## 

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### Respect for Bestwood Ward 2010 Week of Action

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- Week of Action took place 12<sup>th</sup> July 2010
- Multi-agency planning group
- Addressed those issues raised by communities (through beat surgeries and Councillor feedback)











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Neighbourhood Management

Who was involved?

- City Services
- Public Health
- Children's Services
- EIP
- Nottinghamshire Police
- Community Protection
- City Councillors
- Nottingham City Homes
- VOSA

- Bestwood Directions
- Bestwood Park Church
- Leen Valley Community Centre
- Cherry Trees Residential Home
- Nottinghamshire Fire Service
- Trading Standards
- Nottingham Crime & Drugs Partnership BRT
- HMRC UK Borders Agency







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#### What did we do?

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Targeted cleansing of community identified sites including:

Hucknall linear walkway, alleyways and scrub land and the old hospital site.

• Work to prevent dog fouling with dual-use bins and 'No Dog Fouling' signs installed. The 'Poover' was also present during the week.

 Businesses were visited to explain their responsibilities on tradewaste.

• Children from the Top Valley School engaged with City Services to help with gardening at the Carnforth Court and Cornfields housing complexes; helping to build a partnership with the residents.

• Eco Teams provided Eco-warrior training to Top Valley pupils who also helped to clear Hucknall Road walkway and promote the mobile messaging service.









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# What did we do?Crime & Drugs PartnershipSaferWorking together to reduce Crime, Disorder and the misuse of Drugs

The Police undertook a number of activities to reduce crime, improve road safety and improve community engagement:

- Warrant execution against target properties and individuals.
- ANPR team active dealing with vehicle related offences.
- Operation Cleansweep, targeting vehicles and driving offences including waste carrier stop and search.
- Off-road motorcycle team tackling nuisance illegal off-road vehicles.
- Beat surgeries and visits to local events and the residents' association.
- Joint work with TV licensing, Trading Standards and the Business Premises Crime Prevention Officer.
- Assisting in the deployment of SmartWater and Neighbourhood Priority Surveys.











#### What did we do?

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- The Community Protection Teams supported the work of the police as well as undertaking anti-dog fouling, litter and ASB operations.
- The CPO's traffic operation enforced road safety in the area.
- The Fire Service undertook visits to the sheltered housing complexes and to local schools.
- Attended the Picnic in the Park event with both a modern and antique fire appliance.

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#### What did we do?

#### Neighbourhood

- Range of community activities with a range of agencies.
- NCH undertook patch walks and tenancy visits, identified environmental work and made various referrals to relevant services.
- Surgeries and surveys were used to gather further information from residents.
- Coffee mornings, a summer fair and a picnic event provided a forum for services to engage with residents.
- Bestwood Park Church organised a Big Lunch event as a finale for Sunday.







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- The Youth and Play services offered a range of activities during the week including talks at schools & health advice at William Olds youth centre.
- The William Olds Centre enjoyed a re-launch event, showcasing its services to the community.
- The Bestwood Partnership Health Trainer provided walking sessions and Change of Heart sessions during the week.
- Bestwood Directions provided a job fair offering information and guidance to jobseekers.
- Catch 22 and the Youth Service arranged football sessions for young people in the area.











#### **Results & Successes**

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- ANPR and Cleansweep operations stopped 95 vehicles resulting in a range of actions against the offending drivers, including an arrest for drink driving.
- The warrant executions produced six arrests, the seizure of 57 cannabis plants and the recovery of heroin.
- Oxclose Lane officers made seven arrests during the week including the arrest of a wanted prolific burglar.
- SmartWater was delivered to 178 properties in Bestwood along with 155 Neighbourhood Policing Surveys.
- IBA volunteers delivered domestic violence information and posters to 32 locations in Bestwood.
- Among their activities Community Protection issued 14 FPNs, 13 enviro notices and delivered 350 ASB Hotline leaflets.
- 44 people attended the Bestwood Jobs Fair.











#### **Results & Successes**













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- 16.5 tons of rubbish were removed from the area.
- 47 mobile phones received littering awareness message.
- 172m<sup>2</sup> of graffiti removed.
- 23 'No Dog Fouling' signs installed.
- Gardens attended at Carnforth and Cornfields residential homes.
- 53 NCH tenancy Visits were undertaken.
- 14 Possession Notices issued.
- Over 200 children were engaged in activities and presentations.
- 10 Fire Service Home Safety Checks were undertaken with further referrals made.





What happens next in Bestwood?

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Sustainability Plan led by Neighbourhood Management:

Key Elements include:

- To train NEAT team operatives to deliver a SmartWatering service
- To continue to work in Partnership to reframe the Area via a programme of community engagement.
- To book VOSA to conduct 6 monthly checks on vehicles in the area.
- Increase number of Community Champions .
- To develop an ongoing action plan to utilize the community payback resource in the area.
- To secure a dog control order for Chediston Vale Park











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