att Theft of Motor Vehicle	Forced entry to vehicle and attempted to steal same
MASTRICK				
TILLYDRONE				
14/01/17	20/01/17	Wingate Place	Theft by OLP	Forced entry to vehicle and stole from within
21/01/17	21/01/17	North Anderson Drive	Theft by OLP	Forced entry to vehicle and stole from within
KITTYBREWSTER				
21/01/17	22/01/17	Porthill Court	Theft of vehicle	Stole car from location
24/01/17	25/01/17	Canal Street	Attempted OLPWI	Attempted to gain entry to vehicle with intent to steal
SEATON				
SOUTH				
CITY CENTRE				
NIGG				
20/01/17	21/01/17	Covenanters Row	Theft by HB	Forced entry to dwelling and stole from within

TORRY				
21/01/17	21/01/17	Polwarth Road	Theft from a motor vehicle	Entered unsecure vehicle and stole from within
22/01/17	22/01/17	Walker Road	Theft of vehicle	Stole true keys of vehicle then stole said vehicle
HAZLEHEAD				
23/01/17	23/01/17	Westholme Avenue	In building with intent to steal	Entered garden with intent to steal
21/01/17	22/01/17	Summerhill Court	Theft from a motor vehicle	Entered unsecure vehicle and stole from within
23/01/17	23/01/17	Angusfield Avenue	In building with intent to steal	Entered dwelling with intent to steal
ROSEMOUNT				
WEST END				
19/01/17	20/01/17	Caledonian Place	OLPWI	Forced entry to vehicle with intent to steal
20/01/17	21/01/17	Bloomfield Road	Theft of vehicle	Stole motor cycle from location
21/01/17	25/01/17	Holburn Street	Theft by HB	Forced entry to shed and stole from within
24/01/17	25/01/17	Morningfield Road	Att Theft of a motor vehicle	Attempted to steal vehicle from location

Key: HB - House Breaking

OLP - Open Lockfast Place

OLPWI - Open Lockfast Place with Intent

HBWI - House Breaking with Intent

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