## DMR North - North Central JPC Sub Committee - Garda Report



## Garda Síochána Act 2005 – Joint Policing Guidelines 15.9

The following is compiled by way of general information, for the period under review, as per regulation 17.6, in accordance with the headings specified in that regulation, (1) Commission of Crime and (2) Crime Prevention matters.

Garda Station / (Sub)District	Coolock	Period	01/01/2022 – 31/03/2023
Superintendent	Ronan Barry	Date of JPC Meeting	17 <sup>th</sup> April 2023

Reports Of	2022	2023	Change	Detection Rate 2022	Detection Rate 2023	Comments
Homicide	0	0	-	-	-	
Assault Causing Harm	24	18	-28%	12.5%	28%	Increased crime patrols – significant decrease
Assault Minor	45	34	-24%	21%	3%	Increased crime patrols – significant decrease
Aggravated Burglary	2	0	-100%	0	-	
Burglary	25	31	+24%	20%	16%	
Criminal Damage	92	98	-7%	13%	19%	Increased crime patrols – small increase
Discharge of Firearm	2	0	-100%	0	0	
Robbery from Person	5	3	-40%	40%	0	Increased crime patrols – significant decrease
Robbery from Establishments	8	4	-50%	40%	50%	Significant decrease
Theft from the Person	2	4	+100%	0	0	Opportunistic mobile phone thefts from person
Theft from MPV	23	23	-	0	22%	
Theft from Shop	111	123	+11%	45%	36%	Slight increase for 2023 – Covid unemployment led to increased numbers in 2023
Theft (Other)	49	73	+49%	49%	1%	Signification increase in fuel thefts due to cost of living crisis
UT of Vehicle	33	30	-9%	6%	0	
Fraud / Deception	112	44	-61%	11%	5%	National media education campaign has resulted in a decrease of incidents of fraud
Public Order Incidents	64	82	+28%	69%	62%	

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Domestic						
Violence						Valuable assistance and advice is
Incidents	136	189	+39%	N/A	-	provided at calls and follow up calls
(including						by members
breaches)						

Garda Patrol Activity	2022	2023	Change	Detection Rate 2022	Detection Rate 2023	Comments
ASBO Issued	4	0	-100%	0	0	
Possession of Firearm	0	0	0	0	0	
Possession of Drugs for Sale or Supply	23	22	-4%	35%	55%	Low detection percentage as substances must be analysed before detection can be updated Street Value €8,585,660 seized in final quarter of year 2022
Possession of Drugs for Personal Use	23	48	+109%	91%	42%	Significant increase in drugs searches and patrols
Possession of Offensive Weapon	16	13	-19%	63%	69%	Significant decrease due to increased crime patrols
Vehicle Seizures Sec 41	86	123	+43%	n/a		Significant increase in detections with MIT check points
Offences Against Animals	2 Horses	2 Dogs		0	0	

#### Notable Drugs Captures 2022: Jan 22 – Mar 22

23 major Drugs Captures during this time.

From January 2022 to March 2022 – 23 drugs captures in the Coolock Sub District which resulted in seizures of the following

Cannabis valuing at €410962,

Cocaine valuing at €167240,

Heroin valuing at €168470,

Xanax valuing at €7010.

#### Notable Drugs Captures 2023: Jan 23 - Mar 23

22 major Drugs Captures during this period.

From October 2022 to December 2022 - 22 drugs captures in the Coolock Sub District which resulted in seizures of the following

Cannabis valuing at €2,538760,

Cocaine valuing at €20513,

Heroin valuing at €591

Xanax valuing at €169784

#### **Community Policing:**

- Continue with current Garda Satellite Stations:
- Darndale Bell Centre (12md 2pm) Each Monday (Ex. Bank Holidays);
- Donaghmede (10 11am) Each Wednesday;
- Edenmore (12 1pm) Each Wednesday;
- Clongriffin (11am to 1pm) Each Saturday.
- Continue to Support GAA clubs with young person;
- Continuing with Schools Program –17 National Schools and 8 Secondary Schools;
- We have 10 courses to deliver e.g. Road Safety, Cyber, Bullying etc... (National schools)

#### February 16th - ROBBERY ARREST AND CHARGE

Report of a female shoplifter at above location. Female took numerous items to the value of €38.26. Female walked past all points of payment without making any effort to pay. RK tried to retrieve the property from the female outside the scene. Female produced a silver pocketknife during RK. No injuries. Female arrested and conveyed to Coolock Garda Station. Some goods recovered. UOF not required.

On January 16<sup>th,</sup> this same suspect threatened to stab staff during a robbery at store.

### January – March 2023 – BURGLARY ARREST AND CHARGE

5 males were arrested, charged and are before the courts in relation to Burglary incidents

January 9<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> 2023 – Operation Pastern – identification of recidivist shoplifters 9 arrests were made during Operation Pastern this week, recidivist shoplifters were identified through cctv footage, operation was put in place to arrest, charge suspects

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

# Crime Prevention Matters and Other

Information