



# Dursley Neighbourhood Policing Team

## Farewell from PCSO Joshua Griffiths

As some of you might have heard that Thursday 17th August 2017 will be my last day working out of Dursley Police Station as I will be moving to continue my role within the Forest of Dean. I have worked out Dursley Station for the last 9 years and unfortunately I have had to make the decision to move Stations due to personal reasons. I have thoroughly enjoyed my time working for the Dursley Community and during that time I am very impressed in the commitment and respect you all have as residents for the area that you live. I think it is fantastic that Dursley still has a community spirit which I hope continues throughout the years.

Over the last few years within the Dursley Community we have seen a drive in local residents wanting to make their streets and their town feel safer. Within the current economic climate this is more important than ever and I wish this to continue even when I am no longer here. Since joining the police at 18 a certain phrase has always stuck with me during my career: 'The Police are the public and the public are the police'. This is something that I have always worked towards because it was obvious that a respected and co-operative relationship between the public and the police is the main reason a community becomes a safer place to live.

I would like thank you all for your support and co-operation over the last few years and I wish you all within the Dursley Community the best of luck for the future.

Many Thanks

PCSO Joshua Griffiths

Dursley Town Council have organised a little leaving do on Monday 14th August 4pm at Dursley Methodist Church. Anyone is more than welcome to attend to say goodbye. Many Thanks

