

## **Warden Report July 2021**

As lockdown has eased I have started to resume more usual activities. I have been working closely with officers from two forces regarding various anti-social behaviour issues.

I have also liaised with the enforcement officer at SDC regarding a recent incident of Fly Tipping in Edenbridge.

I also work closely with the Community Safety department at SDC reporting issues such as nuisance motor bikes and other ASB which can be dangerous and alarm the public.

I continue to endeavor to clean off as much graffiti as I can, including painting over some where appropriate. I have also used the bowser with the help of the groundstaff. Graffiti is a persistent problem. Property owners who have been victims of graffiti are slow to report incidents and therefore police resources go elsewhere.

We have resumed litter picking events. The first one was well supported collecting 13 bags from the Leisure Centre, through Stangrove Park, along the bypass and finishing at Waitrose. I have another one planned for Thursday 15 July which will cover the Stangrove Estate and the footpaths which run behind the estate.

A project which started back in the beginning of 2020, prior to lockdown, to facilitate a scheme for retired men to meet, has started again with preliminary talks with a couple of volunteers to help steer this. A poster is being designed to appeal to the target audience to gauge the appetite for such a group and to find a suitable venue.