

June 4, 2019

Attendees:- Ann Barwell, Maud Barratt, Roy Tansey Tony Buckmaster, Jean Eversfield, Dee and Pete Norgrove, Joy Lett, Paul Simpson, Jo Hubbard, Sue Bradbury, Joyce Allen, Janet Joyce, Harinder Singh, Alan Hodgkinson, Tony Batchelor Cllr Nick Chapman, Sgt Ian Burton, PC Mike Payne and Mike Salisbury

Apologies from:- Wayne Hill, Don Salt and Richard Wyatt

1. Administrators report for February

We have had articles in the Gazette for May and June since the last meeting. There have been police reports for May and June and these have been put up on our website.

Following a meeting of our facebook administrators some changes were made to our facebook page. It is now a closed group meaning only those who have joined (we have over 1400 members) can post. We are only allowing new members to join if they answer the 3 questions satisfactorily, and members being abusive, personal or vindictive will be blocked. Also no advertising or swearing.

There was a huge decrease in the number of incidents of burglary and vehicle crime reported on the facebook page in the last two months, either because the street lights are now on overnight or some people have been arrested for the previous speight of crimes, or more likely a combination of both reasons. The meeting thanked Sgt Burton for his help in getting the street lighting back on.

2. Treasurers report

The treasurer reported that there had been no expenditure or income over the last two months except one £10 bank charge. He requested the meeting give him approval to switch the bank account to one charging no bank fees and the meeting agreed.

3. Police report:-

Sgt Ian Burton informed the meeting that there had been a significant decrease in crime in Glenfield over the last two months. He highlighted:

- There had been 3 burglaries and 2 vehicle crimes reported last month
- Three properties in Glenfield were visited by the police under operation Lionheart and a quantity of drugs seized
- 300 warrants have been issued in Leics and many arrests made under operation Lionheart
- a 15 year old girl was reported as being abducted, it was actually her father trying to get her into his van as she was skiving off school
- the machete attack which happened at the Glenfield Co-op had nothing to do with Glenfield. The victim of the attack had allegedly burgled the property of the attacker the night before in Wigston and this was a revenge attack. Both men are now under arrest.
- The police can now test drivers for drugs in the same way as using a breathalyser, and a new don't drink and drive campaign is in full operation

4. Date of the next meeting:- Tuesday August 6th 2019 at 7.15pm at Park House

5. The meeting closed at 8.15pm