



# **Quarterly Report to Fingal Joint Policing Committee**

For period August 2022 – October 2022

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2<sup>nd</sup> December 2022

# 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](http://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.
- ❑ Schedule of 2022 series of public meetings available online.

# Fingal County Council LA16 Reports for 2022

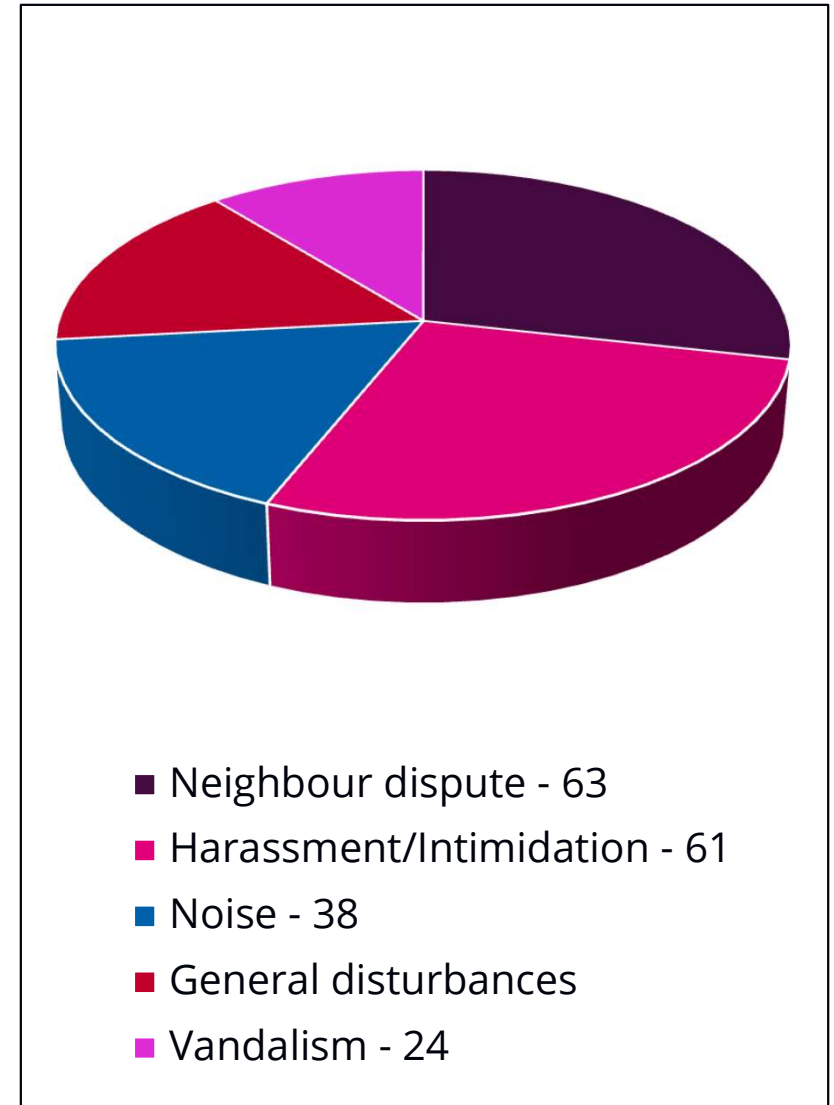
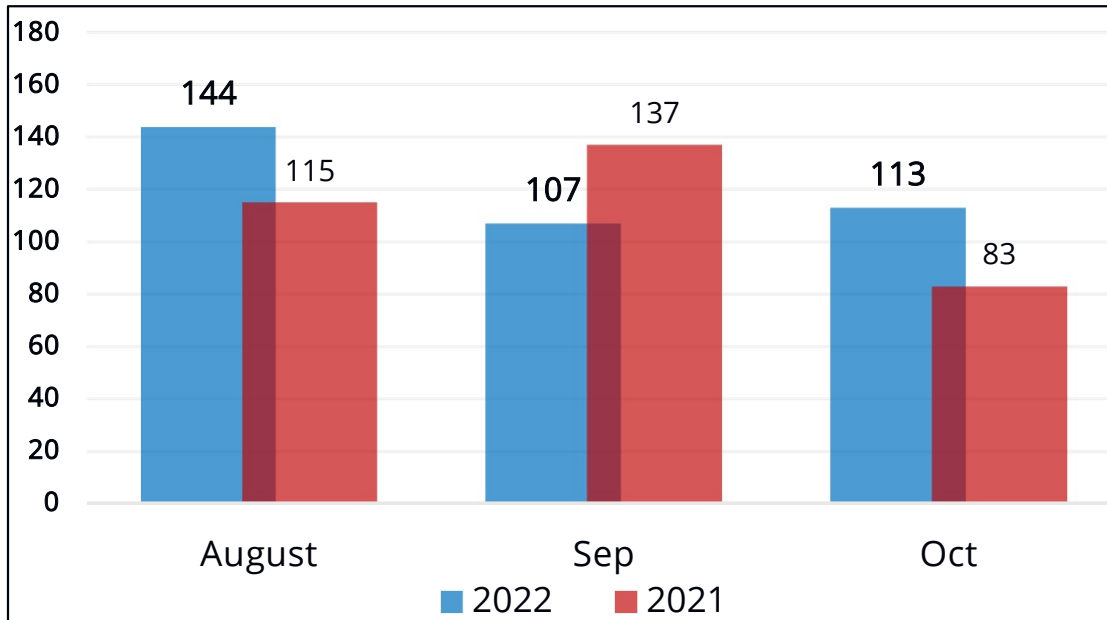
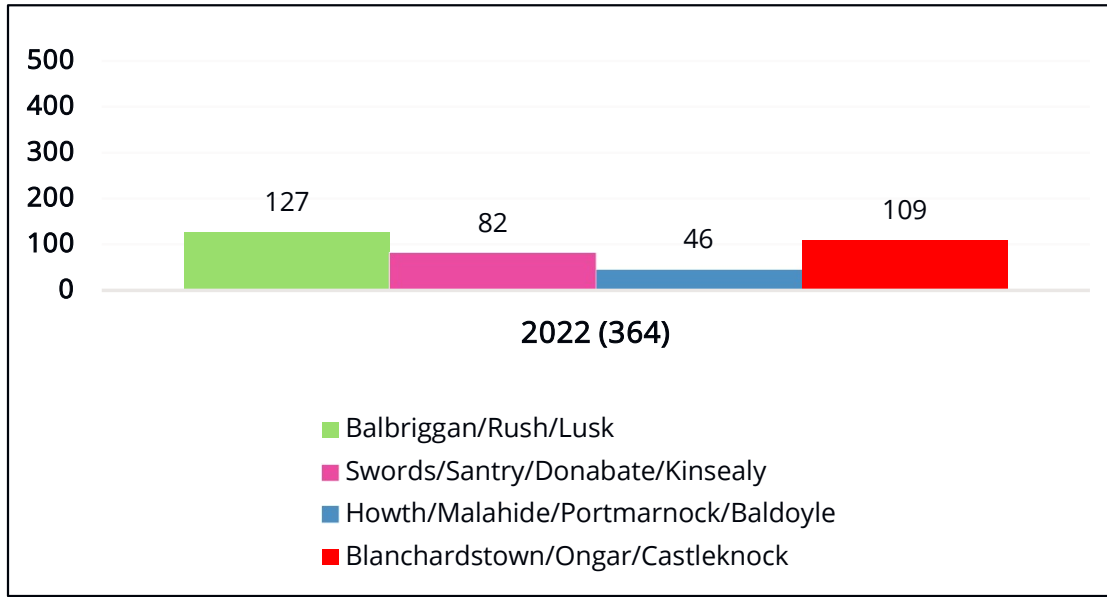


Q1 2022 – 0 Reports

Q2 2022 – 0 Reports

Q3 2022 – 1 Report in BRLS Operational Area.

# Estate Management - ASB Statistics (Q3 2022)



# Major Events



## Howth Maritime Festival

Howth - 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> September, approx.  
18,000 visitors over the weekend, many  
using public transport.

Multi-agency involvement with HSE, NTA,  
Irish Rail, Dublin Bus and Howth Harbour  
Management. Full Traffic Management Plan  
with An Garda Siochana.



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## SpudFest

Newbridge Demesne – 8<sup>th</sup> October

## Dublin City Marathon (Dublin 15 sector)

30<sup>th</sup> October - Largest fan zone on the route

## Halloween Events

Over 30 community based events organised for 31<sup>st</sup> October, and Festival of Fire at four locations in the county



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Commemoration Event for  
An Garda Síochána  
Centenary

Swords Castle Chapel  
Early September





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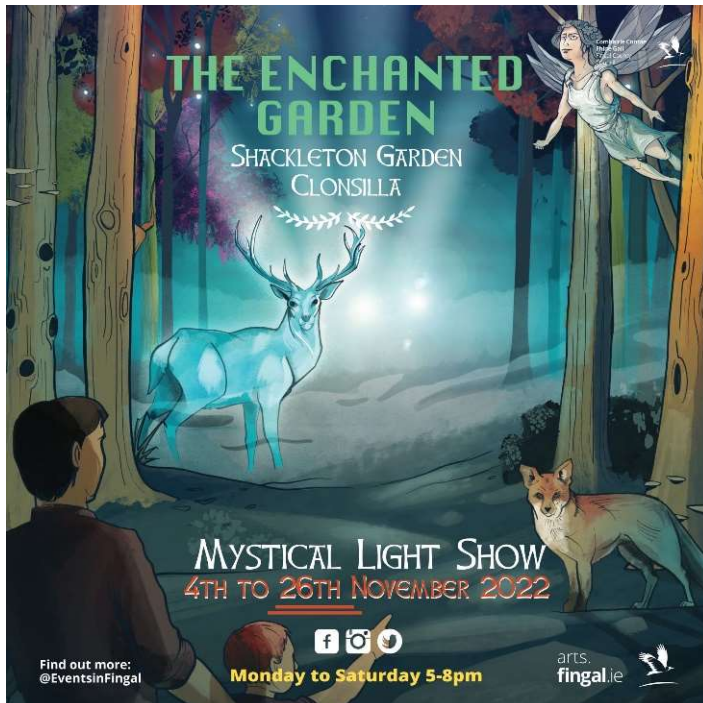


## Shackleton's Gardens, Clonsilla

The Enchanted Garden, Mystical Light Show

Nightly throughout November

Autism friendly, family friendly free event. Approx, 3,000 attendees each week.



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Check [www.fingal.ie/Events](http://www.fingal.ie/Events) or follow @fingalcoco on Twitter/Instagram for information on all festive events.

# Sport Development Initiatives

## FCC/FAI/GARDA 'LATE NITE LEAGUE Q4



### Ongoing - Update

- Participation Youths 12-16 years old
- Portmarnock, Paddy's Hill – 216
- Balbriggan Community Centre – 55
- Donabate Community Centre – 150
- Swords, Rivervally Park – 50
- Blanchardstown, Whitestown – 35
- Tyrrelstown Astro - 40
- A total of 546 youths involved in a healthy, diversionary Friday night activity



# Sport Development Initiatives



FCC/FAI Garda LNL Q4 Ongoing – Reports

*'LNL' facilitates an excellent 'soft' channel of communication for Garda to engage an often difficult to reach target group*

Garda Support in Areas;

- Portmarnock, Paddy's Hill; **Needs Garda Support**
- Balbriggan – Garda Support Excellent – 2 Garda Present
- Donabate – Garda Support Excellent – 5 Garda Present
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# Community Development cross county Diversionary Projects



- Fingal Safer Halloween – 30 projects participated in promoting a message of safety over the Halloween period
- Staying Safe During Halloween video-  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWgIr3juJlQ>
- SAMH Donabate- commissioned an information sticker to promote a *Free SÁMH -Youth Counselling Service* for young people (12+yrs) in the community
- Fingal Inclusion Week – awareness campaign with over 100 groups participating and getting the message out around social inclusion and integration over 100 well attended events took place
- Supports to 35 community facilities with 1,685,584 people using the facilities for activities to the end of October 2022

# Community Development Cross County Diversionary Projects



- Counselling Service introduced to Tyrrelstown
- Garda Clinics introduced in Tyrrelstown
- Property Marking Event Blakestown with AGS
- Glas @ TU Dublin - new community garden in partnership with TU and Global Action plan – engaging wider D15 community
- Sailing into Wellness – Blanchardstown Traveller Dev Group – x 6 participants in life skills and wellbeing programme
- Balbriggan Traveller Development project – licenced a council community centre to the group to manage – increased engagements with the group as a result
- Travelling Community Youth and Family Engagement project

# Community Development -Integration initiatives



- Pride Workshops - awareness training
- SALAAM Project (Sustainable Alliances Against Anti-Muslim Hatred Project)
- Fingal Inclusion Week x 100 awareness events across the county
- MEND/College Connect Presentation to the Community Development Office - how to encourage harder to reach communities to avail of 3<sup>rd</sup> level education
- Meakstown/Baleskin Christmas Project planning – integration event with children of Meakstown and Baleskin reception centre
- Thrive Balbriggan x 5 Connect cafes in the community



# Ukraine specific social supports



- Festival in a Van - Eammas & Deerpark Hotel rest centres
- Swords Castle Ukrainian Family Day x 500+ attendees
- Summer projects and Applewood summer camp
- Ukraine Jobs Club and English Language Classes -Applewood
- Re-Activation of Rest Centre -Fingal Liam Rodgers centre
- Proposal for projects under Healthy Ireland Fund for Ukraine
- English Conversational classes in various locations
- Ukraine photo exhibition launch Blanchardstown Library 17th - 30<sup>th</sup> Nov
- Continuous engagement with rest centres – coordination of advice clinics with key agencies

# Positive Ageing Week

