



**NOTIFICATION TO ATTEND MEETING OF THE SOUTH EAST AREA JPC  
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ON THURSDAY 22 JUNE 2023 AT 9.30 AM**

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**AGENDA**

**THURSDAY 22 JUNE 2023**

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	<b>Crime Statistics Presentations Quarter 2.</b>	
	<b>Superintendent Timothy Burke for DMR South Central</b>	
	<b>Superintendent Paul Maher for DMR South</b>	
5	Work Plan Updates Quarter 2	11 - 36
	These are circulated ahead and are not presented at the meeting.	
6	Diary date	

The next meeting is **scheduled for Thursday, September 28<sup>th</sup> at 9.30 a.m.**

7 A.O.B.

8 Promotion of the JPC

**South East Area Joint Policing Subcommittee  
Minutes of meeting held online on 30<sup>th</sup> March 2023**

**Attendance:**

**South East Area Councillors**

Cllr Claire O'Connor (Chair)  
Cllr Paddy McCartan  
Cllr Dermot Lacey  
Cllr Pat Dunne  
Cllr Deirdre Conroy  
Cllr Danny Byrne  
Cllr Carolyn Moore  
Cllr Mary Freehill  
Cllr Kevin Donoghue  
Cllr James Geoghegan  
Cllr Claire Byrne  
Cllr Daniel Ceitinn

**An Garda Síochána**

Chief Superintendent Anthony O'Donnell  
Chief Superintendent Peter Duff  
Superintendent Timothy Burke  
Superintendent Dermot McKenna  
Garda Sharon Kelly

**Oireachtas**

Chris Andrews T.D.

**Community /Business members:**

Keri Goodliffe, SICDATF & **Presentation**  
Eddie McGuinness , Iveagh Trust & D8

**Dublin City Council**

Brian Hanney, Area Manager  
John Mac Evilly, Area Manager  
Dominic Hession, Public Domain Officer  
Eimear O'Sullivan, South East Area

**Apologies:**

Cllr Tara Deacy (Vice Chair)  
Cllr Anne Feeney  
Chris Butler, Housing Area Manager

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**Order:**

1. **Minutes from December 2022 meeting agreed.**
2. **Presentation on Drug Related Intimidation Research followed by Q&A session.**  
Presented by **Keri Goodliffe, SICDATF.**
3. **Presentation on Crime Statistics** made by  
**Chief Superintendent Anthony O'Donnell** for DMR South Central and  
**Chief Superintendent Peter Duff** for DMR South

**Issues discussed:**

- **Bike Issues**  
**AGS Bike Marking service and Bike safety/locking advice**  
30% Bike thefts are unlocked bikes.  
**Installation and maintenance of bike stands to keep them safe and free.**
- **Anti-social behaviour and/or Drug-dealing in**  
**City Quay, Pearse St. and Creighton St.**  
**Aston Quay/Price's Lane and Temple Bar**  
**Cabbage Patch**  
**Stephens Green West along Luas platform**

- **Forward Planning ahead of the summer**

Locations requiring attention now and in previous years include

**Ringsend Park**

**Docklands, Creighton St., City Quay, Pearse St.**

**Aston Quay, Price's Lane, Temple Bar**

**Cabbage Patch**

**Stephens Green West.**

- **The positive impact of a Community Policing presence and greater visibility on people's perception of safety**

Garda in Donnybrook were thanked for their support, understanding and their professionalism in recent matters addressed locally.

- **Protests / Right to Protest**

- **LGBTQ concerns**

**Abuse especially on Capel / Parliament & George's / Dame Streets**

Victims' experiences with **reporting difficulties.**

**A.O.B**

- **Next meeting will be Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, at 9.30 a.m.**



GARDA SÍOCHÁNA

# South East Area JPC 22nd of June, 2023

Report from Chief Superintendent  
Anthony O'Donnell  
DMR South Central Division  
for Pearse Street & Donnybrook  
Community Engagement Areas

Crime Statistics as of the 11/06/2023  
(Week 23)

**It should be noted that in any reference to statistics, those statistics are provisional, operational, liable to change and some possibly re-classified with the introduction of Central Statistics Office reports.**

# Crime Statistics

Pearse Street & Donnybrook CE Areas		Incidents Reported 2022	Incidents Reported 2023	% Change	Detections Made 2022	Detections Made 2023	% Change
Property Crime		2,644	2,883	+9%	735	726	-1%
Burglary	<i>Burglary (not aggravated)</i>	239	254	+6%	88	96	+9%
	<i>Aggravated Burglary</i>	2	0	-100%	0	0	--
Theft	<i>Theft/UT of vehicle</i>	70	64	-9%	6	6	0%
	<i>Theft from Shop</i>	830	782	-6%	460	442	-4%
	<i>Theft from Person</i>	385	483	+25%	30	31	+3%
	<i>Theft from Vehicle</i>	134	124	-7%	13	16	+23%
	<i>Theft/UT of pedal cycle</i>	291	308	+6%	23	20	-13%
	<i>Theft of other property</i>	559	699	+25%	77	71	-8%

# Crime Statistics

Pearse Street & Donnybrook CE Areas		Incidents Reported 2022	Incidents Reported 2023	% Change	Detections Made 2022	Detections Made 2023	% Change
Robbery	<i>Robbery of an establishment</i>	11	35	+218%	4	14	+250%
	<i>Robbery from person</i>	71	87	+23%	15	21	+40%
Criminal Damage		275	256	-7%	87	58	-33%
Assaults	<i>Assaults Causing Harm</i>	141	103	-27%	35	32	-9%
	<i>Minor Assault</i>	240	210	-13%	40	31	-23%
Sexual Offences		46	59	+28%	8	9	+13%
Public Order Offences	<i>Public Order Offences</i>	734	502	-32%	692	445	-36%
	<i>Drunkenness Offences</i>	156	131	-16%	147	118	-20%
	<i>Trespassing</i>	82	82	0%	60	60	0%

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Pearse Street & Donnybrook CE Areas		Incidents Reported 2022	Incidents Reported 2023	% Change	Detections Made 2023	Detections Made 2023	% Change
Drugs	<i>Possession of Drugs for Sale &amp; Supply</i>	61	114	+87%	71	116	+63%
	<i>Possession of Drugs for Personal Use</i>	77	62	-19%	57	45	-21%
	<i>Search Under Drugs Act</i>	650	653	+0.5%	--	--	--
Possession of offensive weapon	<i>Possession of Offensive Weapons (Not Firearm)</i>	93	86	-8%	94	87	-7%
	<i>Possession of a Firearm</i>	1	3	+200%	2	0	-100%
Driving Under the Influence (DUI)	<i>Driving while intoxicated</i>	46	39	-15%	46	37	-20%
	<i>Drug Driving</i>	10	7	-30%	7	3	-57%
Traffic Collision Fatal		0	0	--	--	--	--



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Murder/Manslaughter		0	1 (Manslaughter – two suspects arrested – file to DPP)	--	0	0	--
Domestic	<i>Breach of Barring Order</i>	4	0	-100%	3	0	-100%
	<i>Breach of Protection Order</i>	9	12	+33%	8	7	-13%
	<i>Breach of Safety Order</i>	10	2	-80%	8	0	-100%
	<i>Child Neglect &amp; Cruelty</i>	1	0	-100%	1	0	-100%
	<i>Domestic Dispute – No Offence Disclosed</i>	130	130	0%	--	--	--
Hate Crime Offences		15	3	-80%	17	4	-76%

**South East Area JPC Thursday 22nd June 2023**

**Crime Statistics ending 11/06/2022 in comparison with ending 11/06/2023**

	Terenure			Crumlin			JPC Area		
	2022	2023		2022	2023		2022	2023	
<b>Burglary</b>	69	49	-28.99%	90	61	-32.22%	159	110	-30.82%
<b>Aggravated Burglary</b>	1	0	0.00%	1	3	0.00%	2	3	0.00%
<b>Robbery from the Person</b>	1	4	200.00%	2	7	250.00%	3	11	266.67%
<b>Robbery from Establishment</b>	1	3	200.00%	1	7	200.00%	2	10	400.00%
<b>Theft from the Person</b>	0	15	600.00%	5	5	0.00%	5	20	300.00%
<b>Theft from MPV</b>	90	66	-26.67%	44	45	2.27%	134	111	-17.16%
<b>Theft from Shop</b>	154	213	38.31%	143	169	18.18%	297	382	28.62%
<b>Theft Other</b>	62	58	-6.45%	34	58	70.59%	96	116	20.83%
<b>Criminal Damage</b>	132	81	-38.64%	116	165	42.24%	248	246	-0.81%
<b>Theft/UT of Vehicle</b>	15	39	160.00%	51	32	-37.25%	66	71	7.58%
<b>Fraud/Decption</b>	93	54	-41.94%	77	67	-12.99%	170	121	-28.82%
<b>Breach of Barring Order</b>	0	0	0.00%	6	1	-83.33%	6	1	-83.33%
<b>Breach of Protection Order</b>	8	11	37.50%	31	13	-58.06%	39	24	-38.46%
<b>Breach of Safety Order</b>	3	2	100.00%	12	10	-16.67%	15	12	-20.00%
<b>Total Breaches of Orders</b>	5	8	60.00%	29	14	-51.72%	60	37	-38.33%
<b>Domestic Violence ( No offence disclosed)</b>	75	65	-13.33%	175	161	-8.00%	250	226	-9.60%
<b>Sec 15 MD for Sale and Supply</b>	5	12	140.00%	37	41	10.81%	42	53	26.19%
<b>Sec 3 MD for Personal Use</b>	98	38	-61.22%	63	26	-58.73%	161	64	-60.25%
<b>Driving while Intoxicated</b>	25	15	-40.00%	34	39	14.71%	59	54	-8.47%
<b>Public Order</b>	45	34	-24.44%	83	65	-21.69%	128	99	-22.66%
<b>S3 Assault Causing Harm</b>	11	21	90.91%	28	26	-7.14%	39	47	20.51%
<b>S2 Minor Assault</b>	20	28	40.00%	39	36	-7.69%	59	64	8.47%
<b>Possession of Offensive Weapons</b>	8	4	-50.00%	21	20	-4.76%	29	24	-17.24%
<b>Searches under Drugs Acts</b>	323	179	-44.58%	591	678	14.72%	914	857	-6.24%
<b>Searches under Warrant</b>	26	108	315.38%	80	90	12.50%	106	198	86.79%
<b>Seized Vehicles</b>	89	69	-22.47%	308	204	-33.77%	397	273	-31.23%



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**SOUTH EAST AREA  
JOINT POLICING SUB-COMMITTEE  
Update Quarter 2  
22<sup>nd</sup> June 2023**



Comhairle Cathrach  
Bhaile Átha Cliath  
Dublin City Council

# HIGH PRIORITY OBJECTIVE 1 – COMMUNITY SAFETY

## (An Garda Síochána Policing Plan – Goal 3)

**Work together to ensure that people feel safe in their homes and their communities by reducing crime and the fear of crime**

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Create an awareness amongst the citizens of the South East Area of Crime Prevention and Community Safety Initiatives</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 12</p>	<p>Crime Prevention advice tweeted after quarterly meetings (where relevant)</p> <p>Safety information leaflets circulated to members</p> <p>Safety information leaflets circulated to all Community/Business Groups in the Area.</p> <p>Safety initiatives promoted by South East Area Councillors in clinics &amp; newsletters.</p> <p>List of "Victim Help Groups" promoted by South East Area JPC</p>	<p>South East Area JPC</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>Operation Thor continues to be in operation in this Division. All burglaries reported are subject to Technical Examination. Crime Prevention advice is given to victims.</p> <p>The Burglary Response Unit was replenished with new members on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of January, which replaced members lost to promotions and transfers. This unit continues to tackle known offenders</p> <p>Community Policing members continue to deliver safety information to residents &amp; stakeholders within their individual CPA's. Community Policing Units also received new members on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of January.</p> <p>On the 4<sup>th</sup> of May, Pearse Street Community Gardaí gave a business safety talk to businesses on Sir John Rogersons Quay, which included safety tips when traveling to and from work.</p>



**Work together to ensure that people feel safe in their homes and their communities by reducing crime and the fear of crime**

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Support the Neighbourhood Watch Schemes in the area.</p> <p align="center">Page 13</p>	<p>Neighbourhood Watch Stickers, crime prevention advice and booklets distributed through local Neighbourhood Watch meetings</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b></p> <p>Community Gardaí continue to liaise with local representatives and residents in response to specific issues, targeting anti-social and or criminal behaviour.</p> <p>In Q2, members from Pearse Street Community Policing Unit held a meeting with residents of Verschoyle Court and Greenore complex.</p> <p>On the 29<sup>th</sup> of March, Donnybrook Community Policing held a talk in Pembroke Library for local elderly people. The objective of this talk is to give security &amp; safety advice to this group.</p> <p>There are regular meetings held with each neighbourhood watch committee attended by the Community Policing Sergeants or Gardaí.</p> <p>In addition, there is a designated liaison Community Garda for each sector in the sub-district and they provide assistance with crime prevention advice as well as local initiative's run by various groups. This is regularly monitored and overseen by the Community Support Office.</p>

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<p>Support the Neighbourhood Watch Schemes in the area.</p> <p align="center">Page 14</p>	<p>Neighbourhood Watch Stickers, crime prevention advice and booklets distributed through local Neighbourhood Watch meetings</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>The Crumlin Community Police Unit, in conjunction with the Dublin South City Partnership, produced new leaflets featuring details of the local Community Policing Unit and crime prevention advice, and these have been circulated among Residents Associations and community stakeholders.</p> <p>Contact details continue to be exchanged between Community Gardaí and local residents on an informal basis, which results in a two-way flow of information.</p> <p>The Terenure and Rathmines Community Policing Units continue to liaise with Neighbourhood Watch coordinators on a regular basis. Formally meetings have also taken place during the last quarter.</p>

## Work together to ensure people feel safe in their homes and communities by reducing crime and the fear of crime

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Continue to recognise and respond to the needs of victims of crime and to ensure protection of vulnerable persons and groups</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 15</p>	<p>Continued implementation of the Garda Diversity Strategy, the Garda Older People Strategy &amp; the Safer Communities Campaign Continued engagement with individuals and victim groups. Continued liaison with Family Liaison Groups.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b> Gardaí continue to conduct Domestic Violence call backs under <b>Operation Faoiseamh</b> to ensure any concerns from victims are being addressed. In person call-backs to victims of domestic abuse and residential burglaries are conducted within 7 days of an incident occurring.</p> <p>On 26<sup>th</sup> of May Pearse St. Community Gardaí held a clinic with IBAT students &amp; staff with an emphasis on diversity issues both in and outside the workplace.</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin /Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>Community Gardaí have regular liaison with older and vulnerable people in the locality, including frequent visits of an informal nature, and also formalised call-backs where such persons have fallen victim to crime.</p> <p>Community Gardaí have engaged with and supported the work of a day centre catering for the local elderly population, serving as a route via which Gardaí were able to disseminate crime prevention advice and generally reach out to help keep them safe.</p> <p>All victim of crimes are contacted by the An Garda Síochána and community policing visit the most vulnerable.</p> <p>Vulnerable placed on register and visited through the year.</p>

## Work together to promote safe cycling & traffic safety in the city

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Ensure that major events proceed with minimum disruption to business and movement in the city</p> <p>Page 16</p>	<p>Continue to work in partnership in relation to the management of planned and unplanned events in the South East Area</p>	<p>Dublin City Council &amp; An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b></p> <p>There is ongoing communication and co-operation between DCC and the Events office in Pearse Street &amp; Donnybrook in the lead up to all major events, demonstrations and protests.</p> <p>All events that take place are effectively policed and managed.</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>No such events have taken place in the part of the South East Area policed by Crumlin, Sundrive Road, Terenure or Rathmines Gardaí during this quarter.</p>



## Work together to promote safe cycling & traffic safety in the city

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Work together to promote safe cycling in the city</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 17</p>	<p>Road Safety Awareness Programmes held in schools</p>	<p>Dublin City Council &amp; An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p>Information sharing continues on the Garda Síochána Social media pages, with lots of information in respect of safe cycling.</p> <p>School talks incorporating Bike Safety continued throughout Q2.</p> <p>Community Policing members continue to promote bike safety with people they meet out cycling within their communities.</p> <p>As part of <b>National Bike week, on the 21<sup>st</sup> of May</b>, Community Policing members from Irishtown &amp; Donnybrook supported the Sandymount Cycle Bus group in running a <b>Fun Cycle</b>, promoting cycling as a fun and practical way to travel within our community. It was a great success and attended by over 150 cyclists.</p> <p>On the same date, Pearse Street Community Policing took part in <b>Cyclepalooza</b>, which was attended by approx 300 cyclists. Bike safety info &amp; leaflets were given out at all events through National Bike Week.</p> <p><b><u><a href="#">Crumlin and Terenure AGS</a></u></b></p> <p>Community Gardaí continue to liaise closely with local schools. This includes the provision of talks with children in which road safety issues are discussed.</p> <p>Community Gardaí have also consistently used opportunities to distribute high visibility vests jackets to cyclists.</p>

## Create safer and more peaceful local communities by working together to promote public order and reduce anti-social behaviour in the South East Area

	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Dublin City Council and An Garda Síochána to continue to work in partnership in relation to the management of Events in the South East Area</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 18</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána and South East Area staff involved in the consultation process of all events in the area.</p>	<p>Dublin City Council and An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b></p> <p>There is ongoing communication and co-operation between DCC and the Events offices in Pearse Street &amp; Donnybrook Stations in the lead up to all Demonstrations and Protests.</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>No large events (concerts, festivals, matches etc.) have taken place in the part of the South East Area policed by Crumlin or Sundrive Road Gardaí during this quarter.</p> <p>The <b>Harold's Cross Festival</b> took place on the 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> May 2023. Preparations for the policing of this were made by local Gardaí in conjunction with Dublin City Council. The event was a great success.</p>

## Create safer and more peaceful local communities by working together to promote public order and reduce anti-social behaviour in the South East Area

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Continue to implement bye-laws and existing legislation to combat drinking on open spaces and in public places throughout the area</p>	<p>Stringent application by An Garda Síochána is applied where large crowds gather particularly on event days (concerts, matches etc).</p> <p>Continued liaison with the licensed trade and those involved in the management of the night time economy</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b></p> <p>There is regular engagement with all local businesses and licensees across the Area, to ensure compliance with the Intoxicating liquor Act and that potential fines are outlined for selling alcohol to underage and/or drunk individuals.</p> <p>On the 17<sup>th</sup> of April, Gardaí from the Divisional Drugs Unit attended Gonzaga College to present an information talk on <b>Alcohol &amp; Drug abuse</b>. There was additional guest speakers from <b>Alcohol Action Ireland</b> and an adolescent psychiatrist. Over 50 parents were present and expressed their gratitude for this informative talk.</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>No large events (concerts, festivals, matches etc.) have taken place in the part of the South East Area policed by Crumlin, Sundrive Road, Terenure or Rathmines Gardaí during this quarter.</p> <p>Licensed premises inspections continue to be conducted by Gardaí, to ensure compliance with relevant laws.</p> <p><b>‘Operation Irene’</b> – a policing plan to address with an increased impetus the issues of underage drinking / drinking in public places / anti-social behaviour during summer months began on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023 and will conclude on 31<sup>st</sup> August 2023.</p>

# HIGH PRIORITY OBJECTIVE 2 – CRIME PREVENTION

## (An Garda Síochána Policing Plan – Goal 3)

To keep under review the levels and patterns of crime, disorder and anti-social behaviour and the factors underlying and contributing to the levels of crime, disorder and anti-social behaviour in the South East Area

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Reduce property crimes such as burglaries, thefts and robberies</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 20</p>	<p>Crime “hotspots” targeted</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b> The <b>Divisional Burglary Response Unit</b> carry out targeted patrols across the SE Area.</p> <p>The <b>Crime Prevention Officer</b> has conducted a number of security surveys &amp; assessments to reduce the incidents of property crimes.</p> <p>Prolific offenders are targeted and objections to bail are made in the District Court. Bail is revoked where breaches of bail are detected.</p> <p>Engagement is ongoing with stakeholders in a joint approach to successful reductions in anti-social &amp; criminal behavior.</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p><b>‘Operation Thor’</b> checkpoints and proactive patrols are carried out day and night in D12, D6 &amp; D6W to prevent and detecting burglaries and related crimes.</p> <p>Detective and Burglary Response Units actively pursue those involved in property crimes, by proactive policing activity and by providing specialised support to the investigation of such crimes.</p> <p><b>Crime Prevention advice</b> continues.</p>

**To keep under review the levels and patterns of crime, disorder and anti-social behaviour and the factors underlying and contributing to the levels of crime, disorder and anti-social behaviour in the South East Area**

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Identify individual “hot spots” including laneways in the area in the context of anti- social behaviour.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 21</p>	<p>Regular monitoring of “hotspots” including laneways is carried out by the Gardaí and Dublin City Council on an ongoing basis.</p>	<p>Dublin City Council &amp; An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b></p> <p><b>Public disorder hotspots</b> are continually monitored and targeted by a range of Garda Units, including Community Policing, Operation Citizen, the public Order Unit and the Burglary Response Unit.</p> <p>Pearse Street Gardaí have partaken in numerous operations in the Grand Canal Basin area targeting anti social behaviour.</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p><b>Park patrols</b> are conducted on a daily basis by Community Policing Units, targeting anti-social behaviour.</p> <p>A Community Response Unit – one Sergeant and seven Gardaí – has been activated and assigned on a full time basis to targeting anti-social behaviour in the areas policed by Crumlin, Sundrive Road, Terenure and Rathmines Garda Stations.</p> <p>Local Garda management and Community Gardaí engage with stakeholders (including the Sundrive Residents Association, Friends of Eamonn Ceannt Park and local sports clubs) to identify problems where they exist and devise appropriate responses thereto.</p>

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<p>Continuing to target the organised crime groups harming communities through violence and the sale and supply of drugs</p> <p>Page 22</p>	<p>Quarterly reporting on our success in targeting organised crime groups, emerging threats and challenges</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b></p> <p>Community Policing members &amp; Operation Citizen, with the assistance of the Divisional Drugs Unit, continue to target the sale &amp; supply in the Pearse Street CE Area, specifically within the environs of <b>Pearse House &amp; Mercer House</b>, throughout Q2.</p> <p>On the 3<sup>rd</sup> of May, there was a Stakeholder meeting in <b>Pearse House</b>, regarding developing a plan to address ongoing anti-social behaviour around the Pearse House vicinity.</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>The local Garda Drugs Units continue to actively target drug dealing, from street level to those involved in the wholesale distribution of the drugs that end up being sold locally.</p> <p>The Units have continued to enjoy considerable success in that respect.</p>

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<p>Drugs Detection</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 23</p>	<p>Quarterly reporting on the sale/supply of drugs.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><a href="#"><u>DMR South Central</u></a></p> <p>There have been <b>28</b> detections for the Sale &amp; Supply of Drugs in Q2 (1<sup>st</sup> March, 2023 – 16<sup>th</sup> June, 2023)</p> <p>This is a <b>12%</b> increase in detections compared to the same time period in 2022 (<b>25</b> detections)</p> <p>This increase in detections can be largely attributed to the <u>additional members</u> assigned to the Drugs Unit on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of January, 2023.</p> <p><a href="#"><u>DMR South</u></a></p> <p>Statistics provided by Divisional Office in crime Statistics.</p>

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<p>The Local Authority &amp; An Garda Síochána to develop ways of local collaboration to reduce incidents of particular crime...</p> <p>Page 24</p>	<p>Promote the pilot pedal cycle registration scheme which is in operation in the E &amp; D districts in an effort to thwart stolen bikes being circulated and to facilitate the return of "found" bikes to owners by the Gardaí.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b></p> <p>Staff at PEMS (Property) offices across the Division continue efforts to return all seized &amp; recovered bikes to their rightful owners through the use of the <b>Pulse database</b>.</p> <p>Pictures of stolen &amp; found bikes are also put on the <b>Garda Síochána Facebook page</b> to gather information and return the bicycle to its rightful owner, where no personal engraving is found.</p> <p>As part of <b>National Bike week, on the 21<sup>st</sup> of May</b>, Community Policing members from Irishtown &amp; Donnybrook supported the Sandymount Cycle Bus group in running <b>a Fun Cycle</b> through the Sandymount area, promoting cycling as a fun and practical way to travel within our community. It was a great success and attended by over 150 cyclists.</p> <p>On the same date, Pearse Street Community Policing took part in <b>Cyclepalooza</b>, which was attended by approx. 300 cyclists. Bike safety info &amp; leaflets were given out at all events through National Bike Week</p>



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<p>The Local Authority &amp; An Garda Síochána to develop ways of local collaboration to reduce incidents of particular crime <b>cont'd</b></p> <p>Page 25</p>	<p>Promote the pilot pedal cycle registration scheme which is in operation in the E &amp; D districts in an effort to thwart stolen bikes being circulated and to facilitate the return of "found" bikes to owners by the Gardaí.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>Gardaí have used opportunities, including public events, for <b>bicycle marking</b>, using a device for that purpose. This enables the identification of the owner of such bicycles where they are found or recovered.</p> <p>Gardaí have had success in <b>recovering</b> stolen bicycles and reuniting them with their owners.</p> <p><b>Gardaí have circulated</b> crime prevention advice to promote steps by cyclists that may prevent their bicycles becoming the subject of theft.</p>

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Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>To utilise a partnership approach to the removal of <b>graffiti</b> in the South East Area.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 26</p>	<p>Ongoing liaison between Dublin City Council and the Gardaí.</p> <p>Evidence provided by Dublin City Council to An Garda Síochána in relation to graffiti incidents where relevant.</p>	<p>Dublin City Council &amp; An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b></p> <p>There is <u>1 complaint</u> reported on our system to date in Q2.</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>Gardaí conduct ongoing proactive patrols in relation to this and other crime types, and are continuing to liaise with Dublin City Council in that regard.</p> <p><b><u>DCC</u></b></p> <p>All incidents of graffiti continue to be investigated when reported.</p> <p><b>Over 840 sq.m of graffiti</b> has been removed by the DCC appointed contractor <b>since 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023</b>.</p> <p>Graffiti is also removed by residents, traders, Community groups, DCC Waste Management and other DCC Department crews.</p> <p><b>Over 26 Graffiti reports</b> are currently being investigated by the South East area (whether reported via the Citizen Hub or spotted by Public Domain staff when out and about).</p> <p>We continue to engage with the <b>Utility companies</b> (ESB, EIR,VIRGIN,GAS NETWORKS ) to have graffiti cleansed from their utilities.</p>

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Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Continue to enforce the Criminal Justice Public Order Act 2011 (Begging Legislation) to combat begging in the area.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 27</p>	<p>Continued Garda Enforcement.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b>  <b>Community Policing</b> members and <b>Operation Citizen</b> members attached to Pearse Street continue to concentrate on the problem areas, namely George's Street, Lower Baggot Street, Main Street Ranelagh, Sandymount Village, Grafton St, etc.</p> <p>In this quarter, <b>Camden Street</b> has been noted as having an increase in the reports of aggressive begging taking place. Operation Citizen &amp; the CRT (Kevin Street) have initiated a joint operation to rectify this issue.</p> <p>The enforcement of the legislation where applicable continues, with prosecutions through the District Court. In the South East Area, there are 3 detections under the Begging legislation in Q2 to date (1<sup>st</sup> of March 2023– 16<sup>th</sup> of June, 2023) This is a <b>55%</b> decrease in detections compared to the same time period in 2022 (<b>12</b> detections)</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>Gardaí continue to conduct proactive patrols in relation to this and other forms of anti-social behaviour</p>

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Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Provide Estate Management Statistics in relation to anti-social behaviour complaints in Dublin City Council complexes</p> <p>Page 28</p>	<p>Statistics provided for Quarterly meetings</p>	<p>Dublin City Council</p>	<p>Quarterly</p>	<p><a href="#"><u>Rathmines/Crumlin/Kimmage area</u></a></p> <p><b>From 1<sup>st</sup> March 2023</b></p> <p><b>40 complaints</b> were received, as follows:</p> <p>Anti-Social Complaints, 1997 Act - drug related - <b>0</b></p> <p>Anti-Social Complaints, 1997 Act - not drug related – <b>13</b></p> <p>No. Other Complaints (nuisance) was <b>27</b>.</p> <p>No. of Interviews was <b>15</b>.</p> <p><a href="#"><u>SEIC/Pembroke areas</u></a></p> <p><b>From 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023</b></p> <p><b>47 complaints</b> were received, (concerning 62 unique incidences of ASB / nuisance behaviour). as follows:</p> <p>Anti-Social Complaints, 1997 Act - drug related - <b>1</b></p> <p>Anti-Social Complaints, 1997 Act - not drug related – <b>27</b></p> <p>No. Other Complaints (nuisance) was <b>34</b>.</p> <p>No. of Interviews was <b>6</b>.</p> <p>No. of Complaints dealt with by Housing Managers &amp; Project Estate Officers and Staff in person or by phone was <b>62</b>.</p>

## To reduce the levels of anti-social behaviour in public parks, open spaces and on beaches by improving co-ordination between An Garda Síochána, Dublin City Council and community representatives

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Establish regular liaison between An Garda Síochána and Dublin City Council to address factors contributing to anti- social behaviour in public parks and open spaces</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 29</p>	<p>Regular meetings held between Dublin City Council &amp; An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>Dublin City Council &amp; An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b></p> <p>There is ongoing liaison with DCC, An Garda Síochána and all stakeholders in an effort to reduce anti-social behaviour in parks.</p> <p>All Community Gardaí and core unit members regularly patrol the parks in the area, which include, St. Stephens Green, Merrion Square &amp; Ringsend Park, to capture breeches of Liquor Licensing Laws, DCC By Laws and/or anti-social behaviour.</p> <p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>Regular engagement is ongoing between Gardaí and Dublin City Council, both informally and via local Community Safety Fora.</p> <p>There is a direct line of communication between the local Community Garda and Dublin City Council staff in Eamonn Ceannt Park. This is in addition to An Garda Síochána’s continued participation in the ‘Friends of Eamonn Ceannt Park’ forum.</p> <p>On 31<sup>st</sup> May 2023, the Community Policing Unit Sergeant and the Divisional Crime Prevention Sergeant met local stakeholders, including from Dublin City Council, at Eamon Ceannt Park. This will feed into ongoing policing plans in terms of prevention and detection of anti-social behaviour and crime in that park.</p>

## To work together to provide alternatives to anti-social behaviour for young people (target audience age 10 – 21years)

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>To support the use of sport as an effective tool in engaging young people at risk of drug misuse into more structured and positive activities</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 30</p>	<p>Co-ordinate and implement sustainable sporting programmes for young people of the South East Area</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána &amp; Dublin City Council</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>Community Gardaí have worked in collaboration with Lourdes Celtic Football Club (Eamonn Ceannt Park) and Crumlin GAA Club (William Pearse Park) to address concerns around anti-social behaviour and thereby increase positive use of their facilities by the local community.</p> <p>The Terenure and Rathmines Community Policing Unit have been running a <b>monthly football workshop</b> with local youths, in conjunction with Swan Leisure and Dublin City Council.</p> <p>Community Gardaí continue to liaise closely with local schools. This includes the provision of talks with children in which the dangers associated with drug use are discussed.</p> <p><b><u>DCC</u></b></p> <p><b>Youth At Risk (10-21 years)</b> programmes aim to provide viable outlets for young people to take part in and enjoy sport and physical activity on an ongoing basis, to mitigate anti-social behaviour and are delivered in partnership with various partners, local Youth Services and An Garda Síochána.</p> <p><b>Youth At Risk Highlights in the SE area :</b> Local Sports/Fund Days to take place in 2 locations on the 24<sup>th</sup> June and at the Good Counsel GAA Club pitches on Davitt Rd Drimnagh on 25<sup>th</sup> June .</p>

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Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>To continue to work in partnership with schools, community groups and centres to increase access for young people to sports and recreational facilities in the South East Area.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 31</p>	<p>To provide sports programmes using city council facilities and facilities provided by other organisations. This is achieved by the continuing co-ordination of partnership programmes in the South East Area.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána &amp; Dublin City Council</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>Community Gardaí worked in collaboration with Lourdes Celtic Football Club (Eamonn Ceannt Park) and Crumlin GAA Club (William Pearse Park) to address concerns around anti-social behaviour and increase positive use of facilities by the local community.</p> <p>Gardaí continue to participate in, and support, the work of the Friends of Eamonn Ceannt Park group.</p> <p>Community policing run a monthly football workshop with local youths, in conjunction with Swan Leisure and Dublin City Council.</p> <p><b><u>DCC</u></b></p> <p>Sport For Young People Club Small <b>Grant Scheme 2023</b> - 170 clubs from within Dublin City applied for the grant by the closing date, 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2023. A list of applicants from each administrative area can be provided in July when assessments commence.</p> <p>Primary Schools <b>Fun Sports Day</b> takes place in Brickfields Park on 23/06/23 to give local children a fun sports day with friends while making them more familiar with their local amenities.</p> <p><b>Fund and Games through Athletics</b> ran between 29/03/23 – 15/06/23 in St. Patricks Choir School. Primary School student from Bunscoil Sancta Maria (ERST) Synge St. will take part in the <b>Startbox Aviva Stadium Experience</b> on 27/06/23).</p>

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Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>To liaise with National Government Bodies in coordinating sports programmes.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Page 32</p>	<p>Regular communication with National Government Bodies</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána and Dublin City Council</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><a href="#"><u>DCC</u></a></p> <p><b>Partnership programmes</b> with St. Andrew’s Youth Service, Pearse St. Recreation Centre, RICCY’s Youth Service, Brú and Clay Youth Services, Ballyfermot Youth Adventure Centre continue.</p> <p><b>After-school programmes</b> including fundamental fitness classes with primary school and inclusion and integration after-school programmes continued in the area and during Apr-June 2023</p> <p>Young People from local youth services with the South East area took part in the <b>Hell and Back 7k Obstacle Course</b> on 10/06/23 in the Kilruddery Estate, Bray Co. Wicklow. Participants had been taking part in a 8 week lead in programme to train ahead of the main event on 10/06/23</p>



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Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Support the work of the Garda Juvenile Diversion Programme, the City of Dublin Youth Services Board, the South East Area Sports Development Officer, National Governing Bodies, School Completion Coordinator, Local Drugs Task Force and Local Community Groups .</p>	<p>Identify priority groups through effective communication with the relevant organisations. Implement partnership programmes between the Sports Development Officer and the relevant groups.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána &amp; Dublin City Council.</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>Crumlin and Terenure AGS</u></b></p> <p>Gardaí continue to engage with, support, and assist in the governance of, the local <b>Youth Diversion Project, CLAY (Dublin 12)</b>.</p> <p>Gardaí also continue to actively engage with and support the Dublin 12 <b>Local Drugs and Alcohol Task Force</b>.</p> <p><b><u>DCC</u></b></p> <p>Work also continues in partnership with the DCSWP high-level advisory board around the Governance code and achieving compliance. Representatives on the board include members from National Governing Bodies. The board advises and guides DCSWP as well as providing an important communication forum.</p> <p><b>Child Protection and Safeguarding courses 1, 2 and 3</b> continue to be coordinated by DCSWP to facilitate coaches working with children and/or vulnerable persons in partnership with Sport Ireland and NGB's.</p> <p><b>Tennis Lessons for Primary School children</b> in St Christopher's School - 4th class are taking place every Tuesday Morning at Lansdowne Tennis Club Londonbridge Road, Dublin 4 between dates 06/06/23-27/06/23</p>

# HIGH PRIORITY OBJECTIVE 3 –PROMOTING THE BENEFITS OF DIVERSITY WITHIN THE COMMUNITY

## (Lord Mayors Commission on Anti-Social Behaviour & South East Area JPC)

To work together to promote the positive benefits of diversity within the community

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Promote Garda Services and the role of the Garda Ethnic Liaison Officers to make migrant communities aware of the Garda Intercultural and Diversity Office to encourage them to report crimes including racist incidents</p>	<p>Support community organisations to help promote good relationships between different communities and to establish links between immigrant communities and the Gardaí and facilitate and promote the appropriate reporting of racist incidents.</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>On going</p>	<p><b><u>DMR South Central</u></b>                      Garda Diversity Officers and all Community Policing members in each Community Engagement Area continue to support our new communities and encourage them to report crime.</p> <p>There are now <b>11</b> trained Diversity Officers attached to the South East Area. All Hate Crimes are investigated thoroughly. The Community Support Office also assigns a Diversity Officer to liaise with the injuries party in each Hate Crime Incident.</p> <p>There have been <b>5</b> reported Hate Crime Incidents for the South East Area for Q2 to date (1<sup>st</sup> of April, 2023 – 16<sup>th</sup> June, 2023) Investigations are in progress and the Diversity Officers continue to liaise with the injured parties. This is an <b>55%</b> decrease on the reported Hate Crime Incidents for the same time period in 2022 (<b>11</b>)</p> <p>There is ongoing liaison with the community at the Islamic Cultural Centre in Clonskeagh and the Gurdwara Temple. Community Gardaí in Donnybrook ensure that both are visited regularly and there is a good relationship built up between the Community Gardaí and the Islamic &amp; Sikh community.</p> <p>There is continued communication with all embassies located in the area, including the American, British, Turkish, Israeli etc.</p>

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# HIGH PRIORITY OBJECTIVE 4 - WORK TOGETHER TO IMPROVE THE PERFORMANCE OF THE SOUTH EAST AREA JPC

## (South East Area JPC)

### To enhance the structure and relationship between the Joint Policing Subcommittee and the Community Safety Fora

Strategic Objectives	Summary of actions to be taken	Lead person/agency key partners	Timescale for action	Summarise Progress Achieved
<p>Enhance the structure and relationship between the Joint Policing Subcommittee and the Community Safety Fora</p> <p>Review &amp; evaluate the effectiveness of JPC and CSF structures with the objective of improving performance.</p>	<p>Quarterly meetings of South East Area JPC Steering Committee to review and evaluate performance of JPC</p> <p>Bi- annual meetings with the Steering Committee and CSF representatives</p>	<p>JPC Steering Committee</p>	<p>Quarterly</p>	<p><b><u>Community Safety Fora</u></b></p> <p>Efforts continue to assist the re-convening of the two Fora at <b>Charlemont/Whitefriar</b> and <b>Pearse Street</b> - meetings to be arranged with Community Policing Section, Councillors and DCC.</p> <p>Hopes for imminent meetings to be scheduled.</p> <p>4 new membership applications received for the Pearse Street Fora can be considered by the Committee when it reconvenes.</p> <p>In Quarter 2, <u>no formal issues raised</u> to the JPC by the fora.</p>