

Warwick Rural East Newsletter - 05 November 2018

Community Messages

07/11/18 - Defensive Planting - Help make your home more secure

Defensive Planting:

Defensive planting is the term used to describe the way you can use certain prickly plants, bushes and shrubs to deter burglars.

Think about using defensive planting around vulnerable areas such as windows, fences, boundary walls and drainpipes. Everyone enjoys having a well kept, attractive garden and there's no reason why upping the security in your garden should mean otherwise.

A few examples are:

Berberis - a vibrant shrub with vivid red leaves, has sharp spine like prickles, reaches 6ft, good for hedging and growing by walls.

Rosa Rugosa, aka Rubra - a flowering shrub with densely prickled stems, can reach 6ft, excellent as an impenetrable hedge.

Pyracantha - a vigorous evergreen shrub with white flowers in May, followed by orange or red berries, great for hedging, growing under windows or around doorways.

Holly - usually grown as a small tree or large bush, can reach up to 50ft, spiny, glossy dark green leaves all year round, excellent hedging plant.

Hawthorn, Japonica and Acanthus are just a few other examples.

See <https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/Home-security> for further advice.

<https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/article/53640/Defensive-Planting---Help-make-your-home-more-secure>

06/11/18 - Protect your Farm event - Thurs 22 November - Linden Suite, Three Counties Showground WR13 6NW

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Are you a member of the rural business and farming community?

You are invited to a **free** marketplace event, where you will have the opportunity to ask any questions and receive advice from key organisations on a number of issues, including:

- Business & rural crime and property protection
- Wellbeing and farm safety
- Economy and finance

Stallholders include West Mercia Police, the Wellbeing Hub and NatWest Community Bankers.

Ask the experts

Have your chance to ask the experts during our live Q&A session starting at 5:15pm, hosted by former H&W BBC radio presenter, Mike George, with the following members on the panel:

- Chief Superintendent Kevin Purcell, West Mercia Police
- Jake Freestone, Farm Manager, Overbury Farms
- Sam Durham, Chief Land Management Adviser, NFU Mutual
- Dr Frances Howie, Director for Public Health, Worcestershire County Council

- Jack Hegarty, Chief Executive/Managing Director, Malvern Hills and Wychavon District Councils

Please do share this message, this event is available to all members of the rural business and farming community across the West Mercia and Warwickshire areas.

For further details please click on the 'read more' link at the bottom of this message.

The poster with the details can also be downloaded and printed off if you wish - please share.

Thank you.

(This message has been circulated Rural/Business/Horse Watch subscribers)

<https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/article/53607/Protect-your-Farm-event---Thurs-22-November---Linden-Suite-Three-Counties-Showground-WR13-6NW>

05/11/18 - Theft of lfor Williams horse box theft between 1700hrs - 1945hrs 4/11/18

An lfor Williams horse box was stolen from a premises on Little Lawford Lane near to Rugby between 5pm and 7.45pm on the 4th November 2018. Any information please contact Warwickshire Police on 101 quoting incident 365/4/11/18.

<https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/article/53572/Theft-of-lfor-Williams-horse-box-theft-between-1700hrs---1945hrs-41118>

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101 (In an emergency always call 999)

