

<u>Special Incentive – FREE Anti-theft Car Number plate</u> screws!!

There have been a significant number of thefts of number plates in Glenfield recently, and Glenwatch is giving away a **FREE** set of car number plate screws to the first 20 people who ring the Glenwatch phone number (0116 2875141) — no catches, no obligation! With these screws, no-one can remove your number plates!

Recent spate of Telephone Cold Calling

There have been several recent incidents of a company by the name of "Direct Response" cold calling on the telephone, trying to sell alarm systems, saying they are "affiliated" to Neighbourhood Watch. This company has no relationship with Glenwatch – their products may or may not be good or suitable for their purpose. But beware, one of our residents did make an appointment for one of their "consultant engineers" to come round until he was told he would be charged £300 for the appointment!

Your Local Neighbourhood Police Team:

PC 1851 Matt Turner, PCSO 6508 Pete Chapman, and PCSO 6160 Ben Crossley regularly attend Glenwatch meetings to give a police report and advise on current problems. They also hold regular "surgeries" at the Coop store on Station Road.

No Trick or Treaters - If you don't want "trick or treaters" to call on your house on Halloween night, October 31st, then put up the poster in your window. If you do want them to call, be careful out there!



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Glenwatch is the organisation made up of volunteers who run Neighbourhood Watch for the residents of Glenfield. And it is only as effective as the work put in by all the people who help, especially the co-ordinators of which we should have about 200 covering the 4500 properties in the village.

The Glenwatch Administrator is Mike Salisbury, Tel: 0116 2875141 or email: glenwatchadmin@googlemail.com.

Glenwatch meetings are held on the first Tuesday of every month at 7pm at the Glenfield Council offices Park House and are open to all NHW members to attend.

Recent Drug-related incidents in Glenfield

You have probably all heard about the recent drug related incidents in Stelle Way and Juno Close in Glenfield this summer, they were both reported in the Leicester Mercury and on Radio Leicester. This just highlights the need for all of us to be aware of what's going on around us, and it's where Glenfield's Neighbourhood Watch GLENWATCH comes in.

What can you do to help?

First of all, join Glenwatch! We urgently need more coordinators - all that is required is that you cover a number of houses on your street (typically 15-25 houses) and hand out correspondence to them from time to time. You don't need to write the correspondence as this will send to you by email, post or telephone on a regular basis. You will also act as a point of contact for them if they have any crime related concerns, which you can then pass on. Probably no more than an hour per month of your time is needed to make Glenfield a safer place.

What to do NOW!

If you are interested in becoming a co-ordinator or you would like to find out more about any aspect of Glenwatch please contact the Glenwatch telephone number (0116) 2875141 or email glenwatchadmin@googlemail.com.