

# Melton Mowbray Town Centre Newsletter

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# What matters to you

We have listened to you and the concerns you raised and prioritized the following:

Priority 1: Antisocial Behavior

The community have raised the issue of Anti-Social Behavior on the Melton Town Beat as a top priority.

What we have done: Hot spot patrols are in place for this across the areas of concern.

SMART radio has been expanded through the BID. Regular meetings are being held with BID partners and the DISC reporting system is in place with the council, who are working closely with police in relation to injunctions and banning orders. Town Beat team working closely with town security teams and CCTV control room to coordinate patrolling allowing a more speedy response.

Priority 2: Drug Dealing

The community have raised the issue of drug dealing on the Melton Town Beat.

What we have done: Closure and partial closure orders were executed at numerous addresses and there are future plans in place regarding other areas of concern. Patrols have been increased in the areas of the closures to ensure compliance. Intel is coming in daily regarding new addresses and also persons which officers are increasing the proactive patrols around certain areas.

Priority 3: Theft and Burglary

**What we have done:** More planned patrolling between Police and Security teams with the town centre Shops encouraged to report every theft which has in the past been just disregarded as not worth reporting. Town beat team are working closely with the council, CCTV and the businesses via the SMART radio system.

DISC reporting is running for reports through to the council, who are then working closely with the local beat team in relation to injunctions and banning orders.

# What We have been up to...

#### **Beat Update - Community Policing in Action**

Your local Beat Officers have been busy this month, maintaining a strong presence across the town and surrounding areas through **high-visibility patrols**. These efforts are part of our ongoing commitment to keeping the community safe and addressing issues that matter most to residents.

As part of our proactive work, officers have also been conducting **housing visits**, issuing **warnings to individuals** whose behaviour has been causing the most harm within the community.

#### **Recent Incidents on the Beat**

Here are some of the key incidents we've dealt with recently:

- A male was arrested for drink driving and later found to be in possession of Class A drugs.
- A male and female were arrested after being located as wanted on warrant.
- A male was charged with assaulting a police officer following a fight.
- A known male is under investigation for a series of theft offences in the area.
- A male was arrested and charged for failing to provide a roadside breath test.

Our Beat and Response Officers have been working closely together to respond swiftly to a wide range of incidents, ensuring that offenders are identified and dealt with appropriately.

## Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) Update

We're pleased to report that **ASB reports have decreased** compared to last summer. While there have been a few isolated incidents, the overall reduction is thanks to the **ongoing engagement work** by Beat Officers and PCSOs with local youths, as well as **targeted patrols in ASB hotspots**.

### Theft and Drug Intelligence

We are aware of recent **theft offences** in the area and are working closely with the **Safer Streets Team** to identify and apprehend those responsible. We've also received a **significant amount of intelligence** regarding **drug use and dealing** within the beat. Please be assured that this information is being acted upon. Officers are conducting **plain-clothes patrols** and investigations are ongoing.

### Help Us Help You

We rely on the support of our community to keep the area safe. If you have any concerns or information, please don't hesitate to get in touch with your local policing team or report anonymously via Crimestoppers.

Together, we can continue to make our community a safer place to live.

# **Community engagements**

10/09/25 10:00-12:00 Coffee Morning St Johns Court

14/09/25 14:30-15:30 Beat Surgery Mcdonalds

30/09/25 11:00-12:00 Beat Surgery Cattle Market



# For the future

Please continue to report any suspicious activity to the police on either 101 or on the website.

Thanks for reading the newsletter!

Contact us on:
Melton Police - FACEBOOK
101 - NON EMEGENCIES
999- EMERGENCIES
Melton Station Front Desk.

