

Freemen Newsletter



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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: Officers from the local neighbourhood priority team (NPT) recently seized an off road quad bike after reports of it being ridden on Tick Tock Park. Officers who were out on patrol sighted the bike caught up with the rider and seized it under Section 165 of the road traffic act. Hopefully this goes as a warning to those who choose to ride illegal and uninsured vehicles in public spaces in a dangerous manner.

Priority 2: Drug use and supply.

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

We did: Patrols of locations reported to us or frequent drug use have been conducted and this is set to continue, stop and search powers have been utilised when applicable. The local team will continue to progress any report of drug supply on the beat, if you suspect any drug use or supply in your area then please report it to us.

Priority 3: Specific ASB.

You said: That there is ASB around Knighton Lane East including open space areas.

We did: ASB in this location has again decreased but the area will still be focused on for the remainder of the year, frequent patrols have been conducted and regular beat surgeries have taken place at the Aylestone Leisure Centre.

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Other Local News

Officers from the local team alongside the NPT officers conducted Operation Pedal Fast on Saffron Lane as part of the final stages of the clear hold build/safer saffron initiative. Op Pedal Fast has seen positive results in the city centre and involves officers seizing illegal/modified bikes and E-Scooters. In total there were 7 vehicles were seized, 6 E-Scooters and 1 bike that did not meet standards to be ridden on the road/footpath.

After completing Op Pedal Fast and as the team were leaving to complete other tasking a wanted individual was sighted boarding a bus nearby, after some quick action the team were able to detain the individual and place him under arrest. The individual was wanted for several offences of shop theft from a local newsagents, as PC Sam put in on our local Facebook page they will be spending time in our cells with enquiries ongoing to finalise the offences for the courts.

As this will be the last publication of the newsletter until after Christmas the local team would like to wish everyone a very merry festive period. We hope that you all enjoy the celebrations safely and sensibly and please remember to keep your home as secure as possible and leave lights on when out not just over Christmas but throughout the winter.



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:

Beat Surgery, Wednesday 3rd December, 09:30/11:00, Saffron Resource Centre.

Beat Surgery, Friday 5th December, 10:00/11:00, Saffron Acres Project.

Beat Surgery, Friday 12th December, 09:30/11:00, Aylestone Leisure Centre.

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