Leicestershire Police
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Freemen Newsletter

Your Local Team

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What matters to you

From data collated from local surveys, beat knowledge, intelligence and reports made to Leicestershire Police, the following have been highlighted as priorities within the community.

Priority 1: Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB).

You said: General ASB is still an issue and continues across the beat.

We Did: We have sadly seen an increase in ASB reports during May, officers from the local team have been out conducting reassurance patrols and engaging with the community to identify those involved. We continue to work closely with partners from the Leicester City Council and recently two verbal warnings were issued to individuals who have engaged in repeat ASB despite agreements in place to not do so.

Priority 2: Drug Dealing.

You said: Drug dealing, taking and cultivation is still happening in the local community.

We did: An individual was found to be in possession of a class A drug after being stopped and searched in the Saffron Lane estate. Information had previously been obtained that this individual was involved in drug supply, when searched they were in possession of cocaine.

Priority 3: Specific ASB.

You said: There has been an increase in ASB in the Old Saffron Lane/Maris Lane area.

We did: We have received several reports of ASB in this location particularly in the Old Saffron Lane area regarding youths gaining access to an empty property. Officers attended a recent report, and the house has since been made secure by the local council, work is ongoing to identify those involved.

Other Local News

PCSO Sam and Spencer seized a vehicle in the Cavendish Road area last week for causing an obstruction to both the public pathway and road. The car had been reported to us after being there for several days by a local business owner and was making turning into Oliver Street difficult for residents. The car was taken and enquires will be conducted to find the keeper and discover why the vehicles was found in this location as the car appeared to have been damaged. We hope now that the car has gone it makes life easier for both pedestrians and residents.

An address in the Saffron Lane estate was recently boarded up by the local council working alongside the local police team after the property was involved in drug use and supply. The address had been previously boarded after the previous tenants had been evicted, however access was gained and after reports were made additional measures were put in place to secure the property and we are happy to report there have been no further issues since.

May saw the return of OP SCEPTRE a national week of action around raising awareness and tackling knife crime. As part of the week the local team conducted knife sweeps in open space areas and engaged with local schools.

Crime Prevention

For all our crime prevention advice visit: www.leics.police.uk/cp/crime-prevention

Our advice offers best practice for you to follow alongside practical crime prevention methods: from basic hints and tips to more detailed strategies.

To keep up to date with the latest scams, you can follow Action Fraud on Facebook: www.facebook.com/actionfraud

We rely on feedback and concerns raised by the community. To take part in a short survey regarding confidence in Leicestershire Police, please use the QR code to the left. In turn, we will continue to review and adapt our plans accordingly.

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Community engagements

Come and speak to your local beat team about any issues or concerns you may have or to raise any issues effecting you or your local community, officers will be available at the following events:

Monday 2nd June, Street Consultation, Elston Fields, 17:00/18:00.

Monday 16th June, Beat Surgery, Aylestone Leisure Centre, 09:00/10:30.

Wednesday 25th June, Beat Surgery, Saffron Resource Centre, 09:30/11:00.