



## Newton Park Crime Prevention Forum

NEWTON PARK GLENHURD ADCOCKVALE EXTENSION

# CPF Community News

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WELCOME to our first newsletter. The news will be topical, keeping you informed of any warnings and criminal activity in your area and sharing positive stories. The Newton Park Crime Prevention Forum was established in 2006 and covers the whole of Newton Park, Glenhurst and Adcockvale Extension. The reduction in crime in these areas is evidence enough of its success and how crime forums can assist the police in their fight against crime. Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of every month at 19h00 in the Newton Park Methodist Church hall, cnr 3rd Avenue & Newton Street.

Monty Brown from the Adcockvale Extension's neighbourhood watch has been instrumental in helping the SAPS reduce the high incidences of crime in that area. As crime in the business sector (northern side) is a major concern, we would urge business owners/managers to join the CPF and find out more about crime prevention. **Being apathetic will not solve the problem.**

**'FIGHT THE FIGHT AGAINST CRIME' -  
REPORT ANY SUSPICIOUS BEHAVIOUR**

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### COMMUNITY SAFETY AWARENESS DAY

Last month a community event was held to promote our forum and to build a better relationship between the community and the SAPS. The weather was perfect and there was a vibey atmosphere. Young and old thoroughly enjoyed seeing the SAPS in action, especially the dog unit and flying squad, pepper spray and self-defence demonstrations. The horse battalion, fire department and the security companies also proved popular. The Mowbray Street Dutch Reformed Church provided refreshments. There was plenty of entertainment for the little ones. A BIG thank you to the SAPS and all our sponsors for making this event possible.



TAKEN AT THE COMMUNITY EVENT

*Top: Dog from the Unit with his handler*

*Left: Horse battalion with fire engine in the background*

*Bottom: Flying squad demonstrating a highjacking*

### SAFETY TIPS

It has been reported that motor vehicle theft and theft out of motor vehicles are on the increase. Be extra security conscious— don't leave valuables in your car and don't leave your car out on the verge at night.

As soon as you get into your car lock all the doors before you start the engine and ladies please keep your handbags out of sight.

### HAVE YOUR SAY

We would like to hear from you.  
Send us your suggestions or crime related stories.



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