

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH (ABRAHAMS ESTATE)2013/2014

In the middle of 2013, due to departures from Henley, the numbers of Neighbourhood Watch members in this area had decreased to just 7.

As a result of a campaign, comprising a public meeting at the United Reform Church, and a determined leaflet drop by some of the PCSO's, the number of members was raised to 23.

This is more in keeping with the size of this large estate, and the augmented Neighbourhood Watch has been working satisfactorily, and more effectively than the original version. On at least one occasion recently, a member was advised by the Police to pursue a case of attempted burglary, following consultation within local Abrahams Estate NHW colleagues.

Members are passed information from the Police in Abingdon on a regular basis, in the hope that they can all play a part in both locating crime, and in helping the Police in Henley to more effectively police our area.

Councillor David Silvester

Co-ordinator, Neighbourhood Watch, (Abrahams Estate).