



Business Security Special

The number of new businesses in the UK hit a new record in 2014, with almost 600,000 start-ups. If you're one of those people, then well done. It takes an immense amount of time, money and effort to start your own business, not to mention the unwavering encouragement and support of those around you. But now that you've done all you can to get your business off to the best start, consider whether you have done everything possible to stop criminals undermining your hard work.

Control access - Breaking and entering is a major concern for most businesses, as the cost of stolen stock, office equipment and personal belongings can soon add up. Ensure all accessible windows have locks fitted – and that people are appointed to lock them before leaving the premises. Doors too should comply with British Standards and keep careful note of who has access to and possession of keys. If your business doesn't rely on customers coming through the door, consider electronic fob keys so that only authorised personnel can enter.

Ensure visibility - Security lighting is a good way to deter thieves from approaching your property, and will draw attention if a crime is taking place. Just make sure it complies with the Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act and won't affect your neighbours. CCTV will also help detect and prevent crime, and provide evidence in the event of a crime. Smaller businesses may only need a couple of cameras.

Raise the alarm - Monitored alarms will help to drive away intruders – and ensure staff or the police will be on their way if the alarm persists. Consult a registered alarm specialist to find, install and maintain the ideal system for you. You could consider grouping together with neighbouring businesses to appoint a our nightly mobile patrol and alarm response service.

Protect valuable equipment and documents - Make sure computer servers and sensitive paperwork are stored safely and securely, and limit the number of people with keys or access codes. Mark or tag company equipment so that it can be traced back to you if lost or stolen, and use GPS software to track stolen company laptops and smartphones. You should also use document shredders to dispose of paperwork with sensitive personal, financial or commercial data, and arrange secure collection.

Monthly Statistics

Each month we release alarm response statistics to ensure we are meeting our requirements to our customers

Alarm Callouts: 1
Response Times: 27
Time On Site: 25

Got some interesting news you would like us to feature then get in touch.....

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Service Breakdown – *Event Security*

Our event managers bring together man power suitable for any event.

Our guards will interact with your visitors or guests politely friendly with confidence without scaring or aggravating any situation ensuring you event is safe, secured and controlled.

We can provide computerised tagging to confirm patrol times of venues, camp sites etc., as well as staff safety with check calls and panic units provided to all staff which alert control or management with there location and incident shown in real time on a secure web browser.

Services Include:

Meet and Greet - Access Control - Pit Area - First Aid
Door Security - Various Searching - Camping Control - Parking Control - Site Management - Sound Level Management - Taxi Marshalling

Events we have previously worked for:

Private Weddings, School Proms, College Balls, Autograss Racing Events, Music Festivals, Food Festivals, Car Shows, Rallies, Fates, Horticulture Shows and many more...

From the Managing Director...

I've taken a step back this month with the birth of my first Child on Boxing day – Lola was born at 2031hr 7lbs 13 ounces after just a 2 hours labour.

I am still fully committed to the business and available to everyone at any time but, I welcome Martin to his new role with us as he takes over the nightly patrols from myself.

James Caine - Managing Director



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