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Forth and Endrick, Community Council Police Report

Reporting Period:

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Ward Plan Priorities

Community Engagement and Reassurance

It is important to you to have community officers who you know, who are accessible and who address local problems.

PC Matt McCammon is the Ward Officer for the Forth and Endrick area. He is based at Balfron Police Office and can be contacted at the office, on 101, or at ForthEndrickCPT@scotland.police.uk. It is recommended that this email address is used by the local community for email contact however this should not be used to report crimes.

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ARNPRIOR

Crime

No crimes recorded

Incidents of Note

No Incidents of note recorded.

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BALFRON	<p>Crime</p> <p>A driver was stopped and issued with a fixed penalty fine after driving their vehicle without a valid MOT certificate within the village.</p> <p>Another driver failed to pay for fuel after filling up their car at Morrisons garage. Enquires are ongoing to trace this individual.</p> <p>Incidents of note</p> <p>Police were made aware of a car that had aquaplaned and ended up within a field on the outskirts of Balfron. Police attended and thankfully the driver was unharmed. Enquiries were carried out and an agreement was made between the driver and the farmer to have the vehicle removed from the field.</p> <p>Reports were made to police regarding a lamppost within the village that had been damaged and potentially presented a danger to passers-by. Stirling Council was informed, and arrangements were made for the lamppost to be made secure.</p> <p>Police were called in relation to youths causing a disturbance and potentially damaging property at Balfron Primary School. Police attended and traced several teenagers who were outside the nearby High School. They were asked to keep the noise they were making to a minimum and, after inspection, it was noted that no damage had been caused.</p>
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BUCHLYVIE	<p>Crime</p> <p>No crimes to report.</p>
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Incidents of Note

Inclement weather meant that police were called to deal with several incidents relating to the adverse weather including an arctic tanker carrying whisky that skidded off the A811 between Balfron and Buchlyvie. The vehicle had come to rest on the verge and the road, leaving the live lane blocked. Thankfully, the driver was uninjured. Road closures were put in place and arrangements made for the tanker to be recovered.

BT contacted police to advise that some residents within Buchlyvie may be unable to make calls, including 999 calls, from their landlines due to an incident on 28/11/2025. Ambulance, Fire Service and Stirling Council were notified. Service was restored on the morning of 29/11/2025.

CROFTAMIE

Crime

Police were called when a vehicle parked within the Croftamie area was damaged in a hit and run incident. This remains undetected at time of writing with no further line of enquiry.

Incidents of note

Police received a call in relation to a non-injury collision with a vehicle hitting the grass verge and coming to rest in a hedge, partially blocking the live lane on the A809 near Croftamie. Arrangements were made for the recovery of the vehicle, and the road was soon cleared with no further incidents resulting from the accident.

DRYMMEN

Crime

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	<p>Assault</p> <p>A member of the public was headbutted while within on of the licenced premisses in the village, fortunately the victim did not require medical attention enquiries are ongoing to trace the person responsible.</p> <p>A driver was stopped on the A81 and issued with a fine after driving their vehicle without a valid MOT certificate.</p> <p>An individual was issued with a Recorded Police Warning after being found in possession of cannabis during a routine vehicle stop within the Loch Lomond area.</p>
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FINTRY	<p>Crime</p> <p>No crime recorded within the period</p> <p>Incidents of note</p> <p>After a particularly heavy night of rain, police received a call regarding a driver whose vehicle had become stuck in a large puddle on the B822 outside of Fintry. Thankfully, there were no injuries, and the occupants of the car were able to safely exit the vehicle until such time the car could be moved.</p>
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GARGUNNOCK	<p>Crime</p> <p>A pedal bike was stolen after being left insecure overnight within a front garden at the beginning of November. Unfortunately, there were no CCTV opportunities or witnesses and this crime, to date, remains undetected.</p>
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	<p>Police were contacted by a bus driver who had concerns that an elderly passenger on his bus had become confused as to where he was going. Police attended and arrangements were made for police to meet with a family member where the passenger was left in safe hands.</p>
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KILLEARN	<p>No crimes recorded.</p> <p>No Incidents of note</p>
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KIPPEN	<p>No crimes recorded.</p> <p>No Incidents of note</p>
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STRATHBLANE	<p>Antisocial Behaviour</p> <p>A vandalism has been recorded after damage was caused to the door of a metal shed within the grounds of the primary school. The CCTV has been reviewed but unfortunately nothing evidential was captured and this remains undetected.</p> <p>Fraud</p> <p>A fraud had been recorded after a resident was contacted by someone purporting to be from their bank and coerce the victim to purchase and send numerous gift cards to the suspect.</p> <p>Road Traffic</p> <p>A vehicle struck a steel barrier at the Auchineden estate causing damage before leaving the scene.</p>
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	<p>Assault</p> <p>An assault has been recorded after a youth was placed in a head lock by another youth that was known to them. causing slight injury. Enquiries are ongoing and there is no further risk to the wider community.</p>
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