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GADD Community Council Meeting

Date of Meeting: Thursday 28th May 2020

Foreword:

During the period of the last report there have been several incidents of note.

I am aware that there may be more incidents but, due to the nature of these, or ongoing investigations, I cannot give full details.

They are broken down in terms of the agreed priorities for the ward.



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Ward Priorities

1. Road Safety

- On Wednesday 29th April, a call was received regarding a vehicle driving in a dangerous manner in Gullane. Vehicle was traced and driver warned.
- On Thursday 30th April, between 1330 – 1430 hours, a speed check was carried out on the A198 in both Gullane and North Berwick. A number of drivers were warned in line with Road Traffic legislation and one driver issued with a fixed penalty ticket in relation to driving otherwise than in accordance with a driving licence.
- On Friday 1st May, Static road checks were carried out on the A198 at Aberlady and Gullane. No issues.
- On Saturday 2nd May, police stopped a vehicle on the A198 Gullane. No insurance held on the vehicle. Driver cautioned and charged and vehicle seized.
- On Wednesday 20th May, whilst on mobile patrol, officers stopped at vehicle on Marine Terrace, Gullane as a brake light was out. Checks were conducted and the driver of the vehicle only had a provisional driving licence, not displaying L plate and whilst unsupervised. Driver was cautioned and charged appropriately.

2. Antisocial Behaviour

- During the afternoon of Wednesday 20th May a large group of people, approximately 150 persons mainly from Edinburgh descended on Gullane intend on having a party on the beach, they were dispersed and sent on their way.

3. Housebreaking

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4. Parking – April 2020 issued by ELC

- Aberlady - 1 PCN's (1 outside Nature Reserve)
- Gullane - 55 PCN's (52 on Marine Terrace at Gullane Bents with Car parks being shut (problem area)
- Yellowcraigs – 27 PCN's on Ware Rd at Yellowcraigs with Car parks being shut (problem area)



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Other Incidents of note / relevant Community Council information

- On Sunday 3rd May, police stopped a vehicle with 5 males within on the A198 at Gullane. One male reported for drugs offences and 4 covid19 tickets issued.
- On Monday 4th May, police were called to a possible human arm sticking out the marshy sand at Aberlady Bay Nature Reserve. Police attended and sent picture to bones specialist who confirmed that it was bones of a seal.
- On 8th May, police were on mobile patrol when they were alerted to a bus travelling on the A198 near to Aberlady. Police observed a male lighting a lighter sitting in the rear of the bus. The bus was stopped and the male searched where a small amount of drugs were found. Male reported for summons.

During these difficult times we can be contacted by the below e-mail address with any questions or issues you may have. Hope to see you all soon. Regards Iain and Peter

Feedback from meeting

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