

Leicester Forest East, Kirby Muxloe and Glenfield Newsletter

January 2021

News



Welcome to the first newsletter of 2021. I hope you had a pleasant Christmas and New Year.

On the 11th December we had the great pleasure to celebrate Sgt Ian Burton's retirement! Ian has served 20 years with Leicestershire Police and completed 10 years in HM Forces prior to this. Ian is an absolute legend and a real loss to us here at Blaby and the whole of Leicestershire Police.

On the 5th January 2021 we welcome our new sergeant, Sgt Jess Harper who joins us from the response team based at Braunstone. She looks forward to working with our partners and the community to tackle the issues that affect you.

CRIME UPDATES

We are continuing to receive reports about anti-social behaviour being caused in Leicester Forest East the beat team have spent time working with neighbour beats to identify the perpetrators and are will be dealing with them in the not too distant future. The reports we are receiving is relating to groups of young people causing damage so if your child is going do you know where they are going? Who they are meeting up with?

If you know of anyone who may be involved in this anti-social contact us via Facebook – <u>Blaby Police</u> or email – hinckleyandblaby.npa@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk

More News from Leicestershire Police

Further current news from Leicestershire Police can be viewed by visiting our website - https://leics.police.uk/news-appeals

Neighbourhood Link – Have you signed up?

We want to encourage as many people as possible to sign up to our community messaging system, Neighbourhood Link. You will receive regular emails keeping you up to date about local policing issues, good news stories, crime prevention advice, witness appeals and local events.

It is very easy to do and free! Register at www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk

Quick Stat

https://www.police.uk/pu/your-area/leicestershire-police/leicester-forest-east-kirby-muxloe-and-glenfield/ is a website that provides crime statistics where you live.

Further News

COVID-19 Updates -

Following last night's broadcast from the Prime Minister announcing a new national lockdown which comes into effect tomorrow (Wednesday 6th January), for the latest guidance follow the link below with what restrictions are in place. Guidance - https://www.gov.uk/guidance/national-lockdown-stay-at-home?priority-taxon=774cee22-d896-44c1-a611-e3109cce8eae

Beat Surgeries

Due to the new national lockdown restrictions all beat surgeries are currently cancelled please keep an eye on our Facebook page, Blaby Police, for future events.

Other News -

Leicestershire Police recorded over 5,000 calls into their Contact Management Department for a number of key days over the Christmas and New Year period. Collectively on 24, 25, 26, 31 December and 1 January, the force received a total of 5,102 calls to 999 and 101 compared to a total of 5,120 calls to 999 and 101 for the same dates last year.

Chief Constable Simon Cole said: "New Year was still busy for us and this resulted in a huge team effort by colleagues in CMD to answer and respond to these calls and action police attendance where it was needed.

"Even in the current circumstances, a large amount of planning has gone into policing Christmas and New Year to ensure our officers and staff remain committed to providing proactive high visibility patrols and quick and effective responses to incidents throughout the force area.

"Myself, as well as Assistant Chief Constable David Sandall, worked on New Year's Eve until the early hours, and I saw first-hand how hard the teams were working across the force area on a particularly bitter night. As expected we saw fewer people on the streets and less traffic on the roads but it was still very much business as usual for us responding to incidents such as domestic assaults and road traffic collisions as well as the additional Covid related calls.

"2020 as we all know has been a challenging year but I am extremely grateful and proud to all of my officers, staff and volunteers for their continued hard work and the service they have given. I would also like to thank those people of Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland who acted responsibly and celebrated safely this Christmas and New Year within the current government guidance."

Your Beat Team

We are always happy to hear from you. Please email us at hinckleyandblaby.npa@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk or call 101.

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> IMAGE COMING SOON

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