## ANNUAL REPORT FOR NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH - May 2018

The police continue to issue regular emails under the "Police Connect" program giving information about local crime incidents often including CCTV images of those they are seeking to locate as well as other crime prevention advice. A recent trend is information on the increasing number of phone scamming activities and always with reminders on how not to be lulled into giving critical information to unannounced callers. This invaluable service is available to everyone and if you have not already done so I recommend that you subscribe via the Suffolk Constabulary website.

This year Great Bricett did feature in these emails when a number of outbuildings were broken into around the village and items stolen. Such events act as a reminder of the importance of secure locks on doors and windows and of marking valuable items with postcodes as well as noting serial numbers. If you would like additional individual advice this is available free from the police via the Mid Suffolk Crime Reduction Officer.

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