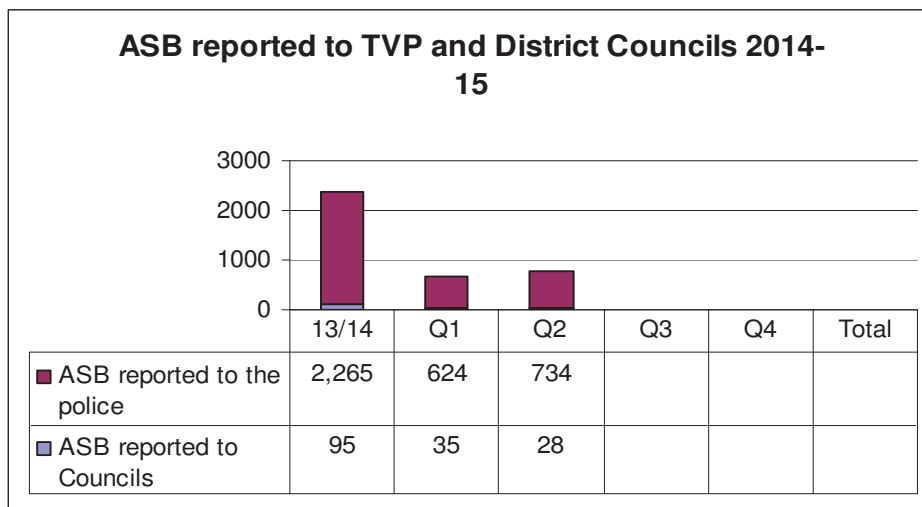


South and Vale Community Safety Partnership quarter two performance report 2014/15

DIRECTION OF TRAVEL INDICATORS

Reducing anti social behaviour



Levels of criminal damage reported to the police					
1 April – 30 September	Finally Recorded				Crimes per 1,000 population household
Criminal damage	2012	2013	2014	% change	2014/15
South	389	427	340	-20.4%	2.51
Vale	358	357	360	0.8%	2.93
South & Vale	747	784	700	-10.7%	2.71
Thames Valley	9384	8569	7952	-7.2%	3.46

Tackling local priority crime

Levels of burglary (dwelling and non-dwelling) reported to the police					
1 April – 30 September	Finally Recorded				Crimes per 1,000 population household
Domestic Burglary	2012	2013	2014	% change	2014/15
South	122	88	56	-36.4%	1.04
Vale	65	54	39	-27.8%	0.79
South & Vale	187	142	95	-33.1%	0.92
Thames Valley	3271	2646	2107	-20.4%	2.34

Burglar non dwelling	2012	2013	2014	% change	2014/15
South	260	274	205	-25.2%	1.51
Vale	140	176	157	-10.8%	1.28
South & Vale	400	450	362	-19.6%	1.40
Thames Valley	4580	4461	3379	-24.3%	1.47

Reducing domestic abuse and child sexual exploitation (CSE)

Level of domestic abuse reported to the police					
1 April – 30 September	Finally Recorded				Crimes per 1,000 population household
Recorded domestic abuse incidents - *domestic qualifier only	2012	2013	2014	% change	2014/15
South	199	195	173	-11%	1.28
Vale	161	192	148	-23%	1.21
South & Vale	360	387	321	-17%	1.24
Thames Valley	5148	5284	5248	-1%	2.29
Non- recordable domestic abuse - domestic qualifier only	2012	2013	2014	% change	2014/15
South	587	665	425	-36%	3.14
Vale	559	667	444	-33%	3.62
South & Vale	1146	1332	869	-35%	3.36
Thames Valley	14805	15776	17139	9%	7.47

*Domestic qualifier - Those incidents where the domestic flag has been set to 'Y'.

Level of domestic abuse reported to the police					
1 April – 30 September	Finally Recorded				Crimes per 1,000 population household
Recorded domestic abuse incidents - *national definition	2012	2013	2014	% change	2014/15
South	189	181	123	-32%	0.91
Vale	149	179	104	-42%	0.85
South & Vale	338	360	227	-37%	0.88
Thames Valley	4884	4949	3986	-19%	1.74
Non- recordable domestic abuse - national definition	2012	2013	2014	% change	2014/15
South	532	593	284	-52%	2.10
Vale	509	609	306	-50%	2.49
South & Vale	1041	1202	590	-51%	2.28
Thames Valley	13428	14182	7032	-50%	3.06

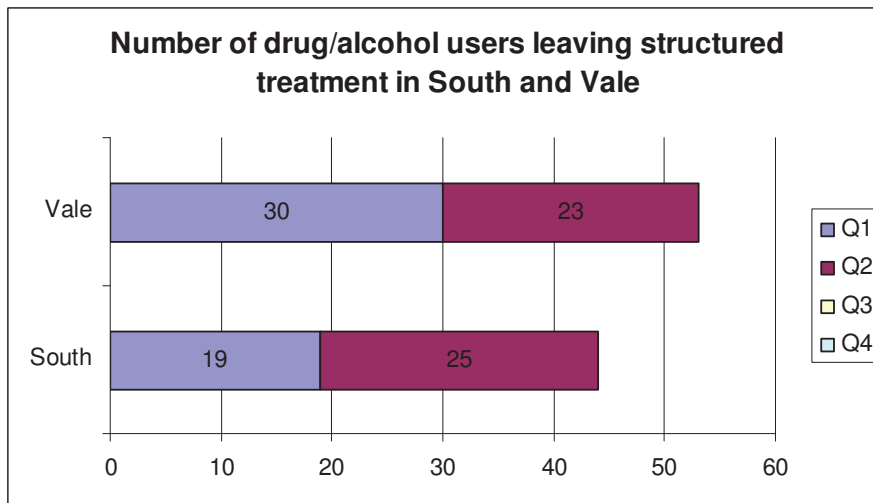
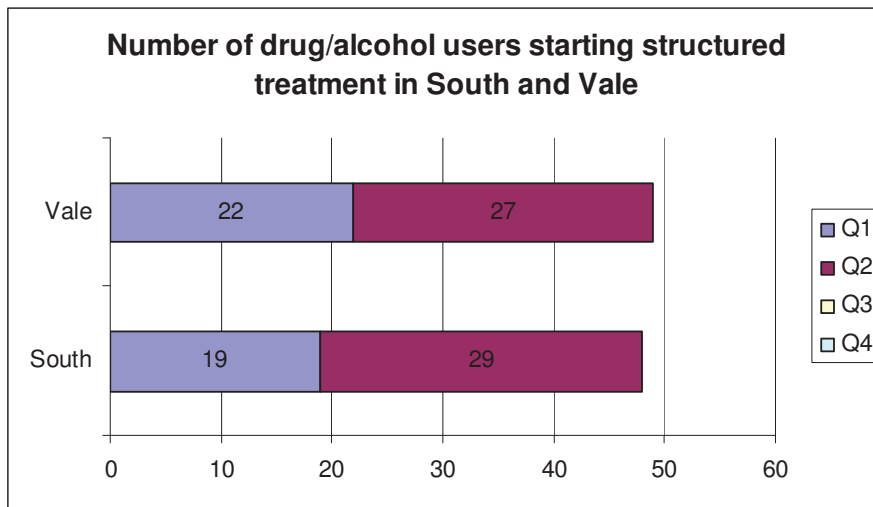
*National Definition – Those incidents that meet the national definition for domestics, so where there is a valid relationship between the victim and the offender and where they are both aged 16 and over.

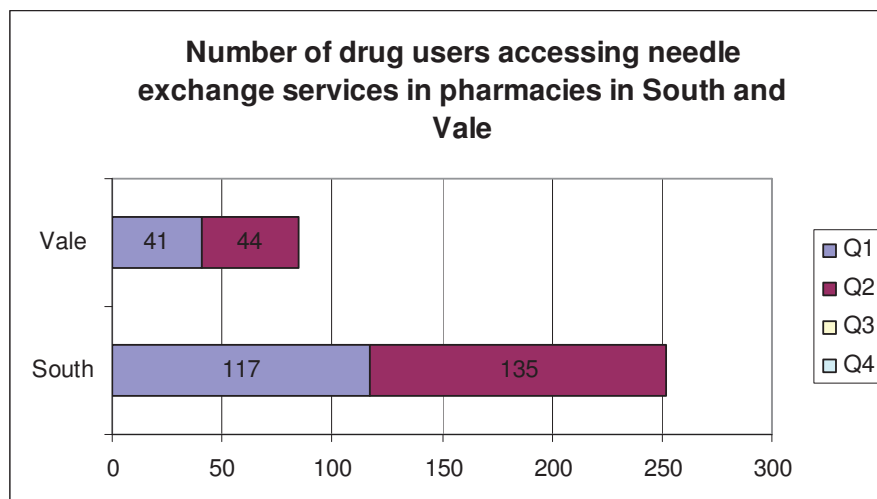
High risk domestic abuse cases referred to IDVA by South and Vale helpline service	2013/14		2014/15				
	Total		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Referrals	Not previously collated		0	6			

To communicate and engage with the public in order to cut crime and the fear of crime and build trust and confidence with our communities

Public perception of the fear of crime (measured by residents survey)		
	2012	2014
South	No data collected.	Safe in day – 99% Safe after dark – 84%
Vale	Safe in day – 96% Safe after dark – 93%	Safe in day – 99% Safe after dark – 90%

Tackling drugs and alcohol





CSP OBJECTIVE - TO CUT CRIMES THAT ARE OF MOST CONCERN TO THE PUBLIC AND TO PROTECT THE MOST VULNERABLE MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITIES

Reducing anti social behaviour

Action: Support and deliver diversionary activities for young people in hot spot areas (Lead agency = CSP team)

- NOMAD Out and About – providing support to disadvantaged young people and families in Henley and surrounding district. CSP funding provided for outreach work with young people who are known to be involved or at risk of involvement in anti-social behaviour. Project running for 12 months from November 2013, report due in Q3.
- DAMASCUS South Abingdon aim to build sustainable community cohesion in South Abingdon by supporting communities to connect with disengaged young people. These sessions will be street based and will include workshops focusing on bullying, sexual health, protective behaviours and drugs and alcohol for young people. They will also support a small community action team consisting of volunteers (adults) and young people to run community events. Project running for 7 months from 1 August 2014 to 31 March 2015 – report attached.
- DIDCOT Train deliver detached schools work at Didcot Girls School and St Birinus School. TRAIN provide practical and emotional support to at risk groups within schools and provide individual support through one to one sessions on safe sexual health, substance misuse and risky behaviours. Project running for 12 months from 1 April 2014, report due in Q3.

Action: Help to reduce ASB by monitoring the top ten repeat victims and top ten medium and high risk ASB cases through JATAC (Lead agency = TVP)

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Average time taken to close top ten ASB repeat cases	<i>No cases closed as data could not be collated from TVP computer system</i>			
Average time taken to close top ten ASB medium/high risk cases				

In light of the new ASB legislation that came into force in October we are proposing to amend this action to monitor the outcomes relating to the Community Trigger requests received by the CSP.

Tackling local priority crime

REDUCING DOMESTIC BURGLARIES AND VIOLENCE

Action: Help vulnerable victims of domestic burglary in hot spot areas by running projects to design out crime (Lead agency = CSP team/CRA)

Project	Summary of work	Update	Residents satisfaction	No of domestic burglaries in relevant hot spot areas	
				Pre	Post
Henley gating Project (funding approved by CSP - £4,000)	Installation of alley gates to restrict access to the back of residential properties in order to prevent repeat burglaries	Gates installed 10 October 2014	Will be available in Quarter 3.		

Action: Support the development of Neighbourhood Watch Schemes (Lead agency = TVP/Soha/Sovereign Vale)

The crime reduction/communications work that the LPA conducts is part of the wider strategy which is partly the responsibility of the Headquarters Communications Team. The data for this performance indicator is a small part of the work carried out by staff locally and at HQ. It is not felt that this information, in isolation, informs the CSP of the true nature of the work carried out.

Number of new neighbourhood watch (NHW) schemes and 'days of action' (non rural)						
	2013/14	2014/15				
	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Number of new NHW schemes	n/a	4	Data not available			
Number of days of action	n/a	3				

Action: Continue to support crime reduction initiatives by funding a Crime Reduction Advisor (Lead agency = CRA)

Outcomes of specific CRA led <i>non rural</i> initiatives			
Project	Funding	Update	
Smartwater project	(funding approved by CSP - £1,790)	<p>8 of 10 roads in Henley Town Centre have been smartwatered. Soha have purchased kits for their most vulnerable residents. Approximately 80 houses have taken up the offer in Whitchurch on Thames, this is ongoing with the Parish Council helping to push the initiative, so that they achieve 80% for the whole village.</p> <p>Faringdon now have a second smart water village with Hinton Waldrist joining Littleworth. A day of action took place in Sparsholt and Westcot, 15 smart water kits were sold and 23 people were signed up to Thames Valley Alert. Westcot is expected to become an official smart water village soon.</p>	

Number of surveys completed (non rural)						
Surveys	2013/14	2014/15				Total
	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	
Total number of surveys	176	21	Data no longer available due to CRA moving to new role			
Referrals to Mears	84	7				
Referrals to other RSLs	39	10				

PROMOTING A SAFER NIGHT TIME ECONOMY

Actions:

- Investigate introducing the purple flag scheme in South and Vale through Nightsafe (Lead agency = CSP team) – decision taken by Nightsafe not to pursue this scheme due to high costs and time intensive.
- Explore running a Community Alcohol Project in the Vale through Nightsafe (Lead agency = CSP team)
- Continue promoting Nightsafe and working with licensed premises in our market towns to reduce alcohol related crime and disorder (Lead agency = district council licensing)
- Support local street pastor schemes and run a South and Vale networking event (Lead agency = CSP team)

Project	Summary	Update	Outcomes
Accreditation scheme	<p>Purple Flag accreditation scheme</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For town and city centres “after dark” recognising excellence in the management of town and city centres at night. <p>Best Bar None national award scheme</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supported by the Home Office and aimed at promoting responsible management and operation of alcohol licensed premises. 	<p>Due to the cost of accreditation schemes (approx £5 -10k) Nightsafe are considering an in house version.</p> <p>In house versions have been sought from Milton Keynes and Newbury for consideration by members with a view to extending the Nightsafe charter.</p>	<p>Nightsafe have agreed not to pursue the purple flag accreditation scheme.</p>
Community Alcohol Project	<p>Bring together local retailers, trading standards, police, health, education and other local stakeholders to tackle the problem of underage drinking and associated anti-social behaviour</p>	<p>CSP approval to pilot in Wantage and Grove</p> <p>Consultation planned prior to launch. The Sports for Streets Initiative will consult with young people. Bid to be discussed in the budget meeting.</p> <p>Launch of CAP expected February 2015</p>	<p>Two meetings held; good representation from multi agencies.</p>
Nightsafe	<p>Nightsafe is a multi-agency programme of communication, education and partnership working to reduce late night violence and associated crime and disorder</p>	<p>Annual action plan approved and reviewed quarterly to ensure actions are on track</p> <p>Information exchanged and opportunities identified for partnership working to deliver projects more effectively.</p>	<p>Presentation provided to the group by BBN.</p> <p>Alcohol Awareness Week 17 – 21 November – Fake ID test purchase operation being considered.</p>
Street pastors	<p>Support local street pastor schemes</p>	<p>£1000 grant approved for Abingdon Street Pastors</p>	<p>Case study: “A young man came us to us asking for Phil (one of the street pastors) who he has had conversations with over the past three years. He wanted to share his news of his new job as he knew Phil would be proud of him”.</p>

Tackling rural crime

Action: Look to secure funding for further ANPR cameras across the districts (Lead agency = TVP)

	Update	Amount secured
Quarter 1	The South and Vale LPA did some extensive research in connection with where ANPR cameras could be situated. The Comprehensive Spending Review meant that TVP needed to consider many aspects of its expenditure and even with the possibility of match funding it was not a viable prospect to be able provide ANPR cameras across the force area when the cost of each camera (including installation) can cost up to £20,000. There may be some limited funding for cameras in the future but this will be on a greatly reduced scale and will be completely dependent on match funding.	n/a
Quarter 2	A capital amount for the provision of ANPR has been allocated by Thames Valley Police with the caveat that any bids should be match funded by local authority partners. A review of our ANPR capability is taking place and information will be submitted to the CSP in due course.	n/a

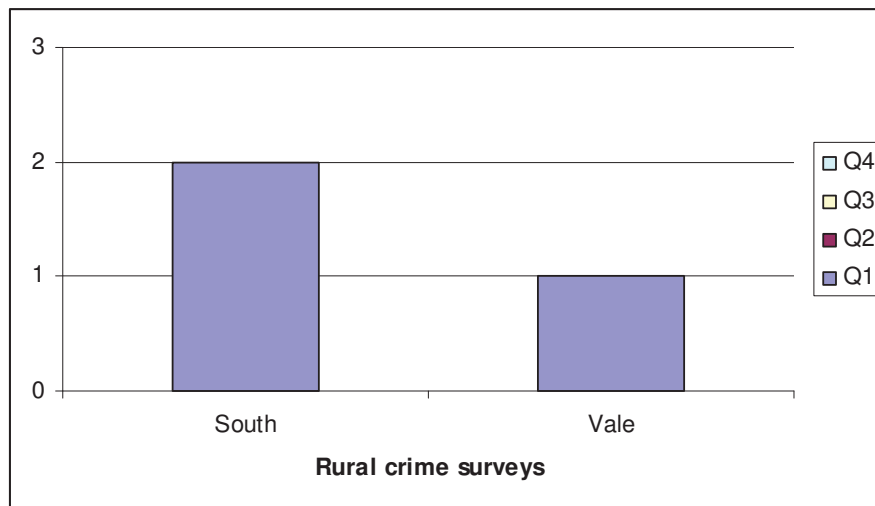
Action: Support the development of Countrywatch Schemes (Lead agency = TVP)

Number of new members signed up to Countryside Watch						
	2013/14	2014/15				
	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Number of new members	n/a	73 (from 2479 to 2552)	Refer to NHW action above (Page 13)			

Action: Continue to support rural crime reduction initiatives by funding a Crime Reduction Advisor (Lead agency = CRA)

Outcomes of specific CRA led rural initiatives		
Project	Funding	Update
CREMARKING- overt property marking	TVP	A Cremarking day was carried out in Henley where various premises were visited, property marked, people signed up to TVP alerts and Countrywatch Signs handed out. A second such day is planned for the 27/10/14. Cremarking kits have been distributed to farmers in Thame and Wallingford.
Guardcam and memocam project	CSP/TVP	Footage was captured by a memocam at a repeat victims address which put together with a sighting resulted in the arrest and charge of a prolific rural crime offender.
Rural mapping document	TVP	A rural mapping document has been created to enable easier access to landowner and gamekeeper details for each area. The document is an interactive map on a Powerpoint presentation making it easier to look for the stakeholders in a given area.

Outcomes of specific CRA led rural initiatives		
Project	Funding	Update
Hare Coursing trigger document	TVP	A hare coursing trigger plan document has been created in Wantage. This is an interactive document making it easier to direct resources to key points at our areas most affected by hare coursing.
Rural Crime conference	TVP	NHT teams invited rural community stakeholders to the annual rural crime conference which was held in Wantage on 20 October.



Rural crime surveys - Data no longer available due to CRA moving to new role

Reducing domestic abuse and child sexual exploitation (CSE)

Action: Contribute to the OSCP work to develop effective and co-ordinated domestic abuse services across Oxfordshire and the Thames Valley, ensuring that residents in South and Vale are fairly represented (Lead agency = district council/OCC)

- Update will be provided in either a written or verbal format (Liz Hayden)

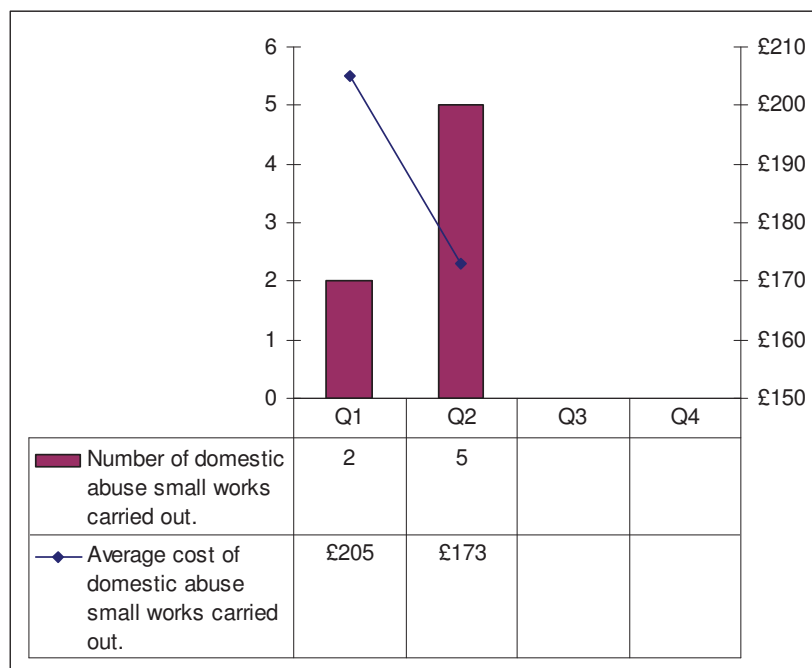
Action: Fund and promote a dedicated domestic abuse outreach service in South and Vale (Lead agency = CSP team)

Outreach cases	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15				Total
	Total	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	
South new clients	17	31	6	5			
Vale new clients	21	18	3	5			
Total new clients	38	49	9	10			
No of referrals to IDVA			0	0			
South cases closed	20	27	6	2			
Vale cases closed	13	15	5	5			
Total cases closed	33	42	11	7			
Average waiting time***	19 Days	29 Days	40 Days	75 Days			

Service user feedback				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
No. surveys	4	1		

completed				
% satisfied	100	100		

Action: Fund small works sanctuary scheme to support victims and children affected by domestic abuse (Lead agency = CSP team/CRA)



Action: Set up task and finish groups in hot spot areas to deliver local solutions to support vulnerable young people (Lead agency = CSP team)

Project	Funding	Update	Outcomes
Child Sexual Exploitation 'Risky Behaviour' Intervention	£7.5k ring fenced in CSP budget	Inspired Young Peoples Project is the service provider for this initiative. They are delivering workshops for young people in King Alfred's School and Faringdon Community College. In addition, ten to 12 young people identified by the schools will be taking part in a multi-agency workshop at Rewley Road Fire Station on 17 and 21 November.	To be provided at the end of project.

Action: Support the work of the police schools liaison officer to promote protective behaviours amongst young people (Lead agency = TVP)

Number of young people attending Life Matters event	Feedback from event
Will be available in Quarter 4	

Action: Explore opportunities for CSP funded projects to help address risky behaviours and promote positive attitudes amongst young people regarding relationships (Lead agency = CSP team)

The number of SLAs including the requirement:

Quarter 1:

- Didcot Train
- A2Dominion

Quarter 2:

- NOMAD
- Abingdon DAMASCUS
- Inspired Young Peoples Project

Action: Understand how the CSP can best support the Oxfordshire perpetrators programme to help prevent domestic abuse (Lead agency = CSP team)

Liz Jones to give a presentation at CSP meeting on 30 October 2014.

CSP OBJECTIVE - TO PROTECT THE VISIBLE PRESENCE OF THE POLICE AND PARTNERS TO CUT CRIME AND THE FEAR OF CRIME AND TO REASSURE COMMUNITIES

Supporting the South and Vale multi agency ASB team

	Update
Action: Raise awareness amongst partner agencies of new ASB legislation via CSP/JATAC (Lead agency = CSP team/TVP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASB Co-ordinator introduced the ASB legislation at the August JATAC meeting. • Meeting held with key partners to discuss who will lead on each of the tools and how information will be shared.
Action: Agree processes for implementing partnership aspects of new ASB legislation (Lead agency = CSP team/TVP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community trigger process and protocol was approved at July CSP meeting and at August JATAC. • Agreed that members will share usage of ASB tools at the JATAC meetings starting in November.
Action: Inform residents and other interested parties about the new ASB legislation (Lead agency = CSP team/TVP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The CSP team and the District Councils communications team arranged a multi agency workshop to identify a shared communications strategy around the community trigger. • Press release issued on 20 October, flyers and posters circulated to leads. Reporting web page is now live.

CSP OBJECTIVE - TO COMMUNICATE AND ENGAGE WITH THE PUBLIC IN ORDER TO CUT CRIME AND THE FEAR OF CRIME AND BUILD TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH OUR COMMUNITIES

Action: Bring together communication lead officers from all partner agencies to share community safety related communication plans and identify common community safety messages/campaigns for South and Vale (Lead agency = CSP team)

	Joint community safety publicity campaigns run	Outcomes
Q2	<p>The CSP team and the District Councils communications team held a multi agency workshop to identify a shared communications strategy around the community trigger. At this event, we had planned to also discuss additional joint community safety campaigns. However, not all agencies were able to attend so the community safety team leader will contact the agency communication leads to seek input via email.</p> <p>Hare coursing campaign</p>	<p>n/a</p> <p>TVP ran a campaign via community alerts to raise awareness about the impact of hare coursing and how to report it. The district councils included an article in their newsletter to staff, councillors and town and parish councils.</p>

Action: Give hard to reach groups a voice by:

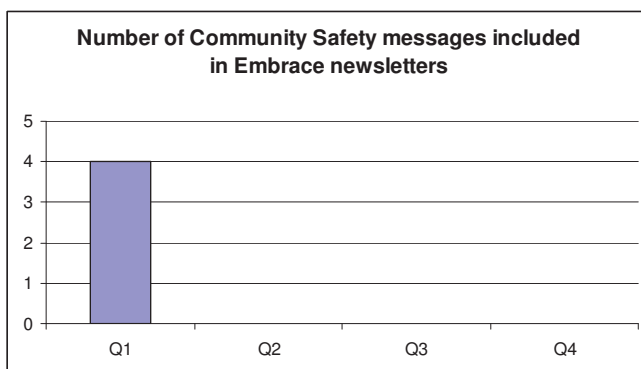
a) helping to develop the membership of the police Independent Advisory Group (Lead agency = TVP)

The IAG has taken on the form of a virtual group and specific issues are discussed as and when the need arises. However attempts are being made to try to bring the members together in order that its raison d’être can be re-established and future progress ensured.

b) engaging with Neighbourhood Action Groups through quarterly meetings (Lead agency = TVP/CSP team)

NAG chairs meeting hosted by TVP on 16 October and attended by CSP representative.

c) promoting community safety initiatives through the Embrace newsletter (Lead agency = CSP team/district councils)



Due to staff sickness absence, the Embrace newsletter was not issued in quarter two and is currently on hold.

CSP OBJECTIVE - WORK WITH CRIMINAL JUSTICE PARTNERS TO REDUCE CRIME AND SUPPORT VICTIMS AND WITNESSES

Integrated Offender Management

Action: Support and develop projects that utilise the services of the Thames Valley Probation Community Payback Scheme in South and Vale (Lead agency = Probation/CSP team)

	Community payback project	Outcomes
Q1	Initial projects for Henley explored (tidy up of waste and overgrown shrubbery in Greys Road and Henley Hockey Club).	Greys Road passed to Henley Town Council as they have a contract with Thames Valley Probation. The land near Henley Hockey Club belongs to Tesco's and the Probation team will not carry out work on their land.
Q2	Cumnor – cutting back overgrown shrubbery on footpaths Projects in Shrivenham explored (litter picking and removal of overgrown pathways on Wilts and Berks Canal)	Completed. Positive feedback received from Parish.

Action: Inform the CSP of the outcomes of the Probation reorganisation and identify opportunities for joint working (Lead agency = Probation)

Report will be provided in either a written or verbal format (Greg Yard)

Support for victims and witnesses

Action: Fund small repairs to enable vulnerable people to feel and stay safe in their own homes (Lead agency = CSP team)

Properties secured	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15				
	Total	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Total number of properties secured	107	113	25	10			
Number domestic abuse repairs	15	35	2	5			
Number customer surveys completed	Not collated		0	0			
% satisfied with service			0	0			

Action: Support victims of and witnesses to hate crime in South and Vale by promoting the different reporting options available (Lead agency = CSP team)

Number of Hate Crime reports to SHUK by strand	2014/15				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Disability	0	Currently liaising with Stop Hate UK to			
Gender Identity					
Race					
Religion					

		obtain this data.				
Sexual Orientation						
Number of Hate Crime reports to SHUK by location	2013/14	2014/15				
	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
South	6	0	Currently liaising with Stop Hate UK to obtain this data			
Vale	7	0				

Tackling drugs and alcohol

Action: Support the delivery of the countywide alcohol and drug strategy to help ensure that drug and alcohol prevention and treatment services are accessible to people who live and work in South and Vale (Lead agency = Public Health)

Quarter	Update on the delivery of the alcohol and drug strategy in South and Vale
1	This work is ongoing and there will be a workshop for stakeholders on the 23 September to comment on vision and priorities of the new strategy (currently being drafted). The workshop will also aim to develop a draft action plan and establish working groups around different themes.
2	CSP represented at the stakeholder workshop. Outcomes of workshop and final strategy to be circulated by Public Health. NOMAD funded by the CSP are supporting and working with young people and their families in Henley providing information/education around the impact and risks of substance misuse. NOMAD will provide diversionary programmes to encourage positive life choices and workshops for targeted group work. They will also develop a family support group. Project running from September 2014 for 12 months.

To protect the public from harm arising from serious organised crime

Action: Support a multi-agency approach to tackling serious organised crime (Lead agency = TVP)

Disruptions re. groups being investigated			
Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Henley - arrests	South and Vale currently have just one organised crime group. OP Stirling is focussed on Redbridge hollow. Multi-agency disruption is ongoing and having some real success.		
Wantage - arrests			
Redbridge - work progressing but no arrests as yet			