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Its Scary...

there are so many scams and tricks

Be Wary

The police have asked Neighbourhood Watch to alert everyone to the latest tricks and scams which are being used to steal your car, your possessions and your money.



*Don't let them trick you
by talking. Be on your guard.*

- You get a telephone call from someone claiming to be from a bank or Visa. They know your name and talk plausibly about unauthorised payments from your account. (There haven't been any, but there will be if you continue talking to them).
- An alarm company pressures you to buy a free or very cheap burglar alarm. It comes with a compulsory 'maintenance contract' which costs a fortune. Don't invite the salesman in or talk to them by 'phone.
- Not here yet but expect it soon:- A salesman calls to sell you a new 'Digital Aerial' because of the Digital Switchover. Despite the adverts, there really is no such thing, and your existing aerial will almost certainly be fine.

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