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Melton Town North Newsletter

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Introduction



Sergeant Paul Granger

PC William O'Rourke

PCSO Fenner Rushby

PCSO Malcolm Durrant

#YouSaid - What matters to you

Priority 1: Drug Dealing

You said: Issues re drug dealing in the local community.

What we are going to do: Patrols are taking place throughout the day and night and stop search powers are being utilised where grounds permit. Anyone found with illegal substances on them are being dealt with accordingly. Further patrols are also taking place throughout hot spot areas to build up intelligence that can be acted on. Please continue to report any suspicious activity to us.

PCSO Rushby has been investigating various leads into reports of drugs use around the beat primarily focusing on residential hotspots and we have seen a noticeable drop in reports over the recent month.

Priority 2: Road Safety

You said: Speeding and road safety on the beat is a concern for you.

We have heard your concerns especially in certain areas of the beat where speeding has become a more notable issue of late. The beat team are especially focusing around the areas of Nottingham and Scalford Roads as well as Welby Lane, with more planned patrols in the areas over the coming weeks.

Priority 3: Anti-social Behaviour

You Said: Concerns raised relating to youth related Anti Social Behaviour.

Patrols in and around the local schools are taking place in an effort to minimize anti social behaviour and reduce reports of parking offences.

What we are going to do: Support residents on an individual basis where complaints are made, challenge those involved and work with partner agencies to implement outcomes. Complete targeted patrols where identified to disrupt and challenge behaviour. These issues can occur anywhere, so we rely on your communication to tackle these issues.

#WeDid - What we are doing

PCSO Fenner RUSHBY is now settling into the NR 32 beat and will continue to actively patrol hotspot areas as well as engaging with those identified to be causing Anti Social Behaviour, Speeding and other offences.



#WeDid—What we are doing continued



Shown above are PC Will O'Rourke and
PCSO Fenner Rushby



Above shows one of the RTC's we attended -
thankfully no-one was hurt

Drug Dealing, Anti-Social Behaviour and Crime & Patrols:

- High-visibility **foot patrols** were conducted in hotspot areas.
- We have been supporting our response teams with **live incidents** throughout September and completing high visible patrols often on foot and in the marked police car in some of our hotspot areas.
- We also attended the RTC incident which you may all be aware of by now on Welby Lane where officers closed off the road after a vehicle had overturned following a fail to stop incident.
- We will carry on listening to your concerns whilst out and about and will endeavour to deliver you all the service you need and deserve, with many more plans in the works over the coming months and new year to help tackle the priorities on the beat.

Thank you to everyone who takes the time to speak with us—your feedback is always appreciated!



Your Views Survey

- We have been dealing with local issues such as Anti-social Behaviour and safeguarding vulnerable residents as and when we identify concerns.
- Ongoing patrols in areas of concerns to identify those involved and reduce incidents. Some of these areas include the Melton Mowbray Town Centre and areas on the beat linked to drug activity.
- Work ongoing with local schools where incidents of bullying and assaults have been brought to the attention of Police.
- We have also been helping in regarding to other issues that come to Police such as neighbour disputes, events that impact and cause community concerns, gaining intelligence regarding criminal activity and addressing community safety concerns.

Upcoming Community Engagements

Don't miss out on engagements where the beat team will be present:

Beat Surgery at PERA Business Park on the 01/10/25 between 09:30-10:30.

Beat surgery at the Hill Top Café on 29/10/25 between 15:00-16:00.

If you need any crime prevention support, pop me an email: William.O'Rourke@leics.police.uk

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