







Agenda Item No: 21
 Safer Stockton Partnership
 28 September 2010

Please find below the list of press releases from SSP for the period of the 4th August 2010 – 15th September Copies of the full articles are available from the Community Safety Team.



Press releases sent by Stockton agencies:



Service:	Date sent to Comms dept:	Feature date:	Media type:	Article title:	Brief Details:	Provides reassurance?	
ASB Team	17/8/10	19/8/10	Evening Gazette	Order made against teen	John Lee Allison, 17 is now subject of an ASBO preventing him from being in designated areas, having alcohol in public places and using threatening or abusive behaviour.	Yes	





Youth Service		1/09/10	Evening Gazette	I was asked to do this role because of my experiences	Actress and Government knife crime 'star' Brooke Kinsella visited a youth project named Corner House in Stockton to hear how the growing threat of knives is being tackled locally.	Yes	
SSP	July	August edition Stockton News	Stockton News	Crime Survey Reminder	Audit piece	Yes	
SSP	July	August edition Stockton News	Stockton News	Junior Neighbourhood watch scheme proves a success	A crime and safety initiative, started in 2005 and designed to engage with children in the community, has expanded across the Stockton area.	Yes	





Please find below the list of press articles relating to crime in Stockton as picked up by a court reporter or other source for the period of the 23rd June – 2nd August 2010. Copies of the full articles are available from the Community Safety Team.




Press articles that have been picked up by a court reporter or other source:



DATE IN NEWS	MEDIA TYPE	ARTICLE TITLE	BRIEF DETAILS	SERVICES MENTIONED	PROVIDES REASSURANCE?	
4/8/10	Evening Gazette	Robber attacks pensioner for £30	Paul Mannion, 28, attacked John Fishburn, 71, when he was walking to the supermarket along Easby Road in Billingham. Judge Howard Crowson sentenced Mannion, of Leybourne Terrace, Stockton to six and a half years in prison.	Police, Courts	Yes	
4/8/10	Evening Gazette	Behind Bars	A four year sentence for a stabbing did not stop Johnathon Holligon from arming himself with a knife again at a house party. Holligon, 30, is back in prison for three years for another knife attack, he assaulted two men in a home on Whinlatter Close, Stockton.	Police	Yes	

<p>9/8/10 10/8/10</p>	<p>Evening Gazette</p>	<p>Clerk aided loans fraud</p> <p>Fraud woman spared jail</p>	<p>A solicitor's clerk, Carrol Thompson, 48, from Billingham was facing jail today after helping a crooked detective and his brother run a multi million pound mortgage scam. Thompson of Allington Drive, Billingham admitted three counts of conspiracy to defraud worth 1.2million.</p> <p>Thompson was sentences to 50 weeks jail , suspended for two years and ordered to complete 200 hours of unpaid work</p>	<p>Police</p>	<p>Yes</p>	
<p>9/8/10</p>	<p>Evening Gazette</p>	<p>Last chance for coach</p>	<p>Cannabis user and voluntary worker Lee Plumer was caught carrying three 3g bags of cannabis with 15 plants worth almost £280 at his Eaglescliffe home last October. Plummer has been given a 12-month community order with supervision and a total of 250 hours of unpaid work.</p>	<p>Police, Courts</p>	<p>Yes</p>	

11/8/10	Evening Gazette	Nurse hurt OAPs – court	Edward Ruddick, 48, has gone on trial accused of injuring elderly and vulnerable patients at Victoria House Care home. He is alleged to have forcefully stood on the foot of one resident after he became annoyed when he caused a mess. Proceeding	courts		
12/8/10		He was like Jekyll and Hyde	Carer Christine Taylor said Edward, 48, was very professional in front of other people at the Stockton care home but was a very different person behind closed doors. Proceeding		No	
11/8/10	Evening Gazette	Police release efit after woman robbed	Police have released an efit of a man suspected of robbing a woman in Ragworth Estate, Stockton. Police are appealing for any information.	Police	No	
12/8/10	Evening Gazette	Boy, 9, hit by car	A man was arrested after a 9-year old boy was knocked down in a Thornaby street. Police are appealing for witnesses.	Police	No	
16/8/10	Evening Gazette	It was like a horror film – I saw a shadow then felt the pain	An appeal for witnesses has gone out after a horrific early-hours attack on a dad, Steven Sharpe, 44, as he walked home after a night out in Stockton.	Police, Crime stoppers	No	

18/9/10	Evening Gazette	Paedophile,73,jailed	Raymond Tuck admitted trying to entice two girls aged 12 and 10 into his Thornaby home on numerous occasions between December 1 2009 and may 6 2010. He has been jailed for 16 months.	Police	Yes	
19/8/10	Evening Gazette	Officers arrest six in drugs crackdown	Six people have been arrested following police swoops on properties in Roseworth, Hardwick and High Grange areas in Stockton.	Police	Yes	
24/8/10	Evening gazette	Man locked up for single blow	Aaron Thistlewaite, 20, attacked a couple as they visited a succession of house parties in Thornaby. Thistlewaite of Stirling Way Thornaby was sentenced to 12 months in a young offender's institution after being found guilty of grievous bodily harm.	Police, Courts	Yes	
3/9/10	Evening Gazette	Jury due out in mums drug trial	A woman is on trial accused of having an assortment of illegal drugs thrown over the walls of Holme House Prison in a wrapped tennis ball. Kendra Marie Lanes fingerprints were found on a package, the 24 year old man of four denies any involvement in wrapping the drugs or getting them thrown into the jail. Proceeding.	Police, Prison, Courts	No	

3/9/10	Evening Gazette	Youths cause vehicle smash	Yobs that caused a car to crash after hurling missiles at it are being hunted by the police. The unnamed man, who is from Billingham suffered a broken rib and was taken to the University Hospital of North Tees. Police are appealing for witnesses	Police	No	
6/9/10	Evening Gazette	Driver had 54 points before being banned	A 27-year old Stockton motorist was allowed to remain behind the wheel despite committing a string of offences. He clocked up 54 penalty points before eventually being banned	police	No	
7/9/10	Evening Gazette	Home used as drug factory	A woman who let her home become a hub for a sophisticated Teesside drugs network starts a four year prison sentence today. Julie Aylesbury, 49, was caught after police discovered Cocaine, heroin and cutting agents where she lived in Devon Crescent, Billingham.		Yes	

7/9/10	Evening Gazette	Arsonist is spared	A troubled man destroyed his girlfriend's car, which she used to help her disabled son, trying to destroy evidence that he had taken it from her Stockton home. Darren Brown, 36 was spared the disastrous prospect of prison for unusual crimes after a court heard of his vulnerability. He gave Brown an 18-month community order with supervision, a thinking skills programme and a 12-month driving ban.	Police, Courts	No	
9/9/10	Evening Gazette	No jail after victim beaten	A booze fuelled man who attacked his ex-girlfriend for the third time after has been spared a jail sentence. Shaun Heald, of Patterdale Avenue Stockton. Received a six month prison sentence suspended for two years.	Police	No	
13/9/10	Evening gazette	Eight Years	A vicious attacker from Stockton, who knocked on a 65-year old man's door and shoved a glass into his face, has been jailed for eight years.	Police	Yes	