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POLICE REPORT APRIL 2022 TO 29TH MAY 2022 **BEAT AREA MW05 – ROSEWELL & DISTRICT**



Between 1st April and 29th May 2022 in the beat area MW05 – Rosewell & District – There were 52 calls to Police, 9 Crimes recorded of which 3 have been solved.

Incidents of Note

- On the 1st of April 2022, Police were called to the Outdoor classroom (near to Thornton Road) for a report of Youth setting fires. Police discovered extensive damage to a toilet block in the woodland. A 12 year old male has been charged with Fire Raising and report to the Procurator Fiscal.
- On the 1st of May 2022, Police were called to Carnethie Street, Rosewell, for a report of multiple youth shouting, swearing and drinking in the street. Police attended the area and all youths dispersed.
- On 19th of May 2022, a Shed was broken into on Prestonhall Crescent, where over £5000 worth of tools and bicycles were stolen. A crime report has been submitted and Police Enquiry's are currently ongoing.

Youth Issues –

Midlothian Police are aware of the current issue regarding anti-social behaviour of Youths in the area, who are obtaining alcohol and damaging local infrastructure. (including the fire at the woodland classroom and graffiti in the town centre).

On 08/04/2022, Officers from the Community Action Team and Local Community Officers Carried out a day of action in relation to the youth issues. From this -

- A 12 year old male was charged with the fire raising to the woodland classroom from 01/04/2022
- About 1325 hours, 08/04/2022, a 14 year old male was charged with a hate crime after making racist remarks to a male on Prestonhall Road.

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A number of other youth have been identified and spoken to in relation to their anti-social behaviour in and around Rosewell. The majority of these youths appear to be out with the Rosewell area.

Police Drop in Surgery –

Local CPO's Graham Black & Euan Lennox held a drop in Surgery on Thursday the 12th of May 2022 at the Steading Rosewell. From this a number of issues were identified, mainly the issues regarding youths coming from out with Rosewell damaging local property and parking / speeding around school hours.

We will look to conduct speed checks around the primary schools during school hours and engage with Road users who are parking inconsiderately.

Ongoing Youth disorder Patrols on Friday afternoons (after school) are planned by the CPO as these are the times residents have noticed that the youths are gathering in large numbers. These will consist of a mix between Vehicle and Quad Bike Patrols.

Further Police Drop in Sessions will be planned in the future.

Community Officers would also like to take this opportunity to remind you all that we can conduct security surveys on domestic properties and rural establishments such as farms. If anyone is interested please contact police at the email address below.

Hate crime and domestic abuse can now be reported online via the official Police Scotland website at www.scotland.police.uk or by visiting a Third Party Reporting Centre – details of which are also on our website.

Information regarding crime can be passed to Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111 or through an Online Form - both of these routes are completely anonymous and available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

TELEPHONING POLICE SCOTLAND

If you need to contact Police Scotland then the number you use will depend on whether what you are reporting is an emergency or not.

- * You should always use 999 when:
- * There is a risk of injury or loss of life

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- * A crime is in progress
- * Someone suspected of a crime is nearby

For non-emergency calls please use 101 to contact Police Scotland.

If any person has any information about the incident(s) listed above or indeed any other issue please contact your Community Policing Officers –

PC Graham Black, PC Euan Lennox or PS Kris Burns

E-mail: LothianScotBordersPenicuikCPT@scotland.pnn.police.uk

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