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Your Dedicated Neighbourhood Team (DNT) is a group of local Officers dedicated to serving your community. The team is made up of Officers based in your area and supported by the wider Policing family.

Your priorities are chosen quarterly and are based upon information gathered through NHL (Neighbourhood Link), social media, local engagement, and emerging crime trends. You have stated that the following key themes are important to you. #YouSaidWeDid

You Said	We did
General anti-social behaviour has been raised as a priority by local residents; this includes nuisance by youths at the Meridian Leisure Park	ASB issue in Kingsway North, Braunstone Town. Several houses have been egged. Ongoing enquires to identify the offenders. ECINS created.
Persons involved in Growing, making, distributing, and taking illegal substances	Recent intelligence has been gathered to suggest drug dealing from a number of properties in Braunstone Town. Intelligence to be developed by the beat team.
Road safety in general has been raised as a priority. This includes safety around school pick-up and drop off. Unsafe and uninsured vehicles. It also includes speeding enforcement where it is identified as a problem.	See below

News

Our Serious Collision Investigation Unit (SCIU) is appealing for the driver of a crew cab Ford Transit Tipper to come forward following an incident in Braunstone on Tuesday 3 March. Police were called to Sun Way just before 2.45pm following a report of a collision involving a blue Nissan Micra and a pedestrian. The pedestrian – a man in his 50s – was taken to hospital, where he is continuing to receive treatment for serious injuries. A 26-year-old man was arrested at the scene on suspicion of causing serious injury by careless driving. He has since been released under investigation. Detective Sergeant Charlotte Mee, from the SCIU, said: "This incident happened outside a shop in Sun Way and we know that a white Ford Transit Tipper was parked outside at the time. "While it was not involved in the collision, I'm appealing for the driver of the Transit Tipper to get in touch as I believe they may be able to provide key information about what happened and information that could help our investigation. If that person was you, please contact the police. "I'd also appeal for anyone else who witnessed the incident or who has dashcam footage to come forward." You can pass on information by visiting <https://leicspolice.link/EpeMt> and quoting reference 26*124972. Alternatively call 101.

Your beat team has been working with EMHousing, attending their action day around Shakespeare Close. This area has recently had a property closed and the tenant evicted, alongside some unwanted gatherings affecting the residents of Peverel Court. We shared information with EMH, updating each other with issues affecting the area and spoke with residents. During the course of the day we also: Patrolled local parks, updated some victims regarding their reports and admin in relation to a Robbery arrest recently on a neighbouring beat. To also took the Speed Gun out to Murby Way and Foxon Way to spend some time on our Road Safety priority.

It is still beyond me, in this day and age that people still get behind the wheel of a car after having a drink. Luckily our Officers spotted a lady driving very poorly and almost colliding with another vehicle on Braunstone Avenue and Henley Crescent, Braunstone Town in the very early hours one morning. Upon having a road side breath test and despite claiming to have only had 'an Aperol Spritz', she blew almost 3 times over the legal limit. She was charged with S.5 RTA drink drive offence and is awaiting her court date.

Please do come and join us for our next Beat Surgeries in April, we'd love to hear your views about the area you live or any concerns you may have. See details below.



NEIGHBOURHOOD LINK:

Neighbourhood Link is a community messaging service from Leicestershire Police that provides news and information about policing activity or initiatives, crime prevention advice as well as major incidents affecting your area. In order to receive messages, you will need to register your details. Registration is free and simple to follow. Sign up at: <https://www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk>

Please also take the time to let the Beat understand your concerns by completing the survey to the right. Simply scan your camera over the top and click.



Community engagements

Beat Surgeries

Your Local Neighbourhood Team will be on hand to discuss any issues you have in Thorpe Astley and Braunstone Town

**Watergate Lane Shopping Parade
Watergate Lane, Braunstone Town,
5th April 12-1pm**

**Hazel's Café, Shakespeare Park Pavillion
Avon Rd, Braunstone Town,
30th April 10-11am**



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