

# FOREST BEAT NEWSLETTER

#YouSaidWeDId

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## Your Local Team

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Your Dedicated Neighbourhood Team (DNT) is a group of local police officers dedicated to serving your

community. The team is made up of officers based in your area, supported by the wider Policing family.

# What matters to you

Your priorities are chosen quarterly and are based upon information gathered through NHL (Neighbourhood Link), social media, local engagement, and emerging crime trends. You have stated that the following key themes are important to you. #YouSaidWeDid.

Please see our beat priorities below from October to December 2024.

#### Priority 1: Anti-social behaviour in Moira – in particular Moira Furnace and Moira Miners Welfare Club

You said: Anti-social behaviour is causing you concern, particularly at Moira Furnace, Moira Miners Welfare Club and Conkers.

<u>What we have been doing</u>: Targeted foot patrols of the area and regular beat surgeries held at the Furnace. Whilst we will robustly deal with those who break the law, we will also seek to engage with the drug users to understand what factors are driving them to this lifestyle and what interventions we can offer. Officers work alongside partner agencies to ensure the best service provider is in place to try and mitigate risk and open drug use.

#### **Priority 2: Speeding**

You said: Speeding vehicles are causing concern in areas across the beat, in particular Acresford Road, Donisthorpe

<u>What we have been doing</u>: . The local community have raised speeding vehicles as a primary concern therefore regular speeding initiatives will be taking place across concerning areas on the beat and positive and proportionate action will be taken against those committing road traffic offences.

#### Priority 3: Drug Dealing - Albert Village

<u>You said</u>: Anti-social behaviour and suspected drug dealing in the area of Occupation Road, Albert Village. <u>What we have been doing</u>: Drug dealing is a primary concern therefore regular patrols will be taking place and positive and proportionate action will be taken against those committing offences.



## Crime Figures

To find out about crime that occurs within your area, please use the below link.

#### Forest | Police.uk (www.police.uk)

Note: published crime and anti-social behaviour data will exceed 30 days old

## What we have done #YouSaidWeDid

The beat team conducted a Community Engagement Event at Age UK on High Street, Measham where we spoke to a number of residents about their concerns in the area.

Also in attendance was the Police and Crime Commissioner Rupert Matthews who it was a pleasure to spend time talking with about the area and some of the challenges we face.

Community Engagement Events are your opportunity to come and have a face to face conversation with your local officers.

All our Engagement Events are advertised via our website http://leicspolice.link/pGvHo Please look out for regular messages on Neighbourhood Link as these are vital if you want to keep updated regarding what is happening in your area. Other Community Engagement Events took place at Moira and Donisthorpe, these events were well attended and thank you to everyone that came to see us. These events are a good opportunity to meet the beat team and ask any questions or raise concerns you may have. Please see below for community engagement events being held in December.

Officers visited 2 Schools and 1 Nursery in November to speak to the Children on the topic of 'People who help us'

A section 59 notice was issued to an individual who was riding an E-Scooter on Church Street, Donisthorpe

A speeding operation took place on Acresford Road, Donisthorpe. We know that this location is an area of concern for excessive speed due to reports from residents. Whilst there a total of 59 vehicles passed by of which only 1 vehicle was exceeding the speed limit. Whilst we hope that our presence alone is not the only reason we observed compliant driving in the village, we would continue to urge all drivers to respect the speed limits especially when we are not there!

Road safety is one of our beat priorities and we will be conducting more speeding operations over the coming weeks.

Officers patrolled regular anti-social behaviour hot spots in line with their beat priorities, mainly Moira and Albert Village, we are pleased to report that there were no issues throughout November.

https://survey.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk/Survey/GUID/8d764db2-fea6-478d-aae6-40aa41d4430b

## **Community Engagements**

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December 10:30 – 12:00 – Moira Furnace

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 10:30 – 12:00 – AGE UK, High Street, Measham

## **NEIGHBOURHOOD LINK:**

Neighbourhood Link is a community messaging service from Leicestershire Police that provides news and information about policing activity or initiatives, crime prevention advice as well as major incidents affecting your area. In order to receive messages, you will need to register your details. Registration is free and simple to follow.

- Sign up at: <a href="https://www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk">https://www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk</a>
- Already have an account? Simply request a reminder if you have forgotten your username or password
- You can unsubscribe from the service at any time

Neighbourhood Link is not able to receive messages and you should not use it to contact the police. In an emergency always dial 999. If you wish to contact Leicestershire Police in other circumstances, for example to speak to local police or seek advice on police matters, you can call us by dialling 101 on your telephone or using any of the below sites. Please also take the time to let the Forest Beat understand your concerns by completing the surveys to the right. Simply scan your camera over the top and click the link.



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