

Parish Council monthly update

Leysdown

May 2025

Information provided by: PC 14018 KINRADE

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Crimes of note:

- 05/05/25 – Criminal damage – unknown person threw item at victim’s car, CCTV obtained and suspect image shared for identification.
- 18/05/25 – Theft – unknown persons attended business premises and stole items, suspect reported to be from a vehicle. CCTV obtained, vehicle stopped, images compared and unable to identify suspect therefore images shared for identification.
- 18/05/25 – Theft – unknown persons stole tools from a vehicle, 2 week time window and no known witnesses/evidence therefore report filed.
- 23/05/25 – Drugs – Officers stopped vehicle, conducted a search and located a cannabis joint, drugs seized and suspect dealt with for the offence.
- 24/05/25 – Theft – Report of a mobile phone being stolen by an unknown suspect, victim later managed to contact an unknown person who said they had the phone and would return it.
- 24/05/25 – Arson – report of unknown persons setting fire to abandoned building. Later suggestion that it could be due to an ongoing dispute but no evidence to confirm this. CCTV obtained and images shared for identification.
- 26/05/25 – Criminal Damage – unknown persons have fired a ball bearing at a plastic storage box, no CCTV and no witnesses therefore report filed.
- 27/05/25 – Burglary – report of unknown youths entering a closed business premises and removing an alarm. CCTV obtained and images shared for identification.
- 28/05/25 – Criminal Damage/Public Order – victim had an argument with someone, a week or so later a relative of that person drove into victim’s car and made further verbal threats. Suspect interview has been arranged.
- 29/05/25 – Arson – report of youths starting a fire in a field, CCTV obtained, 1 suspect identified, suspect interviewed, awaiting outcome decision.
- 30/05/25 – Theft – unknown persons stole walkie talkie from a business premises

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Anti-social behaviour and other incidents of note:

- 01/05/25 – Nuisance Vehicle – report of a quad and motorbike driving at high speed, no available patrols to attend, PC Kinrade has since obtained CCTV but no number plates/faces visible
- 02/05/2025 – Fraud – report of caller receiving a phone call from someone claiming to be a police officer and saying victim’s bank card had been used without permission. Circumstances of call match a known fraud technique therefore incident was reported to Action Fraud on the caller’s behalf and safety advice given.



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- 02/05/25 – Drink driving – report of person drink driving, attempts made to locate vehicle but unsuccessful.
- 03/05/25 – Nuisance Vehicle – report of youths riding a motorbike around coastal park, no available patrols to attend and no known CCTV opportunities.
- 04/05/25 – Nuisance Youths – report of youths with catapults, not reported until hours later so not attended but PC Kinrade has since viewed CCTV and identities unknown.
- 04/05/25 – Nuisance Youths – report of group of youths trespassing on a caravan park, patrol attended, no crimes occurred, youths were returned to parents.
- 07/05/25 – Sus Event – report of caller being followed by some people he knows. Caller then refused to engage. Patrol attended no offences reported, believed misunderstanding.
- 10/05/25 – Disturbance – Report of a group of youths being rowdy and swearing on a caravan park. PC Kinrade attended, no crimes reported but youths were all calm, apologised to the person they had disturbed and youths were also warned by park staff that if there are any further issues they will have to leave.
- 11/05/25 – Obstruction/disturbance – report of 2 drivers blocking each other in however situation resolved before officers could attend.
- 13/05/25 – Accosting – report of caller having been followed by 10 males. PC Kinrade conducted CCTV enquiries, located caller however CCTV showed she was not followed therefore no further action.
- 17/05/25 – Disturbance – report of group of youths talking about a fight and mentioning getting a knife, officers attended but person who mentioned knife had left the area prior to police arrival. No offences reported.
- 24/05/25 – Traffic Offence – Officers stopped a vehicle, driver was disqualified from driving therefore vehicle seized and driver will be summonsed to court.
- 24/05/25 – Traffic Offence – PC Kinrade stopped and seized an E-scooter, intel report submitted
- 24/05/25 – Disturbance – report of road rage incident where both parties were swearing at each other. No crimes reported and incident resolved before police could attend.
- 25/05/25 – Obstruction – report of car blocking callers driveway prevent them from parking. Police have no powers in these circumstances so no action taken.
- 25/05/25 – Disturbance – third party report of person behaving aggressively, they had left prior to the call and no offences reported therefore no further action.
- 30/05/25 – Disturbance – report of drunk male refusing to leave holiday park clubhouse, male left prior to police arrival, no crimes reported but concern male may be drink driving, vehicle circulated to be stopped if seen but unable to locate.

Other news:

- PC Kinrade will be conducting a Drop In Surgery at Leysdown Village Hall between 1000-1100hrs on 25/06/25.



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