

Working together to tackle knife crime - Activity Programme Monday 12th February 2018 – Friday 2nd March 2018

Event / Activity	Date / Time	Location
<p>Croydon Police Borough Commander, Jeff Boothe, will host a Question and Answer session 'Let's Talk About Knife Crime'</p> <p>Members of the public are invited to attend and meet with Croydon's most senior police officer to find out how this issue is being tackled by the Metropolitan Police and partners across the borough.</p>	<p>12th February 2pm – 4pm</p>	<p>Whitgift Shopping Centre – Whitgift Square</p> <p>(next to Starbucks on the ground floor)</p>
<p>The London Ambulance Service will be demonstrating how they provide help and support to people suffering from knife injuries.</p> <p>Members of the Town Centre Police Team will also be on hand to discuss any concerns about knives.</p>	<p>12th February 10am – 2pm</p>	<p>Centrale Shopping - Central Atrium</p> <p>(by Debenhams)</p>
<p>Victim Support will have an information stand providing advice and guidance about the services available to those who have either been a victim of crime or those who are looking for information about how to better protect themselves.</p>	<p>13th February 1pm – 5pm</p>	<p>Centrale Shopping - Central Atrium</p> <p>(by Debenhams)</p>
<p>The Town Centre Police Team and</p>	<p>15th February 10am – 2pm</p>	<p>Whitgift Shopping Centre – Main entrance</p>

<p>Victim Support will be providing advice and information on knife crime alongside members of Trident, a specialised team within the Met, who investigate serious organised crime.</p> <p>Members of the public will also have a chance to compete in one a series of mini challenges against a member of the police team.</p>		(opposite WHSmith)
<p>Croydon Drop In – Talk Bus: Members of the team will be available to talk with young people about a wide variety of issues and to showcase the various opportunities and activities available to them throughout the borough.</p>	<p>15th / 22nd / February and 1st March 3pm – 6pm</p>	<p>North End – Outside McDonald's</p>
<p>Croydon Youth Engagement Team will be available to talk with young people about a wide variety of issues and to showcase the various opportunities and activities available to them throughout the borough.</p>	<p>19th / 20th / 21st / 22nd / 23rd / 26th / 27th / 28th February and 1st / 2nd March 2pm – 4pm</p>	<p>North End – Outside HMV or McDonalds</p>
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	<p>28th February 1pm – 5pm</p>	<p>Centrale Shopping - Central atrium (by Debenhams)</p>
<p>The Town Centre Police Team and Victim Support will be providing advice and information on knife crime alongside members of Trident, a specialised team within the Met, who investigate serious organised crime.</p> <p>Members of the public will also</p>	<p>23rd February 3pm – 7pm</p>	<p>Centrale Shopping - Central Atrium (by Debenhams)</p>

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<p>Croydon's RISEGallery is inviting young people to get involved in the creation of a piece of live graffiti street art as part of an ongoing drop-in workshop. Members of the public will be able to pick up a spray can and showcase their creative talent as a temporary wall is created with messages unifying against knife crime.</p>	<p>27th / 28th February 3pm – 6pm</p>	<p>North End – outside HMV</p>
<p>Croydon College is inviting members of the public to join together and pledge their support to help tackle knife crime via the collection of signed hand prints, creating a 'pledge banner'.</p>	<p>28th February 3pm – 5.30pm</p>	<p>Whitgift Shopping Centre – Whitgift Square (next to Starbucks on the ground floor)</p>