



## Introduction



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## #YouSaid - What matters to you

### **Beat Priorities for April/May/June 2026**

#### **1) Anti-social road use and inconsiderate parking at Primary Schools.**

Anti-social road use and inconsiderate parking at Primary Schools across the beat area.

You said: You have raised issues surrounding inconsiderate road use around our primary schools.

We will: Working with NWLDC enforcement teams and schools to promote a safer environment around local schools.

#### **2) Conkers Activity Centre – misuse of site and associated crime.**

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You Said: We are aware of unknown persons entering the site of Conkers whilst closed, causing damage and committing theft related offences.

We will: We will conduct regular patrols of the area. Gather intelligence to identify offenders and work with the owners and managers to improve security.

#### **3) Licensing Checks and work with local Licensed Premises across the beat area.**

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You said: We have received an increase in the number of issues reported, associated with licensed premises in the area.

We will: We will work with licensing officers and complete visits to licensed premises to ensure conditions are being adhered to, to ensure a safe environment for all.

# #WeDid—What we are doing

## **Forest Beat Priority Update**

### **School Parking Patrols**

We are working with NWLDC enforcement teams and schools to promote a safer environment around local schools.

We have completed patrols and engagement at some of our local primary schools and have offered advice to those parking inconsiderately. We have also been in to school assemblies to encourage our young residents to be aware of road safety.

We have conducted patrols at Schools over the past few weeks where we have engaged with road users and listened to your concerns. We continue to work with our schools to ensure they are safe environments for all.

We have further visits planned in to cover all primary schools across the beat and will provide updates following these operations.

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### **Licensing Checks**

We have completed visits at licensed premises and engaged with licencees around safety and their responsibilities. All parties so far have engaged well and are keen to maintain high standards. We have also secured merchandise associated with our Walk Away campaign. This surrounds the message to encourage those in our pubs and night-clubs to walk away from confrontation. We will be engaging with our pubs and handing out items during night time economy patrols.

Whilst we have liaised with a number of our licensees across the beat, we are still seeing pockets of anti-social behaviour and reports of drug use in our public houses. In light of this, and the coming months showing World Cup games, this priority will continue in this period.

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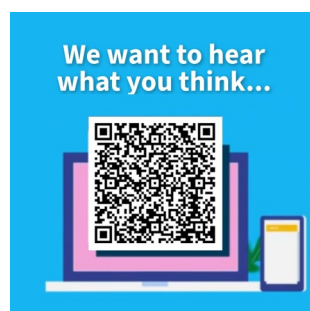
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### **CONFIDENCE SURVEY**

We are inviting members of the public to take part in our confidence survey which helps us understand how people feel about policing in their local area. The survey is quick and simple to complete. Your feedback is important and gives you the opportunity to tell us what we are doing well and where we can improve.





## 📢 Important Safety Warning – Please Read 📢

One of the perks of working on the Forest beat is the incredible natural beauty we're surrounded by every day — but this comes with very real risks that cannot be ignored.

We have recently received reports of youths playing on and around **Albert Village Lake**. While this may seem harmless, it is extremely dangerous and puts lives at serious risk.

With the warmer weather, it's tempting to cool off in open water — but lakes and canals are **NOT safe places to swim or play**. Albert Village Lake may look calm, but the water is often very cold, deep, and unpredictable.

Cold water shock can happen in seconds, even on a hot day. It can cause an immediate loss of control over breathing and movement — and it can be fatal.

Tragically, this week alone there have already been a number of deaths across the country linked to incidents just like this.

**! This is a serious warning — please do not enter the water !**

- 🚫 Do not swim in lakes or canals
- 🚫 Do not play near the water's edge
- 👪 Parents/guardians: please know where your children are
- ☎ In an emergency, call 999 immediately

These spaces are there to be enjoyed — but only if we all act responsibly. No moment of fun is worth risking your life.

