



Community Council Meeting Updates

Our focus..... Your priorities

INTRODUCTION

This report covers progress we have made in dealing with your priorities for the **Eaglesham & Waterfoot Community Council** area for the period **10th September to 5th October 2018**. A list of these priorities is provided at the end of this report for your reference.

This report aims to highlight emerging issues in your area, and to provide crime prevention advice and guidance to the members of the Community Council and to the residents that they represent.

This document does not provide a comprehensive statistical breakdown of numbers of crimes reported as this does not provide any context for the reader.

INFORMATION

1. Homes being broken into

No dwelling houses have been broken in to in your community council area during the period under review.

About 2-50am on the 26th September at an address in Low Borland Way, Waterfoot, 3 men were seen in suspicious circumstances in the garden. This matter is being investigated as part of ongoing enquiries relating to a number of recent break-ins in the Newton Mearns area.

Overnight on the 19th into 20th September, a garage at an address in Picketlaw Road, Eaglesham, was broken in to and three bicycles were stolen from within.

2. Antisocial behaviour and disorder

Two incidents have been reported at Eaglesham Bowling Club on Monday 10th into Tuesday 11th of September and then again, sometime between Tuesday 23rd and Thursday 25th September. On both occasions items were thrown around on the bowling green.

We are also investigating the theft of a wheelie-bin and anti-social behaviour by a group of youths on the evening of the 15th September. Local officers are investigating these acts of disorder.

There have been no other reports from members of the public relating to youth disorder in your community council area.

3. Violent crime

No Serious Assaults or Common Assaults in public locations have been reported during the period under review.

4. Drug dealing and misuse

No drugs offences have been detected in your community council area during the period under review.

CRIME PREVENTION

Neighbourhood Watch Scotland

Have you signed up for Neighbourhood Watch Scotland alerts yet? We have now started issuing alerts on this system.

Further information can be found at

www.neighbourhoodwatchscotland.co.uk

By signing up to this service you will receive crime prevention information relevant to both local and national issues.

We are encouraging residents to take a little time to review their home security as part of our “After Dark” campaign



As the nights get darker earlier Police Scotland is reminding you to review your home security.

Some advice on keeping your home secure.

- Use timer switches on lights and radios to make it look as if your home is occupied
- Ensure all doors and windows are secure when you leave and when you go to bed
- If possible use security lighting at the front and back of your property
- Make sure all garden tools and ladders are locked away when not being used
- Use a good quality lock on any garden sheds and outhouses
- Make a note of all makes, models and serial numbers of your property
- Create a FREE private and secure inventory of all your personal property at www.immobilise.com

If you notice anything suspicious in your neighbourhood report it to Police Scotland on 101.

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Please report any suspicious persons or activity via 101, or in an emergency, by dialling 999.

NEWS

You will hopefully recall the “Your View Counts” survey that was launched in 2016 by Police Scotland. The first year results of this survey were published previously and are being used to inform the local policing plan for East Renfrewshire and East Renfrewshire Council’s Local Improvement Plan.

The published results for 2016-17 can be found here

<http://www.scotland.police.uk/assets/pdf/138327/307421/355352/368284/your-view-counts-national-survey-2016?view=Standard>

This survey was opened again in August 2017, and we would ask Community Councils to encourage all local residents in their respective areas to access and complete the survey. This applies to people who have completed the survey previously, or for the first time.

The online survey can be found at <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/CXH85XJ>

LOCAL PRIORITIES

The East Renfrewshire Local Policing Plan 2017-2020 can be found in full on the Police Scotland website

<http://www.scotland.police.uk/your-community/greater-glasgow/east-renfrewshire/>

This document explains our National and Local Policing Priorities how these have been identified and how they are linked to the Fairer East Ren – Local Outcomes Improvement Plan

The local Policing Priorities for East Renfrewshire have been identified as

Homes being broken into
Antisocial behaviour and disorder
Violent crime
Drug dealing and misuse
Child abuse including child sexual exploitation

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