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# Leicester Forest East, Kirby Muxloe and Glenfield Newsletter

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## News

### **Officers have arrested three people in connection with catalytic converter thefts in the region.**

Just after 10pm on Thursday 25 February officers received a report from a member of the public of a suspected theft in progress on Highfields Road, Hinckley.

Having been disturbed, the suspects drove away from the area and officers began a search to locate the vehicle.

Teams including the Roads Policing Unit, Special Operations, National Police Air Service and Dogs Unit were involved.

A forced stop of a car was executed near Barlestone and the suspects left the area on foot.

Following a search, a 31-year-old man from Loughborough, a 16-year-old boy from Loughborough and a 39-year-old man from Leicester were all arrested on suspicion of theft.

The car was recovered, no injuries were reported and enquires are ongoing.

Inspector Jamie Osborne said: "Dealing with catalytic convertor thefts has been a priority area for Leicestershire Police.

"We are extremely grateful to members of the public for coming forward immediately.

"It is vitally important that any information is reported to us as quickly as possible.

"This was a perfect example of what we can achieve when everyone works closely together."



## 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](http://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.

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### CRIME UPDATES

#### #YouSaidWeDid

Please find below updates from your local beat team in relation to the priorities you have raised via Neighbourhood Link:

#### Your Said – Drugs

**We Did** – Over the last month we have had a few reports of drugging dealing in parts of Kirby Muxloe. The beat team and Neighbourhood Proactive Team have been out patrolling in the areas mentioned. We are working with local residents and parish council to try and identify those responsible. If you see such incidents you can report it to us by calling 101.

#### You Said – Anti-Social Behaviour

**We Did** – We are continuing to work with Blaby District Council and land owners following recent arson incidents in Leicester Forest East with regular patrols being conducted of the location. Whilst we are trying to prevent further incidents happening we are also trying to identify anyone involved in these incidents.

For more information about what anti-social behaviour is and how to report it follow go to -

<https://www.leics.police.uk/advice/advice-and-information/asb/asb/antisocial-behaviour/>

#### You Said – Vehicle Crime

**We Did** – We are aware that there has been a couple of catalytic converter thefts across the beat. The beat team have been patrolling key areas such as large car parks and County Hall. This is a force wide issue which has seen great arrests recently. For advice on how to keep your catalytic converter safe -

<https://www.leics.police.uk/cp/crime-prevention/keeping-vehicles-safe/vehicle-safe-and-sound/>

#### You Said – Road Safety

**We Did** – The beat team continue to look at road safety across the beat with recent parking issues being reported on Fairfield Crescent and Glenfield Frith Drive. A number of vehicles have been recovered for not having tax or causing an obstruction. Any reports we get are looked at by the beat team and are accessed if you know of any Road Safety issues contact use using the email address on this newsletter.

#### 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.

## Your Beat Team

We are always happy to hear from you. Please email us at [hinckleyandblaby.npa@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:hinckleyandblaby.npa@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk) or call 101.

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