



# ACTIVITY GUIDE



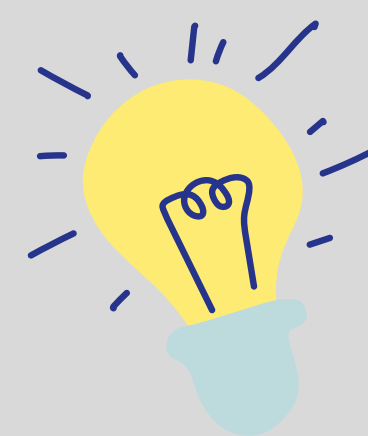
## KNIFE CRIME AWARENESS WEEK

### THIS GUIDE WILL HELP YOU:

To gain a better understanding on what the police do during Op Sceptre and how your support for Op Sceptre will make this campaign more effective.

### AIMS OF OP SCEPTRE

- Increase public awareness of the dangers of knife crime.
- Increase reporting of knife crime related concerns.
- Offer support to anyone impacted by knife crime.



Link up with your local police and Community safety SPOCs to plan activities jointly for your area

Ideas for activities:

- School and community events
- Knife sweeps
- High-vis patrols in hotspots
- Test purchases
- PACT meetings / Beat surgeries
- Knife surrender bins
- Knife arches



Working in partnership will reach more people and have a bigger impact.

### WHAT SUPPORT WILL THE VRU GIVE YOU?

- We are running a social media campaign. We will send you a comms pack at the end of April and we ask that you use your comms contacts and channels to share widely
- Access to best practice and ideas
- The VRU Team would love to support your events, let us know what you are doing.



### PARTNERSHIP

What other partners across Hampshire and Isle of Wight are there that would be great to link into your local area? It would be good to consider who these people are, reach out to them and see how they can support.



# SPOC CHAMPIONS

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