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SUFFOLK MURDER ENQUIRIES: DAILY UPDATE

Detectives are today releasing CCTV images showing murder victim Anneli Alderton in a bid to gain more information.

The naked body of 24-year-old Anneli, from Colchester, was found in woodland near Nacton on the afternoon of Sunday, December 10.

A post mortem examination showed that the cause of death was asphyxiation. Her death is being treated as murder.

Anneli is known to have caught the 5.53pm train from Harwich to Colchester on Sunday, December 3.

Today (Saturday, December 16), detectives are releasing stills of Anneli, taken from a camera on board the train.

Detective Chief Superintendent Stewart Gull, head of Suffolk Constabulary's Crime Management, said: "The images show Anneli in a carriage – and, for the first time, give us a clear indication of what she was wearing on December 3.

"The images show that she had her hair scraped back, and tied up into a pony tail high on her head.

"They also show her clothing. On that evening, Anneli was wearing a black jacket with a hood with fur round it. Underneath the jacket, she was wearing a grey top.

"Anneli was also wearing blue jeans and white footwear.

"And she was carrying a shiny nylon shoulder bag, which is closed with a cord.

"We now need to piece together Anneli's movements after this image was captured.

"At what station did Anneli get off the train? And where did she go after that?

"I would ask people to look carefully at the images. If anyone saw Anneli after the evening of Sunday, December 3, we want to hear from them."

In the last 24 hours, the positive response from the public continues, with some 1000 calls received to the hotline number of 0800 096 1011.

Extra policing resources have continued to arrive in Suffolk from forces across the country.

Around 350 officers and staff from 31 forces, from as far afield as Northern Ireland, are now assisting Suffolk Constabulary with these investigations.

Det Chief Supt Gull said: "As I have said, we are receiving a positive response from the public.

"However, officers dealing with enquiries have, on a number of occasions, spoken to people who have had useful information – but haven't reported it immediately because they feel it may be trivial or irrelevant.

"My message to everyone is this: If you have any information about any of these incidents, or saw any of the five women during the time periods specified in our appeals, please get in touch.

"Your information could be crucial. Do not hesitate to call us."

Contact the telephone hotline on 0800 096 1011 Ring Crimestoppers anonymously on freephone 0800 555 111 Report information on-line at <u>www.suffolk.police.uk</u> E-mail <u>incident.room@suffolk.pnn.police.uk</u> Text 07624 800174