

Crime prevention advice for **Horse Rugs**

Marking your rug in some way is an important step in stopping it from being stolen, it:

- Acts as a deterrent
- Allows you to prove ownership
- Provides the Police with a means of returning it to you if stolen.

You can put whatever means of identification on your rug that you wish, anything is better than nothing; however the number or initials of where you live and then the post code is the preferred method recommended by the Police.

This can be done by:

- Permanent Marker Pen
- Paint (*2 part epoxy*)
- Stencil
- Embroidery
- Label (*some makes of rug have a label on the inside – please fill it in*).

Whatever method you use, please do a small patch test first to ensure it is compatible with the material.

Finally take a photo of your rug and any differentiating marks and put it on your Horse Watch Record Form which can be downloaded from www.warwickshire-horsewatch.co.uk



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