



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 **6th October to 7th November 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.

2. Antisocial behaviour and disorder

Officers are investigating an incident of Wilful Fireraising that occurred about 1am on the 6th November near to Montgomery Street. A wheelie bin and a “mini-digger” were destroyed.

A 49 year old woman driver was stopped by officers shortly after midnight on the 12th October in Eaglesham. She was subsequently arrested after failing a road side breath test. She has since been reported to the Procurator Fiscal in relation to a charge of driving whilst over the “drink-drive” limit.

During the early hours of the following morning (13/10/18) officers attended a report of a road crash on Bonnyton Moor Road. The 18 year old male driver was charged with a “drink-driving” offence.

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 offences relating to the supply of drugs have been detected in your community council area during the period under review.

On the 12th October two men aged 18 and 19 years respectively were stopped on Kirktonmoor Road. Both were found to be in possession of cannabis.

CRIME PREVENTION

As we approach the festive period, we remind vehicle owners not to leave valuables in view within unattended vehicles. When in busy shops, bars or restaurants, keep handbags, wallets, purses, mobile phones and other valuable items out of sight and secure.

We continue to detect offences across the East Renfrewshire area relating to individuals driving under the influence of drink and drugs. Disappointingly, too many drivers still fail to take cognisance of the extreme dangers they cause to themselves and other road users. If you suspect somebody of driving whilst intoxicated please report it to the police immediately.

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 continue to encourage 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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Web – Scotland.police.uk
101 – Non emergency
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