

ACTION LOG

WARD Eyres Monsell Ward Community Meeting:

DATE: 26th November 2025

TIME: 10:30am

VENUE: Eyres Monsell Community Centre



Present

Cllr Elaine Pantling
Cllr Karen Pickering
Leicestershire Police – Sergeant Liz Crowson
Paster Eyres Monsell – Rev. James
WCEO – Angela Martin

Apologies

City Warden – Dawn Eagland

Item	Action to note	Who
1.	Introductions & Apologies, Declarations	
	▪ The Chair, Cllr Pickering opened the meeting and welcomed everyone. ▪ No declarations were noted.	
2.	Councillors Feedback	
	▪ The meeting noted an update from Councillors: • Upcoming Christmas Fayre 29th November 25. • Outlined the activities for the event, included Brass Band/ Musicians / Craft Stalls. • Update provided on Leicester in the Community Sports. • Fete Committee – Set up, for the ‘Ekky-Fest Event, September 5th, 2026. • Easter 2026 – Leicester City in the Community Football Festivals - city wide event, aimed at encouraging all people to become involved. • Question – Advertising, request for a community notice board requested. • Option / areas – Bus Stop / Co-op / including Sandwich boards / Instagram / Facebook.	
3.	Community Developments	
	▪ The meeting noted an update on community developments: <u>Featherstone Drive Orchard –</u> ▪ Vicky Cave has been running the Orchard in the handed for one year. ▪ Orchard requires additions – Signage, and fencing. ▪ ‘Call Out’ for more volunteers to be involved. Action – Meeting to be arranged with councillors regarding support for Vicky Cave, and Featherstone Drive Orchard. Eyres Monsell Club for Young People (EMCYP) – Update. Events:	

▪ Winter Wellbeing – Monday 10am – 12pm. ▪ Jan. 26 – Money Management Course ▪ Adult Inclusion and Merry Monsell - Monday January 26. ▪ Mental Health Café – Drop In. ▪ Christmas 2025 be to be advertised. Councillor Update: ▪ Update from cabinet lead on recommendation published on Neighbourhood Services – Overall Facilities X 18 Plus 3 Libraries. ▪ Changes scheduled for between 12 – 18 months. Pride In Place: ▪ Allocates to Braunstone / Eyres Monsell / Thurncourt. ▪ £20 Million Allocation two million over ten years. ▪ Appointed Co-ordinator to be invited to the next meeting.	
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4.	Neighbourhood Policing	
▪ The meeting noted an update from Neighbourhood Policing Team. ▪ Priorities – ASB / Drugs / Shop Theft. ▪ Crime Statistics Requested for the ward ▪ Packhorse Road, speeding reported – 11 pm, police agreed to look into.		

5.	City Warden update	
▪ The meeting noted no update from the City Warden. ▪ Fly-tipping, and bins reported. ▪ Surgery – Fly-tipping / Rats / reported. ▪ City Warden requested to attend the next meeting.		

6.	Housing update	
▪ The meeting noted no update from Housing.		

7.	Ward Community Budget	
▪ The meeting noted a Ward Funding update. ▪ Ward Funding April 2024 – March 2025 - £18,000. ▪ Number of applications supported to date: 9. ▪ Balance remaining: £7,500.		

8	A.O. B	
▪ Parking Issues reported – Land opposite MUGA and Mental Health Hospital parking on grass area. ▪ No double yellow lines. ▪ Crossing requested to be further up Sturdy Road. ▪ Action - Cream Tea served in recognition of the work of the volunteers.		

The meeting closed at: 12pm.