

POLICING EASTLEIGH

PARTNERSHIP UPDATE



March 2024

Foreword from Eastleigh District Commander, Chief Inspector Matt Paling



Welcome to the March 2024 edition of the Policing the New Forest partnership newsletter.

This month, I want to introduce you to Let's Talk - our new community survey initiative that aims to understand the needs of our local communities and enables you to share any concerns with our officers via a short survey...

We want to know what it's like to live in your area - what the issues you face are and how can we work with others to make our communities safer and stronger.

As part of our commitment to make our district safe for everyone, we want to be sure that we're tackling the things that matter most to those we're keeping safe. You know your local area better than anyone.

(Below, PC Batt and PCSO Tor at the Velmore Centre)

Our neighbourhood officers are fully aware of the impact local problems can cause. They are committed to listening to your concerns and to addressing the issues that will make a difference to your daily lives.



As such, we'll be knocking on doors in local communities to speak with local residents. We'll also be sharing the link to the survey online, with our aim being to hear the views of as many households as possible from across our district.

The information we gather from your participation in Let's Talk will help us improve the area where you live, identify vulnerabilities and help others.

This is also an opportunity for you to make a difference in your own communities. By actively letting us know what your concerns are, we and our partners can actively help you to make a change where you live.

At the touch of a button, our officers can use the information collected through the survey to



pinpoint exactly what and where the issues are – whether that be a street, a school, a shop, or a park – and address those issues along with the council and our other partner agencies.

For much more on Let's Talk, please follow this link - [Let's Talk](#)

To complete the survey, please follow this link - [Let's Talk Survey](#)

(Above, PCSO Chilcott at Boorley Green Community Centre)

As always, we thank you for your cooperation and understanding as we deal with a wide variety of issues.

If you see anything suspicious or witness a crime, please report this to us by calling 101. If it is an emergency, dial 999 immediately.

A quick reminder that our [Eastleigh Police](#) and [Hedge End](#) Facebook pages are a great way to follow the team and the work they are doing to tackle crime in the local area in order to keep our communities safe.

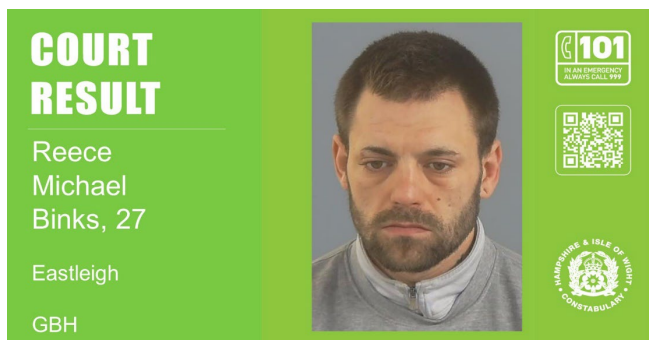
You can also respond to our posts on our pages, ask questions and engage with teams. We will always do our best to reply to you on there, albeit this won't always be instant.

(Below, PC Simon Peacock at The Mercury Library & Community Hub)



**Eastleigh District Commander
Chief Inspector Matt Paling**

Investigation update...



COURT RESULT

Reece Michael Binks, 27

Eastleigh

GBH

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CONSTABULARY

Man, 27, jailed for breaking man's jaw in unprovoked Eastleigh attack

A 27-year-old man from Eastleigh has been jailed for 24 months for breaking another man's jaw during an incident in September 2022.

Reece Michael Binks, of no fixed abode, who had pleaded guilty to Section.20 GBH, was sentenced at Southampton Crown Court today (Friday 1 March).

It follows an incident on the afternoon of Friday 23 September 2022, during which Binks punched a stranger on High Street, Eastleigh.

The victim, aged in his 60s, had just been catching up with a friend when he was set upon by Binks, who hit him in the face.

During sentencing, the judge told Binks, "I have watched the CCTV of the incident. You walk away, strutting, behaving like an arrogant thug.

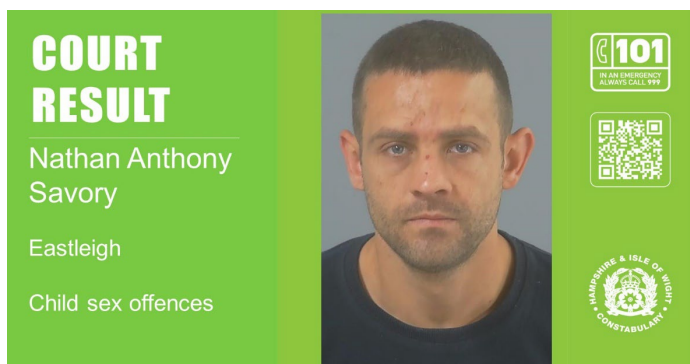
"It was an extremely unpleasant offence and you decided to act like that. You like violence and showing off."

As well as the 24 months he will now spend behind bars, Binks must also serve three months concurrent for failing to appear at court, having twice gone on the run from police, eventually being located in South Yorkshire and Nottinghamshire.

Binks will also now be subject to a five-year restraining order, preventing him from having any contact with the victim in this case.

More below...

[Man, 27, jailed for breaking man's jaw in unprovoked Eastleigh attack | Hampshire and Isle of Wight Constabulary](#)



COURT RESULT

Nathan Anthony Savory

Eastleigh

Child sex offences

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Man, 35, jailed for seven years for child sex offences in Eastleigh

A 35-year-old man from Eastleigh has been jailed for seven years for historic child sex offences.

Nathan Anthony Savory, of Chamberlayne Road, was sentenced at Southampton Crown Court on Friday 16 February, having been found guilty on four counts on Friday 8 December 2023.

As well as the time he will now spend behind bars – seven years for one count and 54 months concurrent for the other three - Savory will also be subject to a restraining order and Sexual Harm Prevention Order.

The offences, for which he has now been imprisoned, took place in Eastleigh between Wednesday 16 March 2011 and Saturday 16 March 2013.

At the time of the first incident, the victim was just 13 years of age.

Savory's crimes came to light when the victim, then 23, reported the incidents to police in 2021.

She had wanted to report the offences many years earlier, but Savory had made threats towards her.

Police Staff Investigator, Keely Osborne, said: "The victim in this case has shown amazing courage, not least in reading out her own statement, with no screens and a very full courtroom.

"She said she wanted to stand up and speak for her 14-year-old self and that is exactly what she has done."

More below...

[Man, 35, jailed for seven years for child sex offences in Eastleigh | Hampshire and Isle of Wight Constabulary](#)



Man, 29, arrested on suspicion of possession with intent to supply a Class B drug in Eastleigh

Officers arrested two men in Grantham Road, Eastleigh on the morning of Monday 4 March.

A 29-year-old man from Eastleigh was arrested on suspicion of possession with intent to supply a controlled drug of Class B.

A 34-year-old man from Eastleigh was arrested on suspicion of intentional strangulation and obstruct/resist a constable in execution of duty.

Social Media update from our two Facebook accounts...



Do you have 2 hours spare a month and are passionate about community safety? If you do then your Community Speedwatch Team needs you.
[Read more here](#)



Illegal and anti-social use of motorcycles in the Hamble and Bursledon area. The Hedge End South team are receiving reports of persons using trials or dirt bikes in an area between Hamble Lane and Hungerford.
[Read more here](#)



BOOKING ON: Good afternoon. 😊 How are you all? Hope you're all well. It's the Hedge End South team here, just booking on for the late shift.
[Read more here](#)



Special Inspector Carrington was patrolling areas that are known for antisocial vehicle use in Hedge End when he came across a driver that thought the Flanders Industrial estate could be used as an area to drive antisocially, dangerously doing doughnuts.
[Read more here](#)



KEEP BURGLARS OUT: We just wanted to take a moment to share some crime prevention advice around burglaries. The below steps are worth a quick read and will hopefully help to keep your home secure and keep potential burglars out. [Read more here](#)



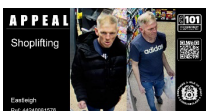
JOIN THE IAG: Independent Advisory Groups (IAGs) are voluntary groups made up of members of the public that are independent from the police.
[Read more here](#)



OUT & ABOUT: This comment was from a little while ago now, but we've just stumbled upon it while working through some of the many, many comments we get on our posts.
[Read more here](#)



SEXTORTION: Throughout 2022 and 2023, in the UK and internationally, there has been an increase in reporting of 'Financially Motivated Sexual Extortion' – often referred to as 'sextortion'.
[Read more here](#)



Do you recognise this man? Officers investigating two shoplifting incidents in Eastleigh would like to speak to him in connection with their enquiries.
[Read more here](#)

Our Priorities

- Tackling youth-on-youth violence across the district
- Targeting those who are committing burglaries and theft from motor vehicles
- Dealing with those causing anti-social behaviour and preventing further incidents of ASB



Please feel free to contact your local inspector with any query you may have, or go direct to District Commander, Chief Inspector Matt Paling via matt.paling@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

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Want to stay informed? Register for Hampshire Alerts

As a local resident, you can play a key role in helping us to prevent and detect crime and anti-social behaviour.

Improving the flow of information between the local community and the police is vital to achieving our aim to work together to deter criminals.

By signing up to Hampshire Alerts, you will receive timely updates covering crime prevention advice, crime alerts and witness appeals for incidents in the local community. It is your way of being kept informed of what we're doing in the community, allowing us to keep the communities of Eastleigh and Hedge End safe.

[Click here to sign-up to receive regular Hampshire Alerts](#)

[Neighbourhood Policing Team - Hampshire Alert](#)

Keep in touch with us on social media

If you want to know what our officers are doing in the district to reduce criminal activity in our local community, why not follow us on social media?

Join us on Facebook [@EastleighPolice](#) / [@HedgeEndPolice](#)