



Quarterly Report to Fingal Joint Policing Committee

For period March – May 2023

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02nd June 2023

Garda Síochána Act 2005



In accordance with the Garda Síochána Act 2005 Section 36, the Council shall, in performing its functions, have regard to the importance of taking steps to prevent crime, disorder and anti – social behaviour within its area of responsibility.

This quarterly report will present ongoing information on the above which is in relation to and ancillary to the functions and work of the Fingal Joint Policing Committee.

Fingal County Council works in partnership with An Garda Síochána and the Community in areas of public order including the following:

- Anti-social behaviour
- Drinking in public places,
- Traffic management,
- Planning of major events
- Outdoor dining and casual trading
- Safer neighbourhoods – estate management (including tenancy enforcement and Public Lighting)
- Community based crime prevention initiatives etc.

Fingal Joint Policing - Website



- ❑ Shortcut www.fingal.ie/JPC is now live.
- ❑ All documentation and reports from the JPC are public documents
- ❑ Meeting documentation from 2022 & 2021 is now available online.

Fingal County Council LA16 Reports for 2023



Q1 2023 – 0 Reports

Fingal County Council – Abandoned Cars



2022/2023 Figures

2022	Abandoned Car	Burnt out Vehicle
Jan	0	0
Feb	0	1
Mar	3	0
Apr	2	0
May	1	0
Aug	2	0
Oct	2	0
Nov	2	1
Dec	1	1
2023	Abandoned Car	Burnt out Vehicle
Jan	0	1
Feb	1	0
Mar	1	1
Apr	0	0
Total	15	5

There were a total of 383 vehicles reported to the Environment Department in 2022. 33 of the reported vehicles were deemed to be abandoned following our investigations and correspondence to the Last Registered Owners. Final inspections by our Litter Wardens were carried out before the vehicles were removed, 20 of which were not in-situ and no longer deemed abandoned therefore leaving 15 still abandoned and subsequently removed. From January 2023 to date there have been 147 reports of abandoned vehicles received and currently under investigation.

Fingal County Council – Abandoned Cars



How to report an Abandoned Car

To report an abandoned vehicle please contact Environment@Fingal.ie providing the following details:

Vehicle Registration

Colour / Make / Model

Exact Location

Period of time that vehicle has not been moved*

Name and Contact Number

The Council will arrange to investigate the matter.

If the vehicle is deemed to be abandoned the Council will then follow a procedure of issuing notifications to the registered owner.

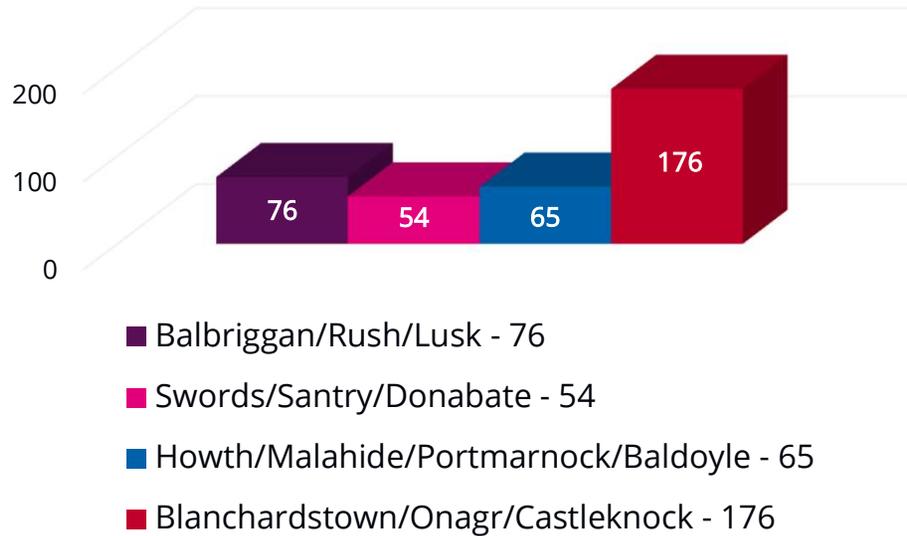
The process from initial inspection to removal can take up to **3 months**.

*Please note that a vehicle must not have moved for a significant period of time for consideration under this policy. (up to **6 weeks**)

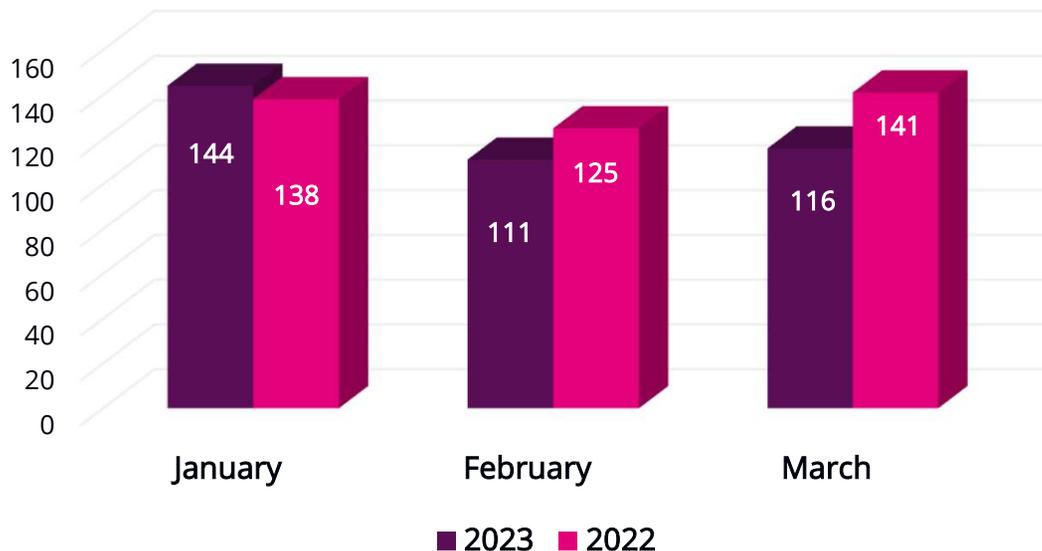
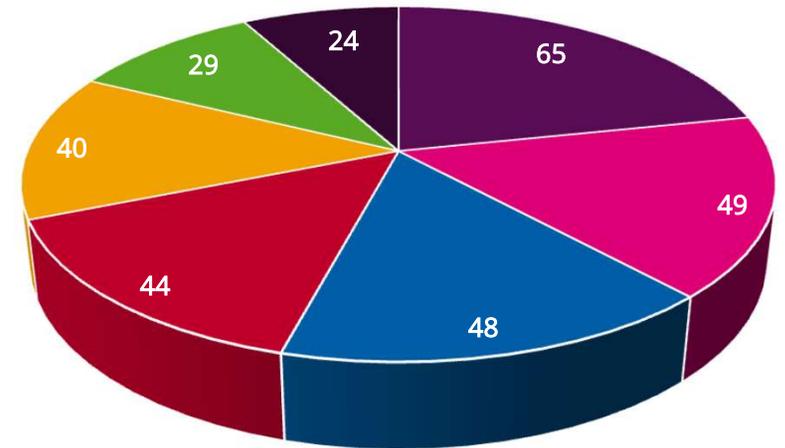
Estate Management – ASB Statistics (Q1 2023)



Q1 2023 - 371



Nature of Complaints Q1 2023 (Jan-March)



- Noise - 65
- Neighbour Dispute - 49
- Other - 48
- Gen. Disturbances by residents - 44
- Harrassment & Intimidation - 40
- Joyriding - 29
- Alleged Drug Dealing - 24

Major Events

Flavours of Fingal County Show takes place at Newbridge Demesne on Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd July 2023.

This is a major two-day event, and traffic management will be in place. Attendees are encouraged to use public transport and there is free admission for bicycle / rail users.




Flavours of Fingal COUNTY SHOW
1st & 2nd July 2023

Join us for
FLAVOURS OF FINGAL
NEWBRIDGE HOUSE, DONABATE

Livestock in the Farmer's Field • Free Family Fun • Circus Tent & Acts
Equestrian Show • Live Music in the Walled Garden • Fingal Village
Living History • Vintage Vehicles • Food • Irish & Ballroom Dancing
Fingal Wellness Area • Newbridge House & Farm & much more!



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ARE WE THERE YET?



ONLY 5 MINUTES FROM THE M50

FREE ADMISSION BY BICYCLE OR RAIL

11am-6pm: Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd July 2023

Newbridge House & Farm,
Hearse Road, Donabate,
Co. Dublin, K36 VR90.









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Concerts

The 2023 series of concerts at Malahide Castle takes place from Wednesday 14th June to Friday 30th June.

Swords Castle Concerts take place 28th to 30th July 2023.



Summer Concerts

MALAHIDE CASTLE

JUNE 2023

<p>DEPECHE MODE WORLD TOUR 2023 Wed 14th June 23</p>	<p>Paolo Nutini JUNE 2023 Fri 16th June 23</p>	<p>blur malahide castle saturday 24 june 2023 Sat 24th June 23</p>	<p>SAM FENDER IRE 2023 23 June BELFAST Belsonic 25 June DUBLIN Malahide Castle Sun 25th June 23</p>
<p>FLORENCE + THE MACHINE DANCE FEVER TOUR 26 JUNE 2023 CORK MUSGRAVE PARK 27 JUNE 2023 DUBLIN MALAHIDE CASTLE Tue 27th June 23</p>	<p>STING MY SONGS 2023 JUNE 28 MALAHIDE CASTLE Wed 28th June 23</p>	<p>HOZIER FRIDAY 30 JUNE 2023 MALAHIDE CASTLE Fri 30th June 23</p>	

MALAHIDE CASTLE-GARDENS | [f /eventsinfingal](#) | [t @eventsinfingal](#) | [fingal.ie/events](#)

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Sports



Womens Softball World Cup Group A matches take place from 11th – 15th July 2023

Fingal 10k takes place on Sunday 16th July 2023.

WBSC WOMEN'S SOFTBALL WORLD CUP

FOR THE TITLE OF WORLD CHAMPION
WBSC.ORG #WomensSoftballIWC @WBSC

GROUP A Fingal-Dublin, Ireland 11-15 July, 2023	GROUP B Valencia, Spain 18-22 July, 2023	GROUP C Castions di Strada & Buttrio Italy, 22-26 July, 2023
<i>Eire</i>	<i>españa</i>	<i>Italia</i>
ASIA 3	ASIA 2	ASIA 1
USA	<i>Cuba</i>	<i>Canada</i>
GREAT BRITAIN	<i>Puerto Rico</i>	VENEZUELA
AUSTRALIA	NETHERLANDS	NEW ZEALAND
BOTSWANA	SOUTH AFRICA	WILDCARD

FINGAL 10K
SUNDAY 16TH JULY 2023

Irish Life

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Fingal Community Development Cross County Diversionary Projects Q2 2023



Youth Initiatives:

- **Fingal Comhairle na nÓg** – continued support of a Service Level Agreement for the coordination over 3 years of a youth council representing the voice of 12 – 18 year-olds living in Fingal
- **SAMH: Donabate, Balbriggan, Malahide & Swords** meet quarterly. Students participating in Planet Youth have presented the findings of their research on addiction among their peers. Research on the prevalence of alcohol abuse and vaping among youth and self-harm among young people
- **Swords Youth Advisory Committee** meet quarterly with key stakeholders as a vehicle for sharing two-way communication between young people and agencies
- **Cricket4All** – An intergenerational project bringing older and younger people together for mutually beneficial activities and build relationships between older and younger people. Pilot in Balbriggan and currently being rolled out in Tyrrelstown and Malahide. Guidelines for best practice published.
- **Summer Projects** – supported Community & Voluntary Groups to prepare their programme and application for summer project funding (34 projects in 2023)
- **Community Safety Innovation Fund**, supporting and working with Safer Blanchardstown on an application for funding to tackle the use of motocross bikes in Dublin 15



Integration & Awareness to encourage participation



- **One Town Singers, Swords:** multi-cultural choir meet every Tuesday at 7pm, St Colmcilles GAA, Swords and perform at local events.
- **Failete Isteach** conversational English language sessions/ supports for Ukrainian and other migrants weekly, Holywell Mondays, Donabate Community Centre, Tuesdays and Thursdays.
- **Sailing Into Wellness** – A 5-day project, which took place in April, that facilitated Ukrainian teens staying temporarily in Deer Park Hotel and Irish students from TU Dublin in learning to sail in Howth Harbour. This project was facilitated by Baldoyle Youth Services, and proved so successful in engaging these previously reported disengaged teens that one participant has since sourced work experience on Howth Harbour via the Sailing Into Wellness team.



Integration & Awareness to encourage participation



- Mulhuddart Green Festival Mulhuddart Community Centre: An environmental festival in Dublin 15 to celebrate World Earth Day
- Through our Eyes, the Power of Women’s Leadership n Community Action Showcasing the Leadership of Women through Photographs
- Exhibition launched in County Hall 6th March and went to a number of library locations across Fingal
- New Toy Library in Dublin 15, supported by the Community and Sports Hub in Mountview to launch in the local community. Now also delivering activities in Ongar
- Cultural Awareness Masterclass to raise awareness delivered online to community and voluntary groups across Fingal .
- Inclusion Awareness Masterclass Series
 - introduction to Diversity, Equality and Inclusion
 - Inclusive Language
 - Bystander Training



Community Development – Pathways to Participation



- **Support** to 35 Community centres across Fingal providing facilities for all ages – Footfall in 2022 = 2.2 million, Footfall to end of April 2023 x 954,361
- **Secured** the outdoor basketball court at Flemington CC from DDLETB for operation by the community centre – for use as a drop in space for the community. Insurance is currently being organised before opening to the community.
- **Garda Clinics and Property Marking** events in Tyrrelstown and Parslickstown community centres– ongoing. Local communities are invited to participate.
- **Launch of Glas @ TU Dublin Community Garden** – strategic partnership with Fingal County Council Community Office, Global Action Plan and TU Dublin to launch a new community garden initiative on the campus of TU Dublin Blanchardstown for the benefit of the wider community on 17th May
- **Over 55s Event, Hartstown**, showcase information event to display advice, information and supports for older people in the local area.
- **Empowering You Empowering Community**, Community Development Leadership training in Mountview Community Centre in partnership with DDLETB
- **Wellness Recovery Action Plan Facilitator Training**, equip local community member to facilitate WRAP training in their own communities
- **Thrive Balbriggan** – addressing Mental Health awareness and supports. New steering committee to look at extending the Thrive programme into other areas across Fingal

Community Development – Pathways to Participation



The Community Development Office has established a pilot project of three “Welcome Rooms” in community centres across Fingal, two in Dublin 15 and one in Swords. They are located at Parslickstown House, Corduff Resource Centre and Rivervalley Community Club.

The rooms are designed to provide a Living Room space within the community centre and are equipped with armchairs, board games, books, a kids play area, TV’s, a radio and charging points for devices.

There is also the facility for people to help themselves to tea and coffee and light refreshments. The space is freely available to all. The rooms are available broadly in line with the opening hours of the centres.

FCC is currently extending the pilot to the end of the year to include a series of pop-up events to encourage participation. A collaboration with Draiocht will take place showcasing an artist in residence.



Sport Development Initiatives



Flemington Basketball Ongoing

- Sport Section continues to support this Programme every Friday evening 7-10pm
- 60-70 participants enjoying Basketball & interacting with staff and Community Garda
- FCC are in discussions with Basketball Ireland to co-fund a basketball development officer – this will be part of their brief
- Q3 - Working with local Garda, FCC Sport is delivering 3v3 'pop-up' Weekend courts in Swords Shopping Centre & Blanchardstown Shopping Centre



Late Nite Leagues – Q2



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LATE NIGHT SOCCER

8-10PM

EVERY FRIDAY EVENING

BALBRIGGAN SPORTS CENTRE
FREE - SHOW UP AND PLAY 13YRS+

Late Nite Leagues – Q2



FAI Late Night Leagues

Friday Nights in Fingal

Location	Ages	Venue	Time	Date
Portmarnock	13 – 16+ yrs	Paddys Hill	8:00pm – 10:00pm	05/05 – 19/05
Balbriggan	13 – 15 yrs & 16+ yrs	Balbriggan Community College (Sports Hall)	8:00pm – 10:00pm	05/05 – 19/05
Blanchardstown	12 – 15 yrs	Whitestown Estate	7:30pm – 9:00pm	12/05 – 26/05
Swords	12 – 15 yrs	Rivervalley Park	8:00pm – 10:00pm	12/05 – 19/05
5 v 5		No Cost	Turn Up & Play	

Visit @FAIFingal or @FingalSports to find out more information.



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Scan to find out more information on the FAI Late Night Leagues.

