PROTECTING OUR COMMUNITY FROM CRIME

Rollout of FREE SmartWater® Kits

Belbroughton & Fairfield Parish Council, Fairfield Village Community Association and Wildmoor Residents Association have teamed up with West Mercia Police to make Fairfield, Wildmoor & Stoneybridge a

"We Don't Buy Crime Community"

We will make available to all households a SmartWater® kit to protect their homes.

SmartWater® is an easy-to-apply liquid that enables the Police to trace valuables back to the owner.   The pack includes warning stickers for display.

Two "drop-in sessions" are being held at the village hall for collection of kits:

Wednesday 19th September 7pm – 9pm   Village Hall   *(Barton Room –*
                                                                                                enter by the rear side door)

Saturday 22nd September 10am – 2pm   Village Hall   *(main hall)*

If you are unable to collect your kit on the above dates, please contact:

email **fvcommunityassociation@outlook.com** or tel. **01527 833583**

Kits cannot be collected by people not residing at the address that the kit has been allocated to.   If you already have SmartWater® please do collect a second kit.

The Parish Council obtained grant assistance from the Police Commissioner as well as balance funding the cost of the packs to provide them FEEE OF CHARGE to all residents.

Our aim is to ensure that every household in Fairfield, Wildmoor & Stoneybridge is equipped with a SmartWater® pack.

There will also be signage installed in the village to send a clear message to criminals that our community is united and determined to protect our valuables against acquisitive crime.

In addition to SmartWater® and the signage, a reminder that we need vigilance to deter criminals from visiting our community, if you are suspicious that a crime is being committed in our area please help your community and contact West Mercia Police to report it. In an emergency use 999. However, for less urgent matters for example; if your car has been stolen, if your property has been damaged, if you suspect drug use or dealing; or to give the police information about crime in your area please ring 101.