



Police Service of Scotland Community Council meeting

Name of
Community Council:

Lauder Community Council

Date of meeting: 9th December 2019

Foreword:

Police report for November 2019 prepared by PC 5158 Calum Wilson.

This report is based on the Leaderdale and Melrose Multi Ward Policing Plan.

Ward Priorities

Indiscriminate parking

You highlighted parking as a problem locally, the following was recorded regarding parking issues during the month of November 2019.

There have been no reports of indiscriminate parking during the month of November 2019. Routine patrols will continue to be carried out and any vehicles reported or seen parked illegally will be dealt with robustly.

Speeding/Road Traffic

- Speeding is an issue that concerns you particularly in built up areas

There has been no reports to the police of excessive speeding during the month of November 2019. Police checks will remain ongoing and will take place within the Borders at specific areas where there has been concern regarding excessive speed and highlighted accident areas.

Rural thefts

- Thefts from houses and farms particularly in more remote locations concerns you

There has been two incidents of thefts from houses and farms during the month of November 2019. Residents are encouraged to remain vigilant and report any suspicious activity.



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Other Incidents of note/relevant Community Council information.

In addition to the incidents listed above relating to the ward priorities the following incidents are also of note –

12/11/2019 – Theft of Caravan & Vandalism – Thirlestane Castle- Enquiry Ongoing
30/11/2019 – Fraud – Thirlestane Drive- Enquiry Ongoing
03/12/2019 – Theft Housebreaking – Market Place – Enquiry Ongoing

In addition to the Theft of the Caravan at Thirlestane Castle and the Theft HB at the Post Office, there was also a sighting of white van acting suspiciously around 26/11/2019.

Residents are encouraged to be vigilant and report any suspicious activity to Police Scotland. If possible ensure that your property and vehicles are securely locked and that all valuable equipment is out of sight!

Police responded to 25 calls during the month of November 2019, these vary from anti-social incidents, theft and road traffic related offences.

Feedback from meeting:

Please e-mail any feedback to
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