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PC Ben Chadwick & PCSO Saul Bunce

### A New Look Team

Many of you will have heard already, but after 4 years in the role, PC Clarke Orchard has moved on to pastures new. He is now a full time part of the Rural Crime Team and is busy settling into his new role. I am sure you will all join me in thanking him for the part he played in our communities and also wishing him well in his new endeavours.

As is the way with these things though, our new NBM, PC Ben Chadwick is already in place and settling in to a new way of life in the Neighbourhood Team. Some of you will have met Ben already, but he is doing his best to get around and meet as many of you as possible over the next few weeks.

### PCSO Saul Bunce

#### Be a Nosy Neighbour!

As the cold weather has now taken a grip of us, please be observant! Keep an eye out for your neighbours, particularly where they are elderly or vulnerable.

If you have any concerns and are unable to raise them or family members, a call to the Police or other emergency services may be necessary to make sure they are OK. We would rather be called and not needed rather than needed and not called!

### PC Ben Chadwick

### Devon & Cornwall Police

**Non-Emergency - [dc.police.uk/ClickB4UCall](https://dc.police.uk/ClickB4UCall)**

If a crime has already happened or to give information about the crime



**WebChat**  
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**Report crime online**  
[dc.police.uk/reportcrime](https://dc.police.uk/reportcrime)



**Email**  
[101@dc.police.uk](mailto:101@dc.police.uk)



**Call 101**



### Winter Motoring

With the weather turning cold, check your vehicle over to make sure it is fit for the winter weather.

Are the tyres inflated to the correct pressure, and above the legal minimum depth. If you are about to start a journey and it's been snowing remove as much snow as you can from the roof, windows, and bonnet of the vehicle before driving away.

Check your oil, water, screen-wash and check your lights are in good working order prior to your journey.

If you are travelling long distance make sure you have a shovel in the boot extra warm clothing or blankets hot drink and snacks, tell someone what route you are taking and you take your mobile phone and it is fully charged.

### PCSO Saul Bunce