



PC Neil Tonge and PCSO Paul Gethin secure a vehicle registration plate with a 'Safe Plate' screw

POLICE TAKE ACTION IN SALFORD

Police in Salford struck a blow against criminals in the city after carrying out two 'days of action' in November 2006.

Five drug warrants were executed at residential premises, arrests were made after a cannabis farm was found in the loft of one property and cocaine at another and nine people were arrested for conspiracy to supply a controlled drug at Forest Bank prison.

During the action days, officers also arrested 10 people for either being wanted for crimes or failing to attend court, and identified 25 cases of benefit frauds.

Part of the operation involved officers using automatic number plate recognition technology to seize 36 vehicles for having no insurance or tax disc, and 30 people were given fixed penalty notices for road traffic offences.

Police also targeted anti-social behaviour hotspots in Swinton and used stop and

search powers to seize alcohol from underage young people. Warning letters were then sent to the parents and guardians of those caught carrying or drinking alcohol in public.

To address concerns over the theft of Ford Focus car radios, officers sent 600 letters to owners in the Swinton area inviting them to attend a vehicle crime prevention clinic. 142 vehicles were made more secure by having security grub screws fitted to radios or 'Safe Plate' screws fitted to number plates.

Chief Superintendent Kevin Mulligan, Divisional Commander for Salford said: "These excellent results show our commitment to dealing with anti-social behaviour and crime in Salford, and we will be running similar initiatives across the city to reduce crime levels even further. By carrying out Action Days, Greater Manchester Police aims to reduce fear of crime by bringing offenders to justice and creating safer communities."

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Partners IN Salford



YOUR COMMUNITY YOUR POLICE

Salford Division is divided into five areas. Each area has an Inspector who heads a team working to fight crime and protect people in your local community. There are 555 police officers and 178 police staff working on the division including 71 police community support officers and 18 special constables.

DIVISIONAL COMMANDER



Chief Superintendent KEVIN MULLIGAN

During the past year we have seen further decreases in burglary and robbery and are working with our partners to bring more offenders to justice than ever before.

Alcohol-fuelled violent crime remains an important issue. We are targeting those who sell alcohol to children, monitoring the management of licensed premises and closing pubs responsible for disorder. We also support council proposals to introduce alcohol banning orders. We have improved our response to incidents of domestic abuse, combining positive action to reports of domestic abuse and support to victims.

We will continue to operate 'beat sweeps' to tackle anti-social behaviour. We currently have over 100 anti-social behaviour orders implemented and have recently served our first 'crack house' closure notice. We will continue to apply these measures to reassure and protect the people of Salford.



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Salford West policing covers Little Hulton, Walkden, Worsley, Boothstown and Ellenbrook.

Operation Brocade involves deploying additional resources in youth nuisance hotspots at peak times on Friday and Saturday evenings. Additional measures include videoing groups on street corners, confiscating alcohol and dealing with young people riding bikes on pathways or without lights. In addition, we have worked with the local authority to combat domestic burglary, and have also increased the number of warrants executed under the Misuse of Drugs Act.

Over the next 12 months we will continue to target those individuals that regularly cause problems for the general public of Salford West.



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Salford North policing covers Swinton, Pendlebury and Clifton.

A burglary and robbery campaign known as Operation Hake has involved car radios/CD players and car number plates being secured as part of the 'Grub Screw' and 'Safe Plate' initiatives. A dispersal order has been used in Swinton to combat anti-social behaviour, whilst partner agencies have engaged local youths in activities to draw them away from this type of behaviour. In addition, local authority Trading Standards officers have targeted licensed premises selling alcohol to people under 18.

Key priorities for the next 12 months will be to focus on reducing burglary, vehicle crime and tackling the causes and level of anti-social behaviour.



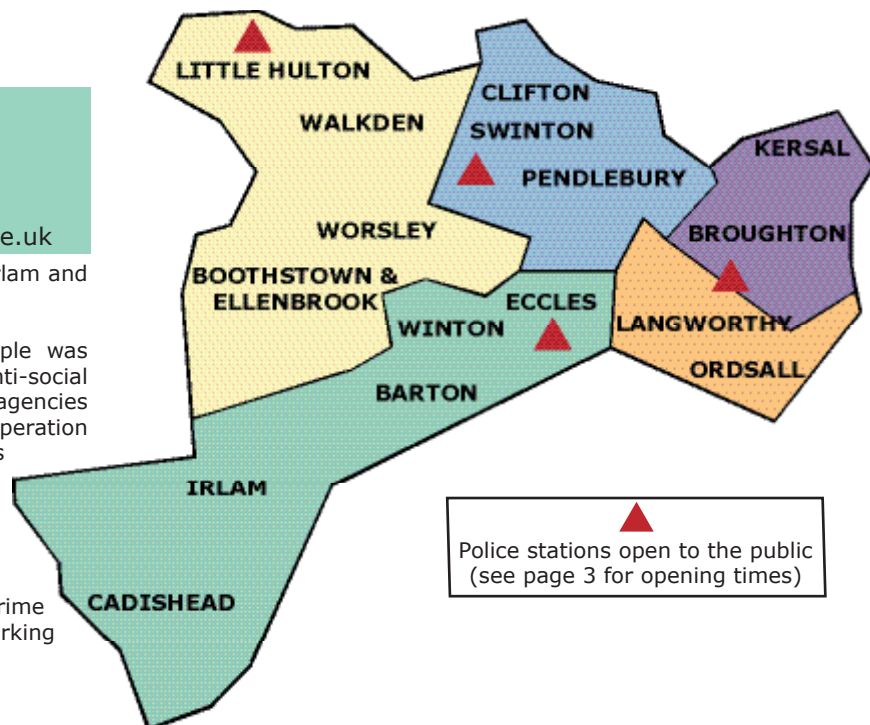
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Salford South policing covers Eccles, Winton, Barton, Irlam and Cadishead.

A dispersal order to separate groups of young people was implemented in Irlam and Cadishead to tackle anti-social behaviour and those involved were referred to partner agencies to help them break the cycle of their behaviour. Operation Mussel in the Monton area involved partners and parents working together to combat this problem. Operation Etna is carried out every weekend in Eccles town centre, focusing on licensed premises to tackle alcohol-fuelled violence and disorder.

We will continue to focus on reducing burglary, violent crime and anti-social behaviour for the next 12 months, working closely with our partners and residents.



Police stations open to the public
(see page 3 for opening times)



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For reporting non-emergencies, your first point of contact should be:
0161 872 5050

▲ **Salford Divisional Headquarters Swinton Police Station**
Chorley Road,
Swinton, M27 6AZ
Opening times: 24 Hours
Station has disabled access

▲ **Park Lane Police Station**
Bury New Road,
Higher Broughton, M7 4HT
Opening times: 10am - 6pm Mon - Sat
Station is closed on bank holidays
Station has disabled access

▲ **Little Hulton Police Station**
382 Manchester Road East,
Little Hulton, M38 9WH
Opening times: 10am - 6pm Mon - Sat
Station is closed on bank holidays
Station has disabled access

▲ **Pendleton Police Station**
Meyrick Road,
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Opening times: 10am - 6pm Mon - Sat
Station is closed on bank holidays
Station has disabled access



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Salford East policing covers Broughton, Kersal and Irwell Riverside.

Officers have worked on a number of operations, leading to the recovery of cannabis farms, stolen vehicles, off-road bikes and arrests for breaches of anti-social behaviour orders. We also continue to address hate crime, particularly against the Jewish Community; a mobile police station is deployed during the Sabbath and we are working closely with the Jewish Community Security Trust.

With the recruitment of more police community support officers, we aim to increase our visibility and strengthen reassurance with local communities.



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Salford Central policing covers Langworthy, Weaste, Ordsall, Seedley and Claremont.

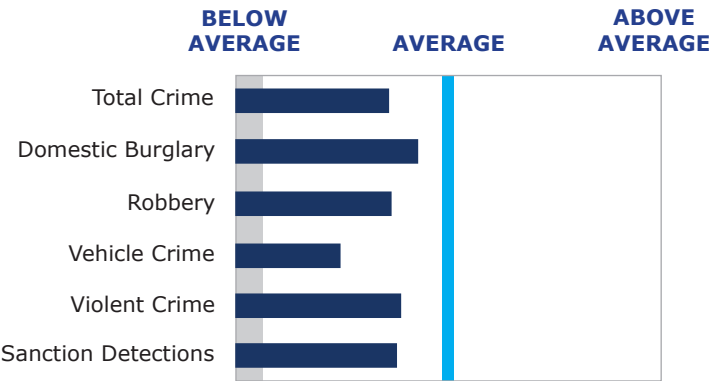
Over the last 12 months we have continued to work with our partners and the public to tackle anti-social behaviour, crime and disorder. This has resulted in two dispersal orders in Langworthy and Ordsall, whilst an increased number of warrants have been executed under the Misuse of Drugs Act resulting in the seizure of controlled drugs. Operations have also been carried out to combat robbery, theft from the person, vehicle crime and violence against the person, with assistance from partner agencies.

Over the next 12 months we will focus on reducing robbery, vehicle crime and violence, working closely with our partners.

OUR PERFORMANCE IN 2006/07

In our divisional policing plan for 2006/07, we made commitments to deliver a number of policing improvements. By successfully working in partnership with others we have:

- **Reduced domestic burglary by 7% (112 fewer crimes)**
- **Reduced robbery by 5% (29 fewer crimes)**
- **Increased the number of sanction detections* for total crime by 22% (998 more detections)**
- **Increased the number of sanction detections* for domestic burglary by 102% (126 more detections)**
- **Increased the number of sanction detections* for violent crime by 32% (618 more detections)**



The graph shows how crime in Salford compares to other similar areas of the country. Policing areas that share characteristics are grouped together to help compare and assess their performance. The vertical blue line represents the average performance in our group of areas. The horizontal bars show how Salford's performance compares to our peers for several key aspects of policing.

**A sanction detection is recorded when an offender is charged, reported for summons, cautioned, reprimanded, receives a final warning, has other offences taken into consideration or receives a penalty notice or street warning.*

FORCE PRIORITIES FOR 2007/08

The Police Authority has set four annual priorities for the Force this year. For details of these priorities and how they are determined see **page 2** of the **Annual Policing Plan**. This shows how our annual priorities take account of the National Policing Priorities set by the government, as well as consultation with the public, Police Authority and other agencies.



ENGAGEMENT AND CONSULTATION

Greater Manchester Police Authority ensures that Greater Manchester Police are efficient, effective and accountable to local people. They have set up a number of schemes for members of the public to assist in this process.

INDEPENDENT ADVISORY GROUPS

Independent Advisory Groups (IAGs) are groups of people who give their time to discuss key policies and procedures, and advise GMPA and GMP on policing issues so they reflect the diverse communities of Greater Manchester. The groups may also be asked to give advice on particular police operations in dealing with critical incidents.

They act as a 'critical friend' to the police by providing independent advice, to ensure that community issues are addressed and liaison and trust with communities is improved.

People who live or work in Greater Manchester can become independent advisors. They should listen, consider, question and challenge in a constructive way. They should express their views, compromise, negotiate as necessary, and take an active interest in issues that affect equality of opportunity and diversity.

There is an IAG in each of the policing areas of Greater Manchester. There are also a number of additional IAGs who advise on issues relating to race, disability and lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender issues.

If you would like an IAG application pack, or would like information on other Police Authority consultation projects, **please visit our website: www.gmpa.gov.uk or tel: 0161 793 3127 or fax: 0161 793 2019 or email: info@gmpa.gov.uk or write to: Greater Manchester Police Authority, Salford Civic Centre, Chorley Road, Swinton, Salford, M27 5DA.**



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Partners IN Salford

The Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership brings together partners from the public, community and private sectors to tackle key issues around reducing crime and disorder in Salford.

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Greater Manchester Police is one of the largest forces in England and Wales, employing 8,000 police officers and over 4,000 police staff in over 700 different roles. Being part of such a large force brings fantastic opportunities and challenges. Working for GMP means being part of an organisation which is dedicated to fighting crime and protecting people.

For more details on recruitment opportunities within GMP visit: **www.gmp-recruitment.co.uk or tel: 0161 856 2333 or write to: GMP Recruitment Unit, Chester House, Boyer Street, Manchester, M16 0RE.**



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