

Melton Mowbray Town Centre Newsletter

October 2025

Your local team



Shown here are PC Lucy Baxter and PCSO Malcolm Durrant

What matters to you

We have listened to you and the concerns you raised and prioritized the following:

Priority 1: Antisocial Behaviour

The community have raised the issue of Anti-Social Behaviour on the Melton Town Beat as a top priority.

What we have done: Hot spot patrols are in place for this across the areas of concern.

We are acutely aware it is School Half Term Hols and this historically leads to an increase in ASB. We are working closely with Melton Council and other partner agencies

Priority 2: Drug Dealing

The community have raised the issue of drug dealing on the Melton Town Beat. Our specialized teams are having good results based on local intelligence and targeted observations and in conjunction with Melton Council be following up with closures and tenancy warnings. A number of arrests have been made over the last four weeks and investigations are progressing at pace.

What we have done: Closure and partial closure orders were executed at numerous addresses and there are future plans in place regarding other areas of concern. Patrols have been increased in the areas of the closures to ensure compliance. Intel is coming in daily regarding new addresses and also persons which officers are increasing the proactive patrols around certain areas.

Priority 3: Theft and Burglary

What we have done: Along with other officers locked up offenders, some twice in a week, four local and prolific shoplifters and put them before the courts. Patrolled daily as a pro active measure to deter further thefts and develop intelligence going forward.



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What we have been up to

Town Beat officers have been quite busy this month with the onset of Autumn bringing more Town Estate and local Festivities including Halloween, Bonfire Night and Christmas looming. We've also spent a lot of time working with the Safer Street Team who concentrate on both Melton and Oakham town centres in conjunction with Melton Council and the Melton Retail SMART group.

Community engagements

Come along and meet the team!

Beat surgeries will be taking place at the following locations so pop down if you have any concerns or need to chat about something.

4 November 2025 1000-1100 Cattle Market 16 November 2025 1000-1100 The Hangar