

Hornsby Police news, 9/11/11 The following relate to local issues in the Kuring gai Local Area Command:

Incident: Car V Motor bike

Time/Date: About 10.45 pm on Tuesday the 8th

Place: Pacific highway x Unwin street, Waitara

Vehicle 1: Audi

Vehicle 2: Honda Motor cycle

Rider: 25 year old male

Details: The Audi had merged into a right turning lane with a green traffic light showing and commenced turning right into Unwin road. At this time the Honda has been travelling the opposite direction also with a green traffic light. The Bike and car have collided the bike rider came off the bike and suffered minor bruising to his knee and thigh. He was taken to Hornsby hospital for treatment. The Audi driver received a ticket for 'Not give way at traffic light while turning right'.

Incident: Single car crash.

Time/Date: About 6 am on Wednesday the 9th

Place: Somerville road, Hornsby Heights.

Vehicle 1: Lancer

Driver: female

Details: The lancer was being driven towards Galston road. The driver has advised police a large bird had flown at her windscreen causing her to swerve to avoid it. This caused her car to slide and leave the road colliding with a power pole. She was not injured in the crash.

Incident: House fire.

Time/Date: About 5 pm on Monday the 7th (and about 8.30 pm)

Place: Wambool street, Turramurra.

Details: Smoke was seen coming form the house by neighbours and the fire brigade were called and attended. A minor fire was put out. The fire brigade has left he location and about 8.30 pm another neighbour has seen smoke again coming from the home. Fire brigade have attended and entered the home to extinguish the fire. At this time the upstairs ceiling has collapsed. The fire was eventually put out. Indications are an electrical fault is to blame for both incidents. Damage is extensive.

Incident: Steal from Motor Vehicle man charged

Time/Date: About 8.25 pm on Saturday the 5th

Place: Thornleigh avenue, Thornleigh.

Vehicle 1: Toyota Van.

Person: 29 year old male.

Details: The owner of the van was inside the home. The owner has seen the male approach the car and allegedly open a closed door and entering the car. The owner has called out with the male running away. The owner and his son have given chase and caught the male nearby. Police have attended and arrested the male. The male has allegedly made some admissions claiming he needed money for a loaf of bread. He was then charged.

Court: The male faces Hornsby Local Court on the 14th charged with stealing.

Incident: Stolen Gate (recovered).

Time/Date: Between 6 pm on Saturday the 5th and 10 am on Sunday the 6th

Place: Arnold street, Killara.

Details: Unknown person/s have stolen a Pink coloured steel gate from the from yard of the home. Soon after discovering the gate missing the owner has located the gate around the corner from her home. Presumably this was a prank.

Incident: Stolen Car.

Time/Date: Between 12 pm and 1.30 pm on Monday the 7th

Place: Intersection of Linda street and Hunter street, Hornsby.

Car: Alfa Romeo black 2005 model.

Details: The car was parked on the street unknown person/s have stolen the car it was valued at about \$16,000.

Incident: Malicious damage.

Time/Date: Between 6 pm on Friday the 4th and 8 am on Monday the 7th

Place: Normanhurst Public School.

Details: Unknown person/s have used a rock to smash a window at the school damage is estimated at \$500.

Police are appealing to witnesses who may have information relating to the above incident to contact Hornsby police on 9476 9799, or phone Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 to report any information relating to the matter anonymously.

******Project '**eye**watch' Update:

Our local Facebook page: "Neighbourhood Watch - Gordon Area 24/12", Please *like* and *friend* and *share*.

Others to note: "Ku-ring-gai LAC - NSW Police Force",
"Project eyewatch - NSW Police Force", "KRGprecinctcoord Julia",
"Mount Colah Neighbourhood Watch".

Police Facebook pages have easy buttons for <crime stoppers> <report a crime> and <counter terrorism>.

If you haven't yet ventured into Facebook territory, how about googling 'project eyewatch' and clicking on the direct link to that section of the NSW Police website? If you select <about> from the menu, there's a nifty little video explaining the use of Facebook by the Police. Worth a look, if only to see what all the fuss is about.

Other News:

East Killara NHW Group said goodbye last week to an important member of their NHW community: *RIP Jan Langley*. Their newsletter contained the following tribute;

It is with great sadness that we report the passing of Jan Langley. Jan was the previous co-ordinator of our Neighbourhood Watch Group. She revitalised the group, in the process visiting all the residences in East Killara. Jan worked tirelessly for our Group and was also involved in many other community organisations.

I remember Jan from East Lindfield Public School where she was awarded Life membership of the Parents and Citizens Association for all her voluntary work at the school. Jan has also been acknowledged for her work in the community with various awards.

Jan was Head Prefect at Abbotsleigh School in 1955. After leaving school she completed a Science Degree at Sydney University. Jan was an Elder at the East Killara Uniting Church and taught Scripture at East Lindfield, Lindfield and West Lindfield Primary Schools. She was Chairman of the Lindara Committee which employed a Social Worker and supplied accommodation for Homeless families on the Upper North Shore.

A large number of people attended her Funeral Service at Killara Uniting Church on 27 October as she was so well respected and liked within the community.

Jan's passing is a great loss to her family and friends and she will be sadly missed by our community.

Remember to report any suspicious activity in the neighbourhood directly to Hornsby Police on 02 94769799. DON'T DELAY IN REPORTING.

Please encourage your neighbours and friends to join our NHW Gordon Mailing list.

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