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# Evington & Coleman Beat Newsletter

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## Your Local Beat Team



Left to right - PCSO COOK, PCSO GOODEY, PC WICKS, PC MAKDA, SGT HALL, PC TAYLOR, PC DARBAR, PCSO MEERUN, PCSO OLEH.

## What Matters to You?

### Evington Beat Priorities (UPDATED 01.07.25)

- Reports from the public concerning road safety. Including inconsiderate parking, excessive speeding and general non compliance with road traffic legislation amongst other complaints concerning anti social behaviour with vehicles.
- Operation Groove - Our local policing operation to prevent a rise in crime and anti social behaviour during the lighter summer months.
- Commercial Theft and Shoplifting
- Theft related offences at the Leicester General Hospital Site. Including theft from motor vehicles and other theft offences.

### Coleman Beat Priorities (UPDATED 01.07.25)

- Reports from the public concerning road safety. Including inconsiderate parking, excessive speeding and general non compliance with road traffic legislation amongst other complaints concerning anti social behaviour with vehicles.
- Licenced premises in the area not adhering to their alcohol license conditions. Having an impact on anti-social behaviour.
- Operation Groove - Our local policing operation to prevent a rise in crime and anti social behaviour during the lighter summer months.

## #InYourCommunity

PCSO Meerun was joined by our fantastic East Leicester volunteers at Eden Café for our regular beat surgery. Here's a quick summary of what was discussed: **Parking on Double Yellow Lines** – Spencefield Lane, this is generally a council matter unless the vehicle is causing an obstruction. If it is causing an obstruction and reported at the time, the Police will attend if resources allow. **Suspicious Vehicle** – Kilverstone Avenue, if you notice a suspicious vehicle, please report it. **Dogs Off Leads** - Concerns were raised about dogs not being on leads whilst walking on the pavement. If the dog is believed to be a banned or dangerous breed, this should be reported to the Police. For all other dog control issues, including dogs off leads, please contact the Leicester City Council Dog Warden Service. **Drug-Related Concerns** – Tesco, Ethel Road, concerns were raised about possible drug activity involving individuals who may be homeless in the area around Tesco on Ethel Road. Even small pieces of information can help us build a clearer picture, so please continue to share anything you see or hear with the Police. Your local policing team is here to listen and support.

## Beat Officers

Chris HALL  
SGT

Jo WICKS  
PC

Joe TAYLOR  
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Jay DARBAR  
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Mo MAKDA  
PC

Georgina COOK  
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Has a young person you know got  
**a lot of cash**  
they wouldn't usually have?



They might be  
being exploited  
by criminals.  
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## #YouSaidWeDid

As the warm weather continues, your local officers are out and about patrolling open green spaces within the community! PC Darbar carried out high-visibility patrols in Evington Park, offering reassurance and support to the community. It's always a pleasure to interact with members of the public and help with any concerns you may have. Stay safe and enjoy the sunshine!



Neighbourhood Proactive Team, assisted by the Tactical Support Team and PC Wicks from Coleman beat team, executed a successful warrant at an address on the Rowlands Hill. Once entry was gained, someone inside said: "You should've just knocked." Here's why we don't: when there's a risk that evidence could be destroyed or people may not cooperate, we need to act quickly. Forced entry helps us secure the scene safely and do our job effectively. This time, it paid off - officers seized approximately £5,000 worth of drugs from the property. A thank you to the community for your continued support. We rely on your information to build the intelligence needed for the courts to grant these warrants. If you see something, say something - it really does make a difference.

PC Wicks and PC Makda had the pleasure of visiting pupils staying at the residential provision at Ash Field Academy, known as the 'Resi'. During their stay, pupils at the Resi develop vital life skills such as independence, social interaction, and more. Visits like these are a great opportunity to build positive relationships with the Police, helping young people feel confident, safe, and supported in their communities. A big thank you to Ash Field Academy for the warm welcome.



## Advice

**Do you own a motorbike/moped? Do you keep it secure?** Unfortunately there are a number of thefts within East Leicester where motorcycles and mopeds are being taken and are then being used in crime or anti-social behaviour. Now is the time to secure your bike, if your bike is already secured are there additional measures you could potentially explore? Take a look at the Leicestershire Police website crime prevention page for more information, <https://leicspolice.link/v9nZ1>



## Community Engagements

- Beat surgery at St Barnabas Library, French Road, Tuesday 8th July, 5:30pm - 6:30pm.
- Beat surgery at Tesco, Downing Drive, Wednesday 9th July, 11:00am - 12:00pm.
- Beat surgery at St Barnabas Library, French Road, Thursday 24th July, 11:00am - 12:00pm.
- Beat surgery at Evington Library, Evington Lane, Wednesday 30th July, 11:00am - 12:00pm.

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